

Ferguson Friday Focus for 4/20/15

Thought for the Week:

“Don’t let what you can’t do stop you from doing what you can do.” – John Wooden

Upcoming Events/Reminders:

- May 1st- Ferguson International Fair- 8:30-11:00 a.m.
- May 4th- 4th grade Field Trip
- May 8th- 5th grade Picnic – Walter Hall Park- 9:00-1:00 p.m.
- June 2nd- 5th grade Awards Assembly- 8:30-10:00 a.m.
- June 3rd- 4th grade Awards Assembly- 8:30-10:00 a.m.

Monday, April 20- Day 5

-5th grade Math STAAR (**No visitors, please**)

Tuesday, April 21 – Day 1

- 3rd and 4th grade Math STAAR (**No visitors, please**)
- 3rd grade Bluebonnet Book Club- 3:15-4:15 p.m.

Wednesday, April 22– Day 2

-3rd and 4th grade Reading STAAR/ 5th grade Science STAAR (**No visitors, please**)

Thursday, April 23- Day 3

-4th grade choir -3:15-4:00 p.m.

Friday, April 24- Day 4

-Chess Club- 7:30-8:00 a.m.

-Green Team- 7:35-8:05 a.m.

- 1st grade Field Trip- 8:30 a.m.-2:30 p.m.

Playground Update: Thank you to all of you who have supported the installation of our new playground through donation to Pennies for the Playground and/or supporting the Ferguson Carnival. The playground is currently being built in the factory. We will continue to check on the progress of the build and keep our families informed.

PTA NEWS:

-Click [here](#) to make a nomination for the PTA Lifetime Membership Award!

Library News:

Birthday Books: Complete the form and return to Mrs. Glover in the library with your \$20 donation to have a special book dedicated to your child placed in the library. Your child will be thrilled to:

- Be the first person to check out the book
- Have a book plate placed in the book with his/her name on it
- Have his/her picture hanging on the Birthday Book wall.

Your donation helps purchase books for our library. Thank you for your support!

[Birthday Book Form](#)

Counselor's Corner

We are in need of International Fair volunteers! Ferguson Elementary will be holding an “International Fair” on Friday, May 1st for all students! We are looking for parents and community members that would be willing to showcase a country on that day by having a table at the fair. A table display could show your families country of origin or it could just a country of interest to you. On that day students will get to “travel” from table to table learning about each country.

If you are interested in being a part of our Multi-Cultural Fair please contact Mrs. Laird by April 22nd at alaird@ccisd.net or at 281-284-5514.

Digital Citizenship Tip

As busy parents, sometimes it is hard to keep up with the media resources that are appropriate for your children. [Common Sense Media](#) can help you! Common Sense Media helps families make smart media choices. They offer “the largest, most trusted library of independent age-based and educational ratings and reviews for movies, games, apps, TV shows, websites, books, and music” for ages 2 and up! Best of all, they have an App that you can download. Not sure about that movie? Wondering what content is in that game? Do a search for it on Common Sense Media’s website or app and learn all you need to know!