



Dear Bonillas Families and Community Members,

Thank you all for another amazing month here at Bonillas. I appreciate all parents that were able to make it out for conferences and engage with your student's teacher. The relationship between a school and parent is vital for a student's success. Remember, as we move throughout the year, you are always welcome to meet or reach out to the teacher(s).

I enjoyed seeing all parents and families at our last PTC meeting and Site Council. We are always welcoming new remembers. Please reach out if you are interested.

Next, I want to review some important reminders and procedures that are being enforced on campus to keep our students and staff safe. Please remember these procedures have been established to keep your students safe.

- **Masks:** All parents, staff and students must have masks on while on school grounds.
- **Homework:** Please make sure your students complete their homework each night. If they are having difficulty sitting, break up the amount of time and give them small breaks.
- **Book Fair:** Thank you to all families, neighbors and students that purchased books and other items from our Book Fair. That was our most successful one EVER!
- **Parking:** I can't stress enough the importance of driving **slowly** in and around the campus.
- **On time:** Please make sure students arrive on time each day. The campus opens at 8:00am and students are welcomed to enjoy breakfast prior to class.
- **COVID Notifications:** We are no longer required to inform the entire community if there is a positive COVID case. However, if your student is considered a close contact of someone that did positive, you will always receive a phone call and email from the health office or principal.

Finally, attached with this newsletter is information regarding a Covid-19 pool testing program. A link went out several weeks ago and I want to give families another opportunity to sign up for this opt-in program. If you ever have any questions regarding procedures around Covid-19, please reach out to me.

Upcoming Events:

- **Oct. 7th Friday**
 - o Grading Day: No School
- **Oct. 11th – Oct. 15th**
 - o Fall Break: No School
- **Oct. 19th, Tuesday**
 - o Report cards ready for parents.
- **Oct. 28th Thursday**
 - o Professional Learning Day:
 - o No School
- **Oct. 29th Friday**
 - o 5:30pm: Movie Under the Stars in the Bonillas Courtyard
 - o More information coming out from your friendly PTC team.



Purple Pride vs. Dollar Dress Down

- **Dollar Dress Down:** First Friday of the month for students that pay \$1. Students can dress in out-of-dress code clothing.
- **Purple Pride Day:** Every Friday (other than dollar dress down day) students are encouraged to wear a Bonillas T-Shirt or a Purple Polo. Regular pants must be worn.

Counselor's Corner

- We are focusing on learning about the different Character Pillars. The month of October is focused around Responsibility.
- If you are interested in counseling sessions, please send me an email or give me a call.

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Family Engagement:

- If your child needs clothing or food, please reach out. We are always here to help.
- Duffy Clothing Bank offers free clothing for all TUSD students. Please check out their supply for additional uniforms.