



Arlington Patriots Monthly

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Important Dates...

Thursday, January 10th
Stacked Pickle Spirit Night

Friday, January 18th
Arlington's Winter Jam
6:30 pm - 8:30pm

Monday, January 21st
Martin Luther King Jr Day
No school today!

January 21st - 25th
uno's Spirit Week

Wednesday, January 30th
Sky Zone Spirit Night

Planning ahead..

Friday, February 1st
Club/Group Pictures

Thursday, February 7th
PTO meeting @ 6pm

Friday, February 8th
PTO Movie Night

Arlington School Info

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Mrs. Morris, Principal
Mrs. Eck, Counselor

Daily School Schedule

M, T, Th, F
8:50am - 3:50pm
Wed only
8:50am - 3:20pm

Dear School Family

One thing I love about the New Year, is the thought that we all have another chance to do something differently or better. Many of you know that I have 4 beautiful grandchildren, one of which will be starting kindergarten next year. I find myself trying to find balance between my redefined parenting role of my now adult children, and the role of the grandparent. So as I read about other's New Year's resolutions, I came across a couple of articles which give us all hope! Nobody is perfect in the role as parent, or educator... The most important thing we can do as that person that makes a difference in our youth's lives, is aspire to be better... a better parent, a better grandparent, a better educator, a better adult. We can aspire to be better than 2018 because our children are worth it! HAPPY 2019!!!

Melissa Morris
Principal

<https://www.todayparent.com/family/new-years-resolutions-family/>

<https://www.parenting.com/family-time/activities/10-family-resolutions-new-year>

Ms. Eads' class had
a blast on
Polar Express Day!



Attention All Arlington Clubs Members

On Friday, February 1st
photographers will be here to take
pictures of all of the clubs and
groups here at Arlington. If you
have shirts for your group, please
wear them. If not, please ask your
leader/teacher if there is anything
special you should wear this day.

Parents: Please read!

This is a reminder that we need all
transportation changes to be made
before 3:00 by contacting the front
office. When changes are made after
3:00, it is difficult to ensure that
everyone that needs to be aware of your
child's change in transportation is
informed. Only emergencies will be
accepted after 3:00. Thank you for
helping us keep everyone safe!!!



Parent Information and More...



A Note from the Nurse

It's a good idea to put an extra pair of clothes in your child's book bag. Just in case they spill something on them or get wet or muddy at recess.

If you want your child to have cough drops, cold medicine, Tylenol, or ibuprofen at school, a parent has to bring it in to the nurse. It will stay with the nurse so they can have it the rest of the year.

The clinic is out of boy's and girl's pants size 5 through 12. If anyone has any gently used pants that they want to donate, they can send them to the office.

Exploring the Possibilities in Mrs. Soboleski's Room

What do DNA, 3D printing, pathogens, and art therapy have in common? They are all gifts that some of the parents of Mrs. Soboleski's students possess and are passionate about. These parents presented to her class (and some to the 4th and 5th grade Reach classes as well) on these fascinating topics.

The students extracted DNA from strawberries, saw a 3D printer in action as it created Minecraft TNT, learned about the various types of pathogens (germs), and they explored emotion in art as a basic foundation of art therapy.

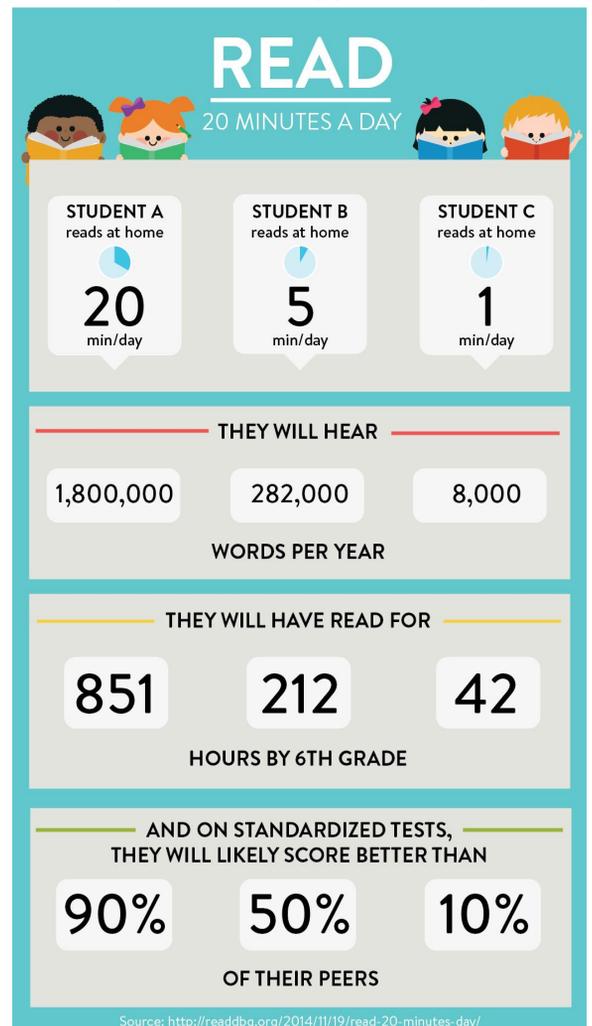
They had great learning experiences, and they truly appreciate these parents coming in to share their amazing gifts and talents. They are hopeful that more parents will be able to be guest presenters on their passions in the 2nd semester.

PTO's Winter Jam is coming!

Arlington's Annual Winter Jam is coming on Friday, January 18th! The theme is Winter Wonderland. It is from 6:30-8:30pm. There will be a DJ playing dance music,, a silly photo area, and snacks for sale. This is a family event. We hope to see you there!

Weekly Reading Logs

Have you and your child been keeping up on weekly reading logs? If not, next semester you can start fresh and get back in the habit. Reading daily for at least 20 minutes a day can help your child make big gains in reading.





What's going on at Arlington?



Things To Do... Written By: Devyn Melsheimer

Here are some things to do during Winter ...

- Watch a movie
- Read a book
- Color coloring pages
- Make a coloring book...
Print coloring pages
Make a front page and decorate it
Staple the sides or use a different solution
- Do crafts
- Play games
- Snowball fights
- Get more rest
- Spend time with friends and family
- Build a snowman
- Make hot chocolate



Lifeline of the month Self-control

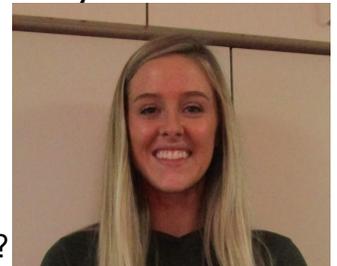
By: Abby D.

Self control is about being able to resist temptation (something you want to do) that you know that's not the right thing. For example, if your friend is not doing the right thing in the hallway and instead of joining them, encourage them to stop. And remember everyone, have self-control everywhere you go.



Miss Reidenbach By Hailee Flanagan

1. Where did you go college at?
2. Do you have any kids?
3. Do you have any pets?



- IU-Indiana University
- No, only 24 years old
- Yes 2 dogs marley and hoosier
- 4. Why did you want to teach?
- Loves kids and helping people
- 5. Is this your first year teaching?
- Yes she had Mrs McDonnell and the same class she is teaching in and she had Miss in first grade
- 6. What would you have taught instead of this?
- Helping animals or something related
- Miss Reidenbach grew up here and went to Arlington, Kitley, Middle School West, and the Franklin township high school

Random Fact

The most common name in the world Mohammed.
The longest name in the world is Hubert Blaine Wolfeschlegelsteinhausenbergerdorff sr.





All About the Kids



The Longest Word In The English Dictionary Copied And Pasted By: Devyn Melsheimer Pneumonoultramicroscopicsilicovolcanoconiosis

"The longest word in any of the major English language dictionaries is **pneumonoultramicroscopicsilicovolcanoconiosis**, a word that refers to a lung disease contracted from the inhalation of very fine silica particles, specifically from a volcano; medically, it is the same as silicosis."

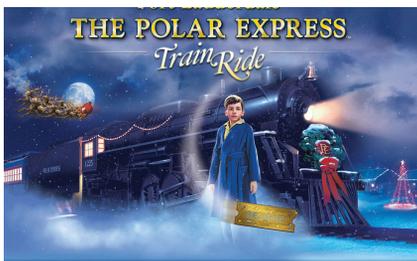
News Years Resolution By Lorenzo Jones

News Years Resolution is very common when it is the month of December. It is basically about new year new me. So really you are just trying to be a better person then you were the last year. If you are struggling and need help you would try to do better next year.



Polar Express By Lorenzo Jones

Polar Express is a popular movie played mostly when it is around Christmas time. Polar Express is mostly about a boy who woke up to a train outside his house. He has all of his fun adventures while he's with his friends they did the following hot chocolate, got to go to the santa workshop also seeing a magic man on top of the train. I hope you enjoy this wonderful adventures movie.



About Mrs. Tara By Noah Leal

Q1 What college did you go to?
Wright State University

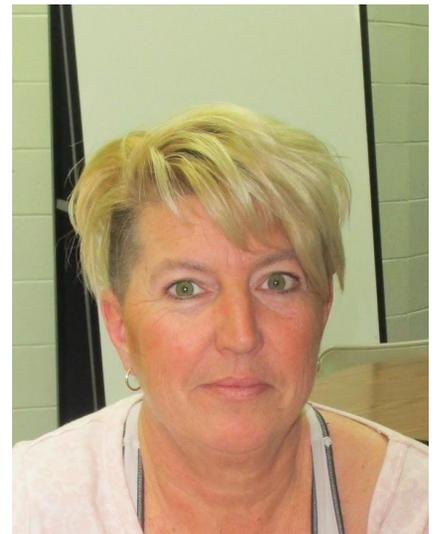
Q2 What's your favourite color?
Pink

Q3 Do you have any pets?
3 Dogs and 5 Cats

Q4 Do you have any kids?
4 Daughters

Q5 What's the hardest place to clean?
The Cafeteria

Q5 What high school did you go to?
BellBrook High School



Being Helpful

Since Mrs. Tara thinks that cleaning the cafeteria is the hardest part of the school to clean then if you see any trash in the cafeteria or anywhere else pick it up and throw it away.

- Devyn