

The Stokes Banner

September 8, 2017



Important Dates:

September 11-15: Scholastic Book Fair

September 13: Back to School Night (Spanish Classes)

September 14: Back to School Night (French Classes)

September 15: Hispanic Heritage Month Begins

September 30: ASADO

Saturday Academy

Stokes School's Saturday Academy will return on Saturday, October 14. Saturday Academy is open to children and adults who wish to attend—you do not have to be a Stokes family to participate. The classes being offered this session are:

Zumba (for adults), Frederick Douglas Writers Workshop (boys ages 8-12), Yoga (children ages 5-10), Sewing Class in French (children ages 5-10), Zumbini and Crafts (children 3 and 4), Thinking Routines (for adults), and Common Sense Parenting (for adults). Classes are \$10 per class with the exception of Common Sense Parenting which is free. Be on the lookout for registration information coming soon. For more information please e-mail anad@ewstokes.org.

Lunch Volunteers

We're looking for volunteers to help with pre-k and kindergarten lunch duty on Fridays. Your support would be greatly appreciated. To sign up please go to: <https://goo.gl/fDDS4J> For more information please e-mail anad@ewstokes.org.



Philippe (PKFA) explores the Pre-k Playground.

Back to School Nights

Please join us for Back to School Night on Wednesday, September 13 for the Spanish classes, and Thursday, September 14 for the French classes. There will be a community fair setup in the courtyard beginning at 5:00 PM, and presentations in the classroom will begin at 6:15 PM. The Scholastic Book Fair will stay open until 8:00 PM on both evenings. On Thursday evening, there will also be a French Book Fair taking place in the courtyard. Childcare and pizza will be provided for free beginning at 6:00 PM. Pre-k and kindergarten will be in the music room, and first through fifth grade will be in the multi-purpose room. If your scholar is in after care please make sure to sign them out before bringing them to their respective rooms.

Reminders

There are three additional forms that need to be completed as soon as possible. The Lunch Application can be found on our website at: <http://www.ewstokes.org/enrollment>, or at the front desk. Please make sure to return the form to Ms. Mariam at the front desk. This year we have a blanket permission form for all local school field trips, as well as a flat fee of \$30 (per child). Teachers will let you know at least two weeks in advance when and where a field trip will take place. The form can be found here: <https://goo.gl/WjdoiR> Finally, for the health and safety of your child we ask that if they have medication that they may need to take at school (daily, or as needed), that you fill out our medication authorization form which gives us permission to share the specific needs of your child with all of the adults in the building who may need to know (special's teachers, the kitchen staff, the administration, etc.) The form can be found here: <https://goo.gl/B74CA1>. If your Scholar still needs a DC One Card, please let Ms. Mariam know: Mariamo@ewstokes.org.