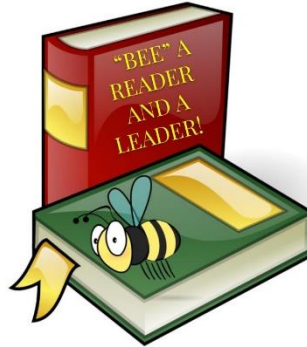




The Sunday Stinger



Midway Elementary School



Week of September 5th

Happy Labor Day Weekend! I told the students and staff to take Monday off since they have been working so hard. I enjoyed seeing all of the team attire last Friday. We plan to have a few spirit days throughout the year. Also, I appreciate your support during our Charleston Wrap Fundraiser! It was a success and a great way to help our students and teachers here at Midway. Our next big fundraiser will be Boosterthon in the spring.

Did you know that each classroom will complete a community service project this school year? It's true, each classroom will participate in a community service project of their choice. Teachers typically talk to their students about what they believe our community needs, then the ideas begin rolling in. If you know of any great ways that your student's class could help our community or you are connected to an organization in need, be sure to let your teacher know.

Please continue to follow our protocols for sick students. I have listed the protocols below for your reference. With the rise in COVID cases nationally and in our area, we need to continue to be very vigilant about **all** COVID symptoms. Also, do not send your student to school if they are awaiting test results or any member of your household has COVID symptoms or is awaiting test results. We appreciate your assistance in keeping our students in school.

Lastly, we are in need of substitutes at Midway. If you are interested and available during the day, I would love for you to be a part of our team when needed. [You can use this link to apply through ESS.](#) We have a great staff and great kids who would welcome you!

I appreciate all you do to help make our school the best. Check out our [Twitter](#), [Facebook](#), and Instagram pages to check out all of the great things happening at Midway or email or call me anytime at BrandonMeares@anderson5.net or 716-3800. We will continue to do things the best way...

The Midway.

Brandon Meares

Looking Ahead

September 6th: Labor Day, No school

September 16th: PTO Board Meeting @ 8:15

September 17th: ~~3rd Grade Morning STEAM @ 8:00~~ (This will be postponed until spring.)

September 23rd: Fall Picture Day

September 23rd: Interim Reports Go Home

September 24th: Icee Day



[Click here to add your student's name to the birthday marquee!](#)



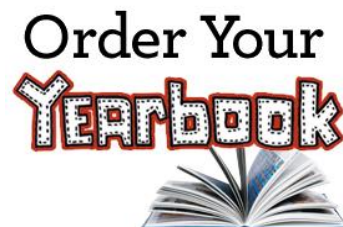
Our former staff member, Keri Davis, invites you to join the grand opening of The Tutoring Center in Anderson on September 24th at 3:30 for the Ribbon Cutting Ceremony. Keri is a quality educator and would be an asset to your family if extra tutoring is needed.

Want to order cupcakes or cookies for your child's birthday? Please order one week in advance.



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VERY IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT SICK STUDENTS

If your student has any symptom of COVID-19, you will be asked to follow our COVID-19 protocols.

COVID-19 Symptoms:

- Fever
- Chills
- Shortness of breath or difficulty breathing
- Sore throat
- Loss of taste/smell
- Fatigue
- New or worsening cough
- Muscle or body aches
- Congestion or runny nose
- Diarrhea
- Nausea or vomiting

If your student has one of these symptoms, please follow the protocol below:

1. Do not send your student to school
2. Please email the teacher of the absence. The teacher will forward the email to Mrs. Metz and Nurse Arnett and the absence will be excused.
3. The student may return to school after 1 of 3 protocols have been completed:
 - a. The student has a doctor's statement saying the illness is not related to COVID-19.
 - b. The student has a negative COVID-19 test.
 - c. Or 10 days have lapsed since the beginning of the symptoms above.

We appreciate your help to ensure that all students and staff are safe and healthy at our school.

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Students of the Week

Respect-Showing regard for the worth of someone or something.

Teacher	Student of the Week	Teacher	Student of the Week
Mrs. Campbell	Bryce Cothran	Mrs. Lewis	Dylan Cribb
Mrs. Vickery	Luke Jackson	Ms. Mayfield	James Strom
Mrs. Dove	Zoe Long	Mrs. Kelley	Alex Haber
Mrs. Jones	Marshall Guthrie	Mrs. Herbert	Antonella Montes
Mrs. Selman	Julie Couvillon	Mrs. Askew	Knox Green
Mrs. Hall	Blake Hetzel	Mrs. Arroyo	Macy Anzur
Mrs. Shirley	Charlie Bratton	Mrs. Strom	Camdyn Brown
Mrs. Gilreath	Cooper Daniel	Ms. Frady	Connor Dalton
Mrs. Coats	Baylor Martin	Mrs. Uhall	Dylan Burton
Mrs. Jackson	Baylor Wooten	Ms. Addison	Andrew Naylor
Mrs. O'Brien	Matthew Cobb	Ms. Worley	Adam Greer
Mrs. Hornick	Finley Best	Ms. McClelland	Michael Whitfield
Mrs. Best	Emily Witrick	Mrs. Watkins	Michael Eunice
Mrs. Reno	Ja'kori Turner	Mrs. Andrade	
Ms. Cordell	William Craft	Ms. Lewinski	James Mason Yates
Mrs. Twitty	Tempe Coker	Mrs. Roper	Eddie Wilder
Mrs. Greene	Cora McDonald		
Mrs. Brookman	Evan Ferriola		
Mrs. Vaughn	Kate Hilliard		
Mrs. Neal	McKoy Straup		