



Dear Bonillas Families and Community Members,

Thank you to all who came to our first Bonillas Meet Yourself event. The night was a huge success and is the largest event the school has hosted in recent years. Students worked hard to present relevant and culturally aware information on their country of focus. I appreciate how dedicated each student, teacher and staff member was towards the event. In addition, our Parent Teacher Committee help set up take down and sell fun Bonillas merchandise. If you are interested in joining or helping out with the PTC, please come to our next meeting.

Currently, we have our Bonillas Bling Store open online for shirts, polos and long sleeve shirts. Please place your order online by Nov. 20th 2019. Please remember that during winter months, students still need to be mindful of the Bonillas Dress Code. The Code can be located on our school webpage: <http://besfall2019.itemorder.com>

Finally, in December the attendance office will look at absences as well as tardies. While we understand emergencies occur, missing part of the day or even 10 minutes will start to impact student learning as well as routines and procedures that occur in the morning. Please make sure your student is on time every day. Remember, students can enjoy free breakfast every morning when on time.

Have a wonderful November. I am thankful to be apart of the Bonillas community and encounter such wonderful students and families each day.

Frankie Schiavone
Principal

Curriculum Connection:

- **Cooking and Baking for the upcoming holidays?**
 - o Students can help measure teaspoons of spices and weigh flour or sugar.
 - o We refer to equal parts when learning about fractions. Pie or pizza is a great way to emphasize 1/8 pieces.
- **Grocery store run?**
 - o Ask them to keep a "mental" total of how much the bill might be.

Upcoming Events:

- **Nov. 12th 9:00am:** U of A Nutrition Class
- **Nov. 15th 5:30pm:** Family Movie Night
- **Nov. 18th 3:00pm:** Site Council
- **Nov. 28th – 29th:** Thanksgiving Break
- **Dec. 3rd 8:30am:** Cafecito in the Library
 - o Learn more about our community and how to help your student
- **Dec. 20th – Jan. 5th:** Winter Break

Counselor's Corner

Now that we are finished with 1st quarter and are well into the 2nd quarter of the school year, life here at Bonillas Traditional Magnet is off and running. It seems like we've accomplished so much already. We've finished studying three of the monthly Character Counts Pillars: Trustworthiness, Respect, and Responsibility. November's pillar is Fairness. We will be emphasizing what Fairness means, and how we can bring more of this character trait into our personal lives. As the Bonillas, school counselor I will be teaching weekly lessons this month on how we can bring more fairness into our school. Good ways to start is by always telling the truth, playing by the rules, and listening to others with an open mind. All of us here at school are excited about the many changes that have come with the 2019-20 school year. Please reach out and contact me with any student related concerns. Thanks,
Jay Christopher MA
Bonillas School Counselor

Family Engagement:

- Nov 5th Cafecito will be a Math Workshop where parents can learn more about supporting their student's homework.
- Dec 3rd Cafecito will be a Reading Workshop where parents can learn more about supporting their student's homework.
- Palo Verde Family Resource Center is available to all TUSD families.
- If your child needs a backpack or school uniforms, please let me know. I'm in room 10B or call me 520-232-6659.

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