

STARK ELEMENTARY

AUGUST

SPECIAL CLASSES NEWSLETTER

LIBRARY MEDIA CENTER

Hello & welcome back!! I hope you've been reading over the summer!

The month of August we'll have library orientation to learn procedures & where everything is located in the library, talk about proper book care, and we'll check out too.

Kindergarten & 1st checkout 1 book at a time, and 2nd-5th checkout 2 at a time. Students come to the library with their class, in small groups, & individually as needed.

We'll have 2 book fair fundraisers this year. The first is 9/5-9/12.

ART

Hi everyone! I'm Mrs. Cook! I am so excited to teach your child Art this school year!

During the month of August, we will be going over the rules and procedures of the art classroom. Students will learn artistic basics this month including shapes and lines, and how to use those artistic elements to create a piece of artwork. All students will create a "Beginning of the Year" self portrait. At the end of the year, students will draw another self-portrait so you can see how much your child grows this year!



MUSIC

Hello and welcome to another great school year here at Stark Elementary School! My name is Mr. Pacchioli and I wanted to tell everyone real quick about what will be happening in music this month. Each class will be focused for the first few weeks on learning rules and procedures for the classroom including how we retrieve and handle equipment. Be on the lookout as well for information regarding our chorus going home soon. Mrs. Cregar also wanted me to let you know it is not too late for band sign ups. Hope everyone has a great month!



PHYSICAL EDUCATION

This month we will be discussing the many different rules and procedures for the gym. They will learn a routine of what to do when coming into my class. They will also begin to learn how to properly stretch and take care of their bodies. The younger grades K-2 will begin to learn different team activities that promote positive attitudes and sportsmanship. The older grades, 3-5 will gear up for the pre-assessments of the pacer test, height and weight, push-ups, curl ups, and sit and reach. A letter will be sent home with all the information regarding these tests.