

# Blackwater Community School

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## BIG NEWS

(Ge'e -Haichuagith)

Quality Education Begins Here!



### Upcoming Events

February 3– 14, 2020

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Monday - 02/03:

(Lunas)

Tuesday - 02/04:

ASP/ GATE

(Go:k-Thash)

Wednesday - 02/05:

Early Dismissal at 1pm

(Vaik-Thash)

Thursday - 02/06:

ASP/ GATE

Parent Advisory Committee meeting in the Annex Building at 4:00 pm

(Gi:ik-Thash)

Friday - 02/07:

(Vialas)

No School– F.A.C.E. & Preschool only

Monday - 02/10:

(Lunas)

Tuesday - 02/11:

ASP/ GATE

(Go:k-Thash)

Wednesday - 02/12:

Early Dismissal at 1 pm

(Vaik-Thash)

Thursday - 02/13:

NO ASP/ GATE

For the Love of Science and Snow

Family Night 5:30 pm– 7:00 pm

(Gi:ik-Thash)

Friday - 02/14:

(Vialas)

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## Home & School CONNECTION

Working Together for School Success

### Short Notes

#### Excellent Attendance

Being in school every day means your child won't miss out on learning. Try to schedule appointments and family trips outside of school hours. If he asks to stay home "just because," remind him of what he'll miss, such as his reading group or PE class. Explain that he can be absent only if he's sick or if there is a family emergency.

#### Did you know?

Children who regularly eat meals with their families tend to do better in school and avoid risky behavior. Eating dinner together is great, but other meals count, too. If you work at night, maybe you could make time for a family breakfast. Or on a weekend, try a picnic lunch.

#### Celebrate Progress

Suggest that your youngster create a fun reminder of all the things she has accomplished. Let her cover a box with construction paper and label it "I did it!" Then she can write each success ("I learned to add fractions") on a slip of paper and put it in the box. If she's feeling discouraged, have her read the slips.

#### Worth Quoting

"The best way to cheer yourself up is to try to cheer somebody else up." ~ Mark Twain



## Have you checked out the website lately?

1. Download the QR Code reader app in your Apple or Google Play store (Free to download!)
2. Scan the code! →
3. Check out the BWCS website and stay in the loop!



"It's up to you how far you go. If you don't try, you'll never know."

~ Merlin

The Sword and The Stone

# Get in the know!

## Board Meetings:

The next regularly scheduled board meeting will be held Tuesday, February 4, at 5:30 PM.

For more information, please contact Jack Sharma, Principal at (520) 215-5859.

# We're hiring!

We are currently hiring for these positions:

- Board Clerk- 1 Opening
- Classroom Teacher- 1 opening
- Bus Driver- 1 Opening
- HR Manager- 1 opening
- Paraprofessional/ Teacher Aide- 2 openings

For additional information, please call the school at (520) 215- 5859.

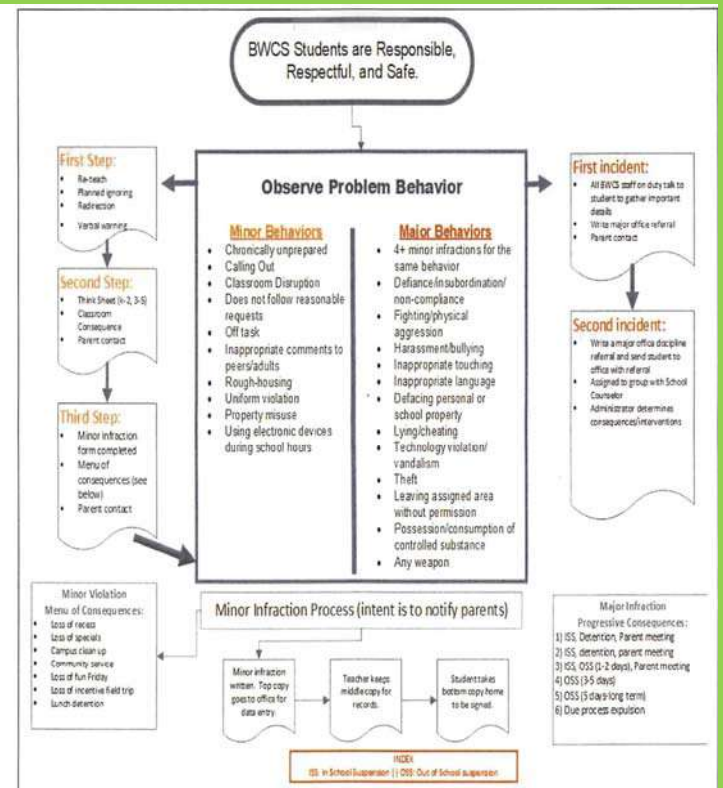
# SCHOOL RULES

## How familiar with the rules are you?

Every school has rules and it is up to parents, students, and school employees to make sure that they are followed so that school is a safe place for everyone in attendance. The BWCS parent/student handbook (given at time of enrollment) can be a useful tool when deciding if something is against school rules. If you need a copy of the handbook, please do not hesitate to call or stop by the front office to request a copy. Please keep in mind that the following are a few examples of things that are not allowed at school:

- Cell phones, tablets, ipods, etc.
- Medications (prescribed medications, including inhalers, must be checked into the nurse by parent/guardian- students are not permitted to have medication of any kind on their person).
- Weapons of any kind- real or toy
- Alcohol
- Tobacco products
- Drugs or drug paraphernalia

For a complete overview of the rules, and expectations, please review the parent/student handbook.



Depending upon the nature of the violation, student discipline shall be progressive, i.e., generally, a student's first violation should be a lighter penalty than subsequent violations. School staff takes into account all other relevant factors in determining an appropriate penalty. The above penalties may be imposed either alone or in combination.

Permissible Penalties (found on page 19 of the parent/student handbook) Above

# Future Events

## February

- ♦ **Monday 02/17**– NO SCHOOL: Presidents Day



## March

- ♦ **Tuesday 03/03**– Regular Board Meeting 5:30 pm
- ♦ **Wednesday, 03/04**- Parent Advisory Committee meeting in the Annex Building at 4:00 pm  
Quarter 3 ends
- ♦ **Thursday 03/05** – Parent Teacher Conferences 1-7 pm
- ♦ **Friday 03/06**– Parent Teacher Conferences 1-4 pm