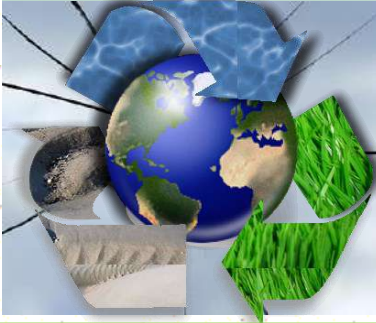


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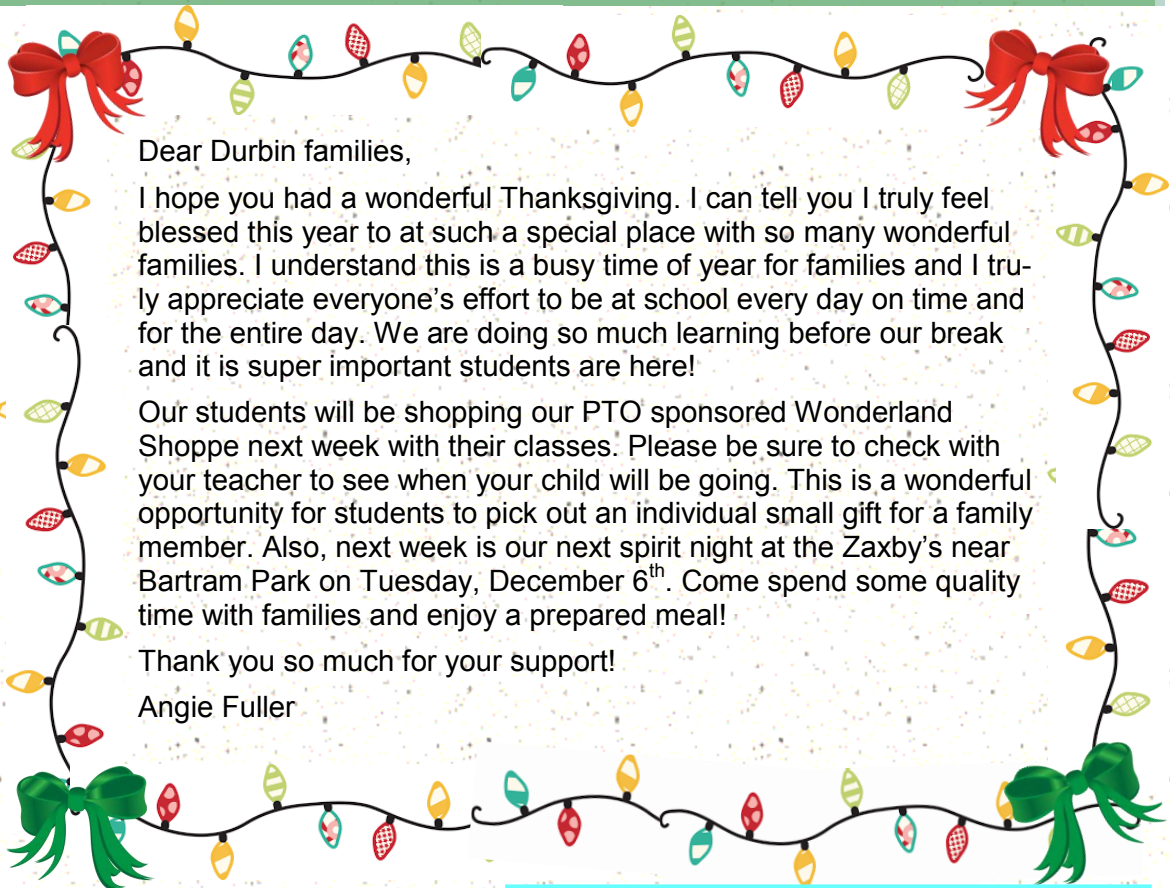
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CALENDAR of EVENTS

- 11/29-12/02 Food drive
(see attached flyer on page 3)
- 12/05-12/09 Wonderland Shoppe
- 12/06 Spirit Night - Zaxby's at Bartram Park
- 12/09 Spelling Bee 9:30
- 12/13 SAC Meeting 3:30
- 12/15 Chorus Performance 6:00
- 12/21 End of 2nd Quarter
- 12/22 -01/03 Winter Break
NO SCHOOL
- 01/04 Teacher Planning Day
NO SCHOOL FOR STUDENTS
- 01/05 Classes Resume



Dear Durbin families,

I hope you had a wonderful Thanksgiving. I can tell you I truly feel blessed this year to be at such a special place with so many wonderful families. I understand this is a busy time of year for families and I truly appreciate everyone's effort to be at school every day on time and for the entire day. We are doing so much learning before our break and it is super important students are here!

Our students will be shopping our PTO sponsored Wonderland Shoppe next week with their classes. Please be sure to check with your teacher to see when your child will be going. This is a wonderful opportunity for students to pick out an individual small gift for a family member. Also, next week is our next spirit night at the Zaxby's near Bartram Park on Tuesday, December 6th. Come spend some quality time with families and enjoy a prepared meal!

Thank you so much for your support!

Angie Fuller

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Ice Cream
On FRIDAYS!

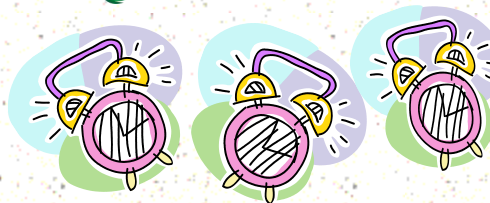
Breakfast and Lunch
menus rotate every two
weeks.

To view menus, go to
www.stjohns.nutrislice.com

Variety of snacks available
for purchase each day!

Breakfast: \$1.25
Student Lunch: \$2.70
Milk: \$.60

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Making positive
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GOT CODE?

Next week, DCES will be participating in the Hour of Code. The Hour of Code is a global movement reaching tens of millions of students in 180+ countries. One-hour tutorials are available in over 45 languages and no experience is needed.

Here at Durbin Creek, students in grades 2-5 have already been doing computer programming/coding activities throughout this school year, so a lot of our students already have some experience. In the coming weeks, I encourage you and your kids to visit www.code.org to learn more about Hour of Code and computer science.

There are coding activities based on Minecraft, Angry Birds, Frozen, Star Wars, and even the brand new Disney hit, Moana!!

If you have any questions about Hour of Code, please contact Mr. O at ostrowm@stjohns.k12.fl.us.

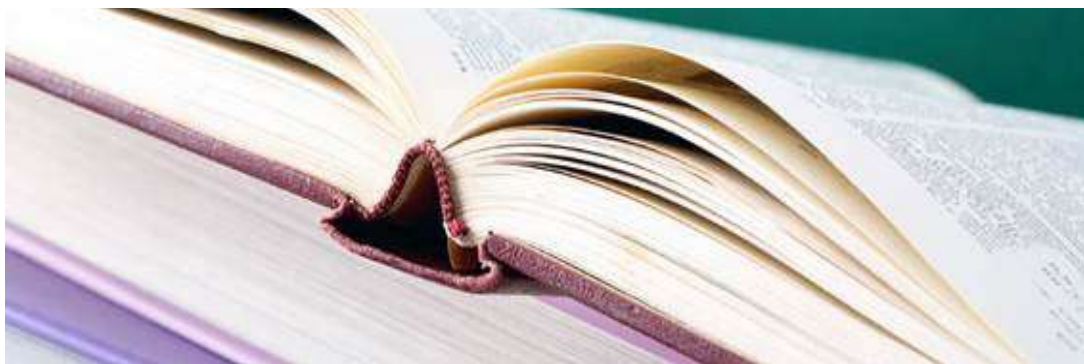


Winter Break



Thursday, December 22nd THROUGH
Wednesday, January 4th

Classes resume THURSDAY, January 5th.



The St. Johns County School District is currently reviewing materials for the Florida Instructional Materials adoption for Social Studies. The courses being considered for adoption are listed on the district website at <http://www.stjohns.k12.fl.us/media/textbooks/adoption/> along with online access information. Digital and print materials are also available for examination at The Fullerwood Center, 10 Hildreth Drive, St. Augustine, 32084, from 8:30 AM – 4:00 PM weekdays, excluding holidays. This list will be updated if more items are submitted for review. Check the website frequently for updates. Please call 904.547.3947 for more information if needed.



DCES Food Drive

"Together We CAN Help!"

November 28th - December 2nd

*Benefitting St. Francis House, Armstrong/Hastings for Migrant Workers,
and Celebration Lutheran Christ's Pantry.*

Sponsored by: St. Johns CARES

Most Needed Items:

- Canned Meats (chicken, tuna, etc.)
- Meals in a can (chili, stew, soup)
- Peanut Butter
- Rice
- Cereal
- Pastas
- Canned Fruit
- Canned Veggies
- Canned Beans

*Please do NOT donate anything in a glass container

**The class with the most food items will win a Prize.
(1- Prek-2 class and 1- 3-5 class)**