



The Cougar Paw Print



Kingsway Elementary School

September 2023

Letter from your Principals

Dear Kingsway Cougar Families:

Welcome back cougar leaders. Congratulations Kingsway on earning a B for the second year in a row. It was a remarkable job by all. We are so proud of the hard work that was shown. Our shared commitment, success, and well-being of your child is at the heart of everything we do at Kingsway! It's time to embark on another PAWsome year together. We are thrilled to continue our journey together "Carrying the Banner" and "Being Champions for all Students!" Carrying the banner for our school adds a special touch to our sports theme of being a champion for students. It proudly symbolizes what we carry for our school-values, pride, and commitment to student success. As with all sports, the team always carries those same things for their members and organization. Each individual on any team is a leader! YOU are an influential part of our teams here at Kingsway. Our role is to support and guide our students, encouraging them to reach their full potential both academically, emotionally, and personally. The classroom and school environment should foster academic excellence. One of our top priorities is always ensuring our students feel welcomed, heard, and empowered to shine! Here specifically, we want ALL stakeholders to be Proud to Lead. We thank you for being part of our team and being proud cougar leaders, families.

Dedication and hard work are the cornerstones of achievement. Let's empower and inspire our students to be dedicated to their individual growth academically. When we support them in setting and pursuing their goals, they will learn the value of commitment and the satisfaction of achieving their objectives. In doing all of the above, they too, will become champions of THEIR success!

This year, I want to emphasize the importance of our partnership with you, the parents and guardians, in championing your child's educational journey. Together, we can provide them with the support and encouragement they need to thrive and be successful. Our moment is making a difference in the lives of our students- don't forget that!



Letter from your Principals, continued...



Here is how we can be champions for your child:

By working collaboratively, we can provide our students with the best possible opportunity to grow and succeed. Our collective efforts, collaboration, and commitment will define the legacy we leave for our students. We encourage you to stay in close communication with your child's teacher and our school staff. Let's work together to ensure we have a clear understanding of your child's needs, goals, and progress. This will help them stay focused and motivated.

We'd love for you to participate in parent conferences, school events, and in our school community. Your active involvement makes a difference in your child's motivation and sense of belonging. We enjoy seeing our families' smiling faces.

Encourage students to read nightly and complete their homework. Engage in conversations about school and what they learn each day.

Athletes showcase their skills on the field, our students demonstrate their knowledge, talents, and achievements in various aspects of their academic journey throughout the school day. All should be celebrated, no matter how small or big the achievement is. We carry the banner of pride in our schools' accomplishments that our students obtain. Each success contributes to the collective pride and spirit of our Proud to Lead school community. We appreciate all that you do to celebrate the small and big wins that your children exhibit- they matter! Your words of encouragement are a positive motivator

As champions for their students, it is our responsibility to instill in them the spirit of perseverance. Push them through tough times, learn from their mistakes, and emerge stronger and more resilient leaders. We are here to help. Reach out to us, and together, we can find solutions to any obstacles they encounter.

We believe that every child has the potential to excel, and with your active involvement and our dedicated educators, we can help them reach their fullest potential. We are excited to embark on this new school year and look forward to partnering with you in championing the success of your students.

Letter from your Principals, continued...

We are truly honored to be carrying the banner alongside each and every one of you. This year our theme motivates each and every one of us to be devoted champions for the students we serve. Together, let's make this year a testament to our dedication as champions for students, leaving a mark on their lives forever and sharing a bright future as lifelong learners. As champions for students, we have the honor to make a difference. Inspire them to dream big and believe in their potential- be the best versions of themselves. We are excited to witness the incredible progress they will make under the guidance and support of everyone. The ability to be a CHAMPION starts with YOU! It's time to reach the GOLD- this is our year!! WE got this!

Please do not hesitate to reach out to our school staff if you have any questions or need assistance. Together, we can make this a remarkable year for your child.

As always, thank YOU for ALL that you do! We appreciate your endless support, cougar families.

Proud to lead with YOU,
Mrs. Kelch and Ms. Joiner

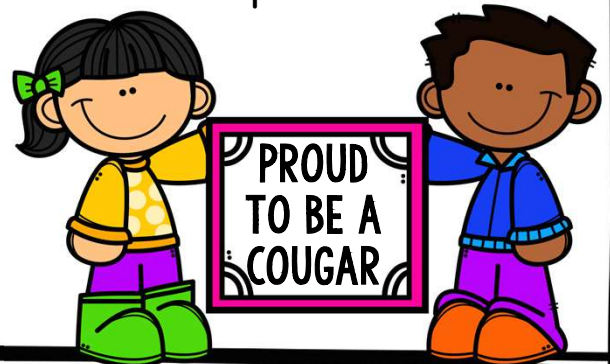


Spirit Night!

Our first Kingsway Spirit Night of the year will be on
Tuesday, September 26th, at Tropical Smoothie.

Come out and join us between 4-8 pm!

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Stay Connected with Kingsway

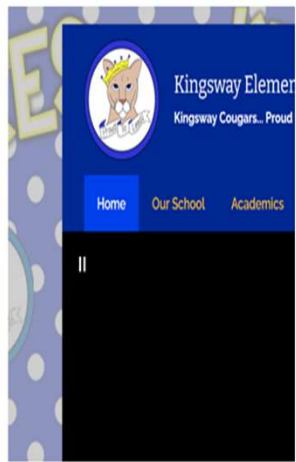


Staying connected with Kingsway helps build our school family. :-)

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www.yourcharlotteschools.net/kes



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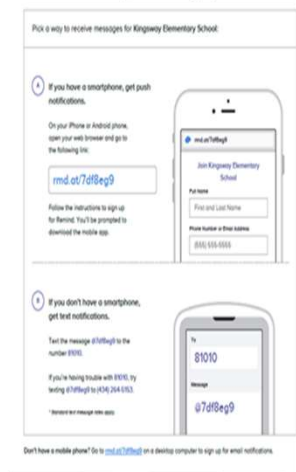
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FRE NEWS



FRE WITH MRS. C

Welcome back cougar leaders
I am so happy to see you all.
I am Mrs. C the Title 1
Achievement and Family
Associate for Kingsway. I also
run FRE (Family Reading
Experience) center. For those
of you that don't know about
FRE. On Monday, Wednesday,
and Friday mornings and
Wednesday afternoons

you and your child come and
check out 3 books that are
just "perfect" for them. They
will also get to choose a
keeper book for your home
family library. Each visit they
will be able to fill out our
"champion reader" ticket to be
put into the monthly drawing!!
Hope to see you soon!

READING TIP OF THE MONTH

Reading is Thinking

Learning how to read is a developmental process
just as learning how to walk and talk. As parents
and teachers, we need to provide encouragement
with our words and actions to help children along
their journey of learning to read.



REMINDER

Family Reading Experience Center's hours
Monday 7:30-8:30
Wednesday 7:30-8:30 and 3:10-3:30
Friday 7:30-8:30

Please remember to check in with Mrs. Miller before
coming to the center. Remind messages and our
school connect call will let you know of any closings.

KINDERGARTEN

Dear Kindergarten families,

Our kindergarten classes are off to a great start this school year!

We have been working hard on learning routines, procedures, and rules within our school. We are practicing walking in line, going through the lunch line, and raising our hands.

In ELA, we have been focusing on the foundations and routines.

We have been going over the alphabet and reading new stories.

When reading new stories we are practicing becoming strong leaders. We are introducing writing, and the different strokes needed. We look forward to honing in on letters and their sounds along with rhyming words and syllables.

In math, we have been focusing on numbers 0-5. We are counting objects and relating that to the real world. We have used different types of manipulatives to show numbers 0-5. We have introduced terms such as equal to, greater than, and less than. We look forward to increasing to 10 along with comparing and sorting.

In science, we have been learning about our five senses and how to use them. In social studies, we have been discussing where things are located in comparison to our location (above, below, left, right).

We have also been learning how to log on to our Chromebooks and how to take care of them. We have introduced our online learning apps: Lalilo, Redbird, and My Math Academy.

Things you can do at home with your child to help them be successful here at school: read to them daily, practice letters and letter sounds, practice writing their name using a pencil, and count objects around you.

Yours Truly,

The Kindergarten Team-
Mrs. Hahn, Mrs. Spitalieri,
Mrs. Stromback, Mrs. O'Connor, Miss Ulrich





FIRST GRADE



Welcome to First Grade!

Our first grade cougar leaders have had an amazing start to the school year! We have been working hard to learn our LEAD expectations and our classroom rules. In ELA, we have been learning all our routines and procedures in the classroom. In math, we learned how we see numbers in different parts of our everyday life and about different patterns we can see in numbers. In science, we have been learning about living and nonliving things.

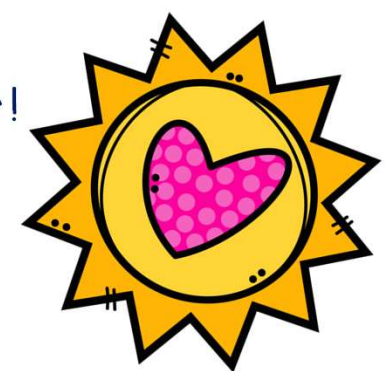
We have also been working super hard logging into our Chromebooks. The students are expected to type in their username and password to log in instead of using their quickcards. This has been a huge adjustment, but they are all doing so well. They have been able to play our learning games Lalilo and My Math Academy.

There are many things you can do at home to help support your child academically:

- Read at home daily
- Practice high-frequency word recognition
- Complete weekly homework (will be coming in September)
- Practice number recognition and addition/subtraction equations

We look forward to an amazing school year!

-Ms. Roberts, Mrs. Moore, Mrs. Vaccaro,
Ms. Wilks, and Ms. Pelham



SECOND GRADE



Hello 2nd Grade Families!

It has been a great start to the school year! We have seen so much positivity and excitement for learning in our kiddos! We can't wait to see the learning and growth that will take place this year.

During our first month of school, we have been going over our foundations and routines. We have many routines and procedures throughout our school building and in our classroom. Some of these include lining up, hallway walking, active listening, Chromebook use, working with partners and groups, and using workstations and flexible seating. We have been introduced to the curriculum, including Benchmark (ELA), Reveal (Math), Elevate Science, and Studies Weekly (Social Studies).

Some ways to support your child's learning at home include encouraging them to read at least 15 minutes/night and completing math and spelling homework. Students can always access our programs that we use in class too- My Math Academy, RedBird, and Lalilo. These programs are designed to take your child on their own individualized pathway for learning and focus on certain skills in both math and reading.

We are happy to be working with you and are looking forward to a great year ahead! Please do not hesitate to reach out if you have any questions or concerns. If you have not already done so, please join your child's class on Remind. We will be communicating weekly with agendas and announcements. Thank you for your ongoing support! We appreciate you!

The Second Grade Team-
Ms. Luhcs, Ms. Mellen, Ms. Schreffler,
Ms. A Jones, and Ms. O Jones 😊



THIRD GRADE

Dear Wonderful 3rd Grade Families,

We hope this letter finds you well and that the start of the school year has been filled with positivity and enthusiasm. We are thrilled to update you on our recent activities and share some exciting news!

Over the past few weeks, we have been dedicated to establishing routines and procedures in our classroom. These fundamental elements are crucial in creating a successful learning environment for your children. We believe that by fostering consistent routines, we can empower our students to thrive academically and socially. We have also been assisting students in getting familiar with the programs tied to our curriculum such as ALEKS and FRAX for math, Benchmark for ELA, and Elevate for science.

We are excited to announce that we will be introducing centers to our curriculum very soon. This engaging approach to learning will provide our students with the opportunity to explore various subjects and skills in a dynamic and interactive manner. We are confident that centers will enhance their learning and further ignite their curiosity.

A friendly reminder to all parents: as part of our commitment to academic growth, we encourage all students to dedicate at least 30 minutes each night to reading. This simple yet powerful practice has a profound impact on their language development, vocabulary acquisition, and overall academic success. Thank you for your continued support in nurturing the reading habits of your children.

Lastly, we are delighted to introduce a new member to our 3rd-grade teaching team: Mrs. Sandqvist! With her passion for education and her dedication to our students' growth, we are confident that Mrs. Sandqvist will be a wonderful addition to our classroom community. Her expertise and enthusiasm will undoubtedly contribute to an enriching and vibrant learning environment.

We are excited about the journey ahead and look forward to partnering with you to ensure the best possible education for your children. Thank you for your ongoing support, cooperation, and involvement in our classroom. If you have not already done so, please join Remind as soon as possible. If you have any questions or would like to reach out to us, please don't hesitate to contact us. Here's to a fantastic school year filled with growth, exploration, and achievement!

Warm regards,
The 3rd grade team- Mrs. Aragon, Ms. Donnelly,
Ms. Martire, Mrs. Sandqvist, Ms. Whyte



FOURTH GRADE



Hello families!

In 4th grade, ELA students will be beginning Unit 1 in Benchmark. Our essential question for the unit is "How do we respond to nature?" In this unit, we will be focusing on many different skills such as: asking questions before, after, and during reading, writing expository essays, reviewing different ways to make the long a, o, and e sounds, and others. We will also be using our Studies Weekly newspapers to learn more about the wonderful state of Florida while also practicing our reading and writing skills.

In math, we have finished our "Math is" unit and found math in the world around us! We have also finished our Place Value unit and students did a wonderful job with naming, comparing, and rounding numbers. We are now starting our Multiplication and Division Facts Unit. This should be a refresher unit from third grade! Be sure to help your students practice their multiplication and division facts at home!

In science, we are studying plant and animal life cycles. Students will be doing a few projects centered on plant and animal life! We are looking forward to an amazing first quarter with these Fabulous Fourth Grade Cougar Leaders!





FIFTH GRADE

Welcome Back



We have been busy reviewing rules and routines in fifth grade. Routines are things we do regularly. The classroom is full of routines. For instance, how we line up for lunch and recess, how we actively listen during instruction, and even where we sit in the room. If there were no rules and routines in place and everyone did what they thought was correct, the classroom could quickly become disorganized. Classroom routines help us feel comfortable with the daily activities of the classroom by giving us a sense of security. Knowing what to expect when you're in the room provides a structure that can keep us on task throughout the day.

In addition to reviewing our class expectations, we have been participating in a few fun but challenging team-building activities. These activities are great for teaching our students valuable life and teamwork skills, such as patience, communication, and empathy. Team building can also help students increase their self-confidence in order to voice their thoughts in front of friends. And finally, as children bond and interact with each other, they learn to become more cohesive.

Looking ahead: In ELA, students will continue to use their reading strategies to help them translate print to meaning. Our first unit in reading will focus on using text features and recognizing how they contribute to the meaning of a reading passage, summarizing informational texts, and using context clues to determine the meaning of unknown words. In math, students will complete problems using volume. In social studies, students will use maps to identify the physical features of the United States and review Florida history. In science, students will look closely at the universe. Please continue to check and sign your child's planner every day. Students are expected to read for 30 minutes each night; however, the planner will also show any additional homework and other class information.

We are looking forward to a very productive and successful year!
The fifth-grade squad,
Mrs. Masterjohn, Ms. O'Brien, Mrs. Falkovitz, Mrs. Littlepage

EXCEPTIONAL STUDENT EDUCATION (ESE)

ESE SEPTEMBER

PROUD TO LEAD

We are so excited to have our cougar leaders back in school! We have been working hard on our classroom routines and rules to set the foundation for a great school year. Our cougar leaders have also been working hard on their beginning of the year testing. Please stress to your student the importance of these tests. We want to see them grow and shine this year!



Events This Month

- Sept 4th: No School Labor Day
- Sept 5th: 1st and 2nd ELA STAR
- Sept 7th: 1st and 2nd Math STAR
- Sept 8th-15th: Book Fair
- FRE: Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays
7:30am-8:30am
- FRE: Wednesdays 3:10pm-3:30pm



SPECTACULAR SPECIALS SPOTLIGHT

The special area team is unique, as we each do our best to enrich each child's educational experience by providing lessons in our field of expertise. We have briefly highlighted what students are working on while attending their special are classes.

Art:

Hello Kingsway Cougars! My name is Mandi Wilmhoff (Mrs. W). My family recently relocated from Kentucky this summer. I have a bachelor's degree in art education from the University of Kentucky and a master's degree in Teacher Leadership from Indiana Wesleyan University. Over the past 16 years, I have had the privilege of working with all age levels teaching pre-K, elementary, middle, high school and collegiate art education. I'm very passionate about helping students use art to express themselves and their feelings. I love when they start to see the artist within and create art they are proud of. When I am not teaching, you can find our family on an adventure. We love taking adventures as a family and this year is the start to a new and wonderful adventure! I'm so excited to work with your Cougar artist this year!



Music:

Hi Everyone, I'm Mr. Hecht, the new music teacher at Kingsway Elementary School. I am new to the area, having just arrived from Miami, and I am originally from New York. I play the piano, and I love many types of music. My favorite genre is classic rock. My son just graduated college (University of Miami), and he is getting ready to study physical therapy in graduate school. My wife is a singer, and we have written lots of songs together. My goal as a teacher is to bring the joy of music to your studies. We will learn about different styles of music, instruments, and the basics of rhythm, beat, notation, melody, and harmony. I look forward to exploring the wonderful world of music together with you!!



SPECTACULAR SPECIALS SPOTLIGHT continued

S.T.E.M.:

Hiiiiiii! I'm Ms. Clark and I teach STEM (Science Technology Engineering and Math) to kindergarten through fifth grade students at Kingsway. Science is my favorite. 😊 It's been an awesome start!!!



STEM Lab is bustling with science enthusiasm! Students spent the first week of school learning the rules and procedures of my classroom. We also discussed strategies for working with a partner and small group. The students applied these strategies to build their towers. We have a super creative group of Cougars!



Kindergarten and some VE classes practiced classifying objects by their properties. You can practice this skill at home by having your child classify objects by color, texture, and shape. If they find other ways to classify, send me a picture!

For the next few weeks, students will work on data collection methods as they make observations using science tools. We will work with thermometers, balance scales, and rulers!

Kingsway Cougars will participate in the Moment of Science soon too! The Moment of Science is a daily video on morning announcements focusing on some of our science inquiry words. We will also have science questions to help with test prep. You can find the practice presentation I created for the students in my Canvas Course. A great conversation starter after school would be to ask your child what they wrote in their journal. You can also encourage your child to practice these words at home. If you're enjoying some time outdoors, you can ask your child what they observe (with their eyes and ears). Encourage them to use the word in a sentence when they reply to you. You can visit my website for more information:

<https://www.yourcharlotteschools.net/domain/3193>

If you have any questions, please reach out to me on Remind. Or you can email me at: Nicole.Clark@yourcharlotteschools.net

Have an awesome school year and stay safe!

Scientifically yours,

Ms. Clark



SPECTACULAR SPECIALS SPOTLIGHT Continued

P.E.:

Welcome back Cougars. We are going to have a great year in PE. To start of the year, we will be doing many team-building activities. We are going to work on positive language towards each other and ourselves. The first month of school, we will be playing Hoola Hoop tag and Rock, Paper, Scissors Hoola Hoop Showdown. These games both work on team building, strategizing, dodging, hopping, and multi-tasking through gameplay. Please make sure your child has appropriate shoes and clothing during their PE day of the week. I am very excited about this new school year. Let's get moving, Cougars!



Coach Hurley

Media:

Welcome back Kingsway Cougar Leaders! I am Ms. K. the media specialist for Kingsway Elementary. I am lucky to see all students, Kindergarten through fifth, once a week for 40 minutes. Working with our Kingsway Cougars is the best part of my job!



During media, students hear read alouds and engage in a variety of activities. The students in grades 3rd – 5 have learned about the Sunshine State books and are enjoying some nonfiction books. Students in Kindergarten through 2nd grade have listened to a multitude of storybooks, sang songs, and played with literature-based story toys. While in media, students also self-select books for their own reading pleasure. Ms. K sure enjoys having the Kingsway Cougars in the library!

Happy reading,
~ Ms. K.

VARYING EXCEPTIONALITIES CLASSES

The Varying Exceptionalities (VE) Team has had a great start to the school year!

- In Mrs. Carthy's Champions PreK class, we are working on what it means to be a Kingsway Cougar. We are practicing our leadership by developing learning behaviors and cooperative learning. We are working hard on our fine motor skills and our ability to share. In math, we are practicing our number recognition and sorting skills. In ELA, we are learning letter sounds and identification. We are integrating the arts into our literacy lessons every week. In September, we are starting a unit on balls. We will be investigating different kinds of balls to see if they roll or bounce. We will continue learning what it means to be PAWsitive champions by showing friendliness and determination.
- In Ms. Bolam's Kindergarten and 1st grade class, we've been working very hard on learning how to follow classroom procedures while creating fun and easy-to-follow routines. In ELA, we have been working on letter/sound recognition and rhyming sounds, and we're learning how to decode new words. We have been learning a variety of skills in math, including number recognition, sorting/grouping, number patterns, and addition. Coming in September, students will be learning about plants and animals and what they need to survive. For social studies, we have been talking about what it means to be a part of a community, and the jobs that community helpers have. In everything that we do, we're learning how to be kind and respectful to our fellow classmates :)
- In Mrs. Awad's 1-2 grade class, we've been learning about how to be cougar leaders and how to apply classroom rules and routines. In ELA, we are learning how to use our phonics knowledge to blend and decode words. In September, 1st grade will learn how plants and animals grow and change. For 2nd grade, we will learn about plants and animals in their habitats. In math, we are practicing math fluency facts. In September, 1st grade will be learning about number patterns and 2nd grade will be learning about place value to 1,000 and patterns within numbers. In science, 1st grade will be learning about living things and 2nd grade will be learning about the earth's surface and weather. In social studies, 1st and 2nd grade will be learning about our community as well as similarities and differences between rules and responsibilities at home and school. Our students are working hard on treating everyone with kindness and respect to establish our class community. We take pride in being Champions and never giving up.

VARYING EXCEPTIONALITIES CLASSES continued

- In Mrs. Rosado's and Ms. Liszak's classes, we have been enjoying getting to know our 3rd-5th grade classmates while learning the rules and routines of our classroom. We've already started to dig into Social Studies with our Studies Weekly newspapers. In September, we are reading about Earth Science in ELA. 3rd grade's first unit is Animal Adaptations, 4th grade's is Observing Nature, and 5th grade's is Cultivating Natural Resources. In science, 3rd grade students will learn that Earth is home to a great diversity of living things. They will understand that living things interact with and depend on each other and their environment to satisfy their basic needs. Students in 4th grade will investigate the variation in life cycles among organisms, and find that the reproductive stage exists in the life cycles of all organisms. Students in 5th grade will understand that everything in the world is made of matter and that matter takes up space and has mass. They will learn to classify objects and substances by their physical and chemical properties. In math, students in 3rd grade are learning about place value and number relationships. We are learning how to represent 4-digit numbers, and we are learning strategies to compose, decompose, compare, order, and round 4-digit numbers. Students in 4th grade are also learning about place value and how to use place value to compare and round multi-digit numbers. Students in 5th grade are learning how to calculate volume and use volume formulas to solve real-world problems. Our students are working hard to show leadership skills as proud Kingsway champions! Have your champion reflect on his daily learning by asking the following questions: What did you learn today? How do you and your teacher know if you know it? Help your champion at home by scheduling time for them to read and practice math facts nightly. Also, please make sure to sign up for our Remind class using code @kes3-5.
- Wyman's class has been learning about America's symbols such as the eagle, the U.S. flag, and the Statue of Liberty in social studies. In science, will are learning how plants and animals grow and change. We have also been completing the beginning-of-year assessments. In English, we have been working on reading comprehension questions, sight words, and letter recognition. In math, our class has been working on addition, subtraction, time, money, color, and classifying shapes.



SCHOOL SOCIAL WORKER

Hey Kingsway,

September is Attendance Awareness Month, and our school is having a contest with the other Elementary schools in Charlotte County. This will go on for the entire month of September, and the school that has the best attendance will win the trophy. Let's have Kingsway get that trophy!



Mrs. Daly, School Social Worker
Vicky.daly@yourcharlotteschools.net



ATTENDANCE Awareness MONTH!

Cougar Leaders:

Welcome to September! Here at Kingsway Elementary, we celebrate Attendance Awareness as a whole school community. Wahoo! We have developed many fun activities to help our Cougar Leaders keep the focus on attendance and to bring awareness to something so important to our learning environment. Research tells us that attending school regularly is **ESSENTIAL** for students to gain the academic and social skills they need to be successful in the future. With your help, our goal is to have all students in school on time and all day long! In addition to our school activities, the whole district is having a "Best Attendance Rate" contest! The school with the best attendance rate at the end of September will win the attendance **TROPHY!** WE love KES AND we are competitive, so we'd like to make a great effort to win this trophy. We need everyone's help. We know sometimes students get sick and need to stay home, but we need our Cougars **HERE** on days they're ready to learn! High attendance rates will help our students learn and meet our goals. Let's work together and make sure KES has the highest attendance rate in Charlotte County. Let's get that **TROPHY!**



Attendance BINGO!

All of our classes will be participating in Attendance BINGO! Classes can earn one square a day! Be on the lookout for LiveSchool points and PAWsitive calls home for students that are focusing on being at school every day! Classes that get "BINGO" will get a shout-out on the news and a prize for all students!

School-wide Attendance Awareness Poster Contest!

This contest is brought to us by the Suncoast Campaign for Grade-level Reading. With the theme of Make Every Day Count! Students will have the opportunity to start this poster in Art class, but may bring it home to finish. A winner from each grade level will be announced and will win a prize! The winning posters will be framed and hung in our school! We are so excited! Get to creating, Cougar Leaders!

Spirit week! September 25th -29th

Monday, September 25th is Crazy Sock Day:

- Step into attendance with **CRAZY SOCKS!**

Tuesday, September 26th is Pajama Day:

- Don't sleep in late and miss school, come in your pajamas!

Wednesday, September 27th is Wacky Tacky Day (mismatched outfits):

- Don't get mixed up about the importance of attending school!

Thursday, September 28th is Neon, Bright Color Clothing Day:

- Be a team player for attendance and wear your favorite sports team!

Friday, September 29th is School Spirit Day:

- Be a Champion, wear your **KINGSWAY** Wear!



The grade level with the highest attendance rate wins a **PIZZA PARTY!**



KINGSWAY FAMILY HANDBOOK

Kingsway's Family Handbook is designed to give parents and students an overview of school procedures and expectations. Use the link below so you can read and familiarize yourself and your child with the information contained in this handbook.

Kingsway Elementary
School



Family Handbook
2023-2024

<https://docs.google.com/document/d/1z317L5ExJwrdCQr-TYOc-vObW9phh0EY/edit?usp=sharing&oid=111595227699917317165&rtpof=true&sd=true>

FORTIFYFL

FortifyFL is a suspicious activity reporting tool that allows individuals to submit tips concerning unsafe, potentially harmful, dangerous, violent, or criminal activities and threats. That information goes immediately and directly to appropriate law enforcement agencies and school officials.



REMIND



Cougar Families, Please do not forget about our Remind App. This free service let Kingsway Elementary send quick one-way messages via text to your cell phone. We can stay in touch while keeping your personal contact information private. We use this app to communicate many things like spirit nights, event reminders, and even things like rainy day dismissal notifications.

PTO & SAC

Come join us to learn about KES

Why? The more parents are involved in school, the more informed they will become. Parent involvement is directly linked to student success. SAC and PTO meetings are a great way to become involved in decision-making at our school.

Meeting Schedule:

9/19/23	3/12/24
11/14/23	4/16/24
1/23/24	





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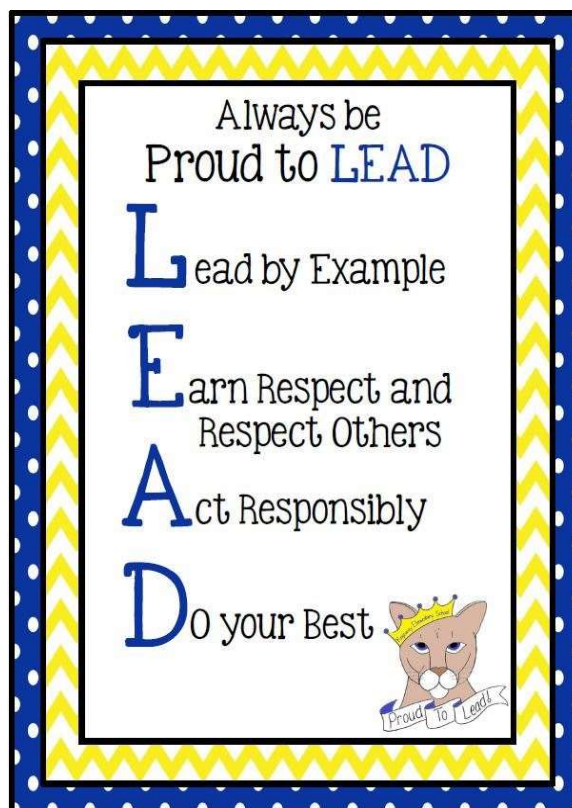
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Proud to L.E.A.D.

Kristina Kelch-
Principal



Kalee Joiner-
Assistant Principal



The mission of Kingsway Elementary School is to provide a safe, student-centered learning environment that empowers students to become responsible, lifelong learners.