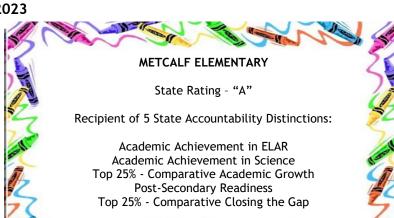
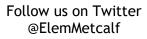
# METCALF MESSAGES

Volume 4 - December 4, 2023



### GIVING STUDENTS OUR BEST!!









Greetings Metcalf Parents!!

I trust you had an enjoyable Thanksgiving break. Christmas will be here before we know it!!

I'd like to apologize for any inconvenience our new Parent Lunch Visitation policy may have caused. Due to rezoning, Metcalf's student population has increased by over 200 students, thus limiting the space available for our lunch visitors. In order to accommodate all visitors, we ask that no more than two parents/guardians come to lunch with their child. School age students and other siblings are not allowed during lunch time. We ask for your understanding in this matter.

I do have some exciting news to share. Our final playground equipment is scheduled to be installed the beginning of December!! If a crew opens up, Metcalf is first on the list!! Keep your fingers crossed!!

Sincerely,

Linda Montemayor Principal

## UPCOMING EVENTS

Friday, December 1, 2023

- Spirit Day
- Book Fair begins

<u>Monday, December 4, 2023</u>

- Math DPM (2<sup>nd</sup>)
- **Book Fair Parent Night 5:00 p.m. 6:30 p.m.** 
  - Tuesday, December 5, 2023
- Kindness Day (wear your Kindness Shirt w/jeans)
- Math DPM (2<sup>nd</sup>)
- STAAR Interim ELAR (3<sup>rd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup>)
- ELAR/Math Night, 5:30 p.m. 6:30 p.m., (3<sup>rd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup>)

Wednesday, December 6, 2023

- NO PARENTS LUNCH VISITATION DUE TO INTERIM STAAR TESTING
- Math DPM (2<sup>nd</sup>)
- STAAR Interim ELAR (3<sup>rd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup>)
- **Book Fair Parent Night 5:00 p.m. 6:30 p.m.**

Thursday, December 7, 2023

- Math DPM (2<sup>nd</sup>)
- STAAR Interim ELAR (3<sup>rd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup>)

Friday, December 8, 2023

- Spirit Day
- Book Fair ends

Saturday, December 9, 2023

Mobile Library at Glencairn Community Center 17136 Keith Harrow Blvd, 1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.

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### PARENTS' LUNCH VISITATION

Parents/Guardians, due to Interim STAAR testing that will be taking place on campus, there will be no Parents Lunch Visitations on the following Wednesdays:

> Wednesday, December 6, 2023 Wednesday, December 13, 2023 Wednesday, January 17, 2024

Thank you for your understanding and cooperation.



Friday, December 1, 2023 - Friday, December 8, 2023

There are two Parent Nights:

- Monday, December 4, 2023; and ,
- Wednesday, December 6, 2023 5:00 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.



#### HOLIDAY PARTIES

Classroom Holiday Parties will take place on Thursday, December 21<sup>st</sup>, at 3:00 p.m. and are reserved **for Metcalf students only**. In lieu of the usual \$2.00, parents are being given the opportunity to donate refreshments for the parties. You will receive a form listing the items needed. Donations should be dropped off or sent with your student the day of the party. **Return the form to your student's teacher by Monday, December 18<sup>th</sup>**.

Thank you so much!

#### Metcalf Elementary Presents the PBIS Sponsored



Mother and Son Winter Dance

Friday, December 15, 2022 7:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m. Metcalf Elementary

Cost: \$15.00 per mother and son \$2.00 per additional son (no checks please)

Join us for an evening of fun, dancing, games and prizes. Price includes DJ, selfie station, refreshments and much more.

Deadline to purchase tickets is: Wednesday, December 13, 2023



We are pleased to announce that Ahinoa Labrada, a 5<sup>th</sup> grader in Ms. Candace Mendoza's homeroom, was awarded 3<sup>rd</sup> Place in the 5<sup>th</sup> Grade category of the Superintendent's Holiday Card contest for her mixed media piece, "Bella Poinsettia"!! In the Elementary School division, there were 167 submissions and only 18 awards. Congratulations, Ahinoa!! Your Metcalf family is very proud of you!!

