

Locke Hill Elementary

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April Newsletter



Helping America's Children Succeed

Confidence is the belief in one's self and the courage to accept the responsibilities and personal effort required to achieve. Learning to say, "I can!"

Here are some activities to help:

1. Display your child's work and talk to them about what they have done. Let them know what you like about it.
2. Take time to have your child share something new they have learned.
3. Use a sticker chart to develop and track short term goals.
4. Catch your child doing something good. Tell them what you saw and reward them with a hug!

Morning Drop Off

Please remember that students should be dropped off next to the curb in front of the school or by the gym. For safety reasons we request that you do not drop your child off in the church parking lot or in the parking area in front of Locke Hill.



Student Information Letters

Each year at this time, our staff prepares to start forming class lists for the following school year. Teachers, administrators, counselors, ALPHA, and Spec. Ed. staff members are all part of this process. We look closely at each individual and attempt to ensure that they are in a classroom which will meet the needs of everyone.

Parents are invited to write a letter to administrators indicating anything about their child that you feel we need to know to properly place your child. The more information we have about your child the easier the transition to the new school year will be. Please include your child's learning style and the characteristics of the type of teacher which you feel would best suit his/her needs. **Please do not request a specific teacher.** There are times when these specific requests cannot be met. Remember that while your child is your number one concern, we have approximately 132 students to place at each grade level.

April

4—PTA sponsored School Carnival
12:00-4:00



7—TAKS Testing
5th gr. Math

9—Kinder Roundup 3:30-5:00

10—Easter Holiday

15—SAT Committee Meeting
3:30PM Conference room

23—Class Fiesta Parties

24—Battle of Flowers Holiday

28—TAKS Testing
3rd & 4th gr. Math

29—TAKS Testing
4th gr. Reading
3rd & 5th gr. Reading
(retest only)

30—TAKS Testing
5th gr. Science

May 8—Early Release Day