DALE R. FAIR BABSON PARK ELEMENTARY

HOME OF THE GNATS

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TITLE ONE

Dale R. Fair Babson Park Elementary is proud to be a Title I school. Under the Title I School-Wide Concept, our entire school benefits from this federally funded education program. Some advantages of being a School-Wide Concept School include:

- **Emphasis on Families**
- **Additional Teaching Materials**
- **Teacher Units**
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The goal of Title I is to improve student achievement through:

- **Effective Instruction**
- **Professional Development**
- **Family Involvement**



SAC

The School Advisory Council (SAC) is composed of parents, teachers, administrators, and community representatives. The council advises and assists in educational needs, helps establish priorities, provides a link to the community, and facilitates communication with you and the community.

ESSA

Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA) Our school focuses on developing independent learners who demonstrate the life skills of friendship, curiosity, problem solving, organization, sense of humor, initiative, cooperation, responsibility, caring, flexibility, and courage. Students become more secure as independent learners and critical thinkers. They will develop the skills needed to be lifelong learners and prepare to be productive citizens.

IMPORTANT DATES

August 18- 1st PTO Meeting
August 25- 4th & 5th Parent Workshop
September 1 - 2nd & 3rd Parent Workshop
September 4 - Early Release Day
September 7 - No School
September 8 - K & 1st Parent Workshop
September 18 - SAC Meeting #1
October 16 - Teacher Work Day/No School
October 23 - Gnat Family Picnic
October 24 - Gnat Fall Carnival
October 26 - Report Cards
October 30 - Early Release Day
November 6 - SAC Meeting #2
November 20 - Early Release Day
November 23-27 - Fall Break
December 4 - Supper With Santa
December 18 - Early Release Day
December 21- January 6 - Winter Break
January 12 - Report Cards
January 15 - Early Release Day
January 18 - No School
January 22 - SAC Meeting #3
February 12 - Early Release Day
February 15 - No School
March 5 - SAC Meeting #4
March 12 - Early Release Day
March 15-19 - Spring Break
March 26 - No School
March 30 - Report Cards
April 16 - SAC Meeting #5
April 23 - Early Release Day
May 27 - Early Release Day
May 27 - Last Day of School

FAMILY INVOLVEMENT

Dale R. Fair Babson Park Elementary is a learning family. We realize how important it is for parents, teachers and community members to work together to educate and care for our children. Research tells us that family support is more important than any other factor in determining a child's success in school. It is our desire to enhance parental support by providing the following opportunities for family involvement at DRF BPE.

- **Scheduled Parent Workshop Nights**
- **PTO Meetings and Programs Open to Everyone**
- **Family Handbook and Compact**
- **Volunteer Program**
- **Family Library Checkout Nights**
- **K Support Program**
- **Bring Your Parent to School Days**
- **PTO Newsletters and Calendar**
- **Weekly Communication Reports**
- **Parent Input Surveys & Questionnaires**
- **Family Picnic**
- **School Advisory Council (SAC)**
- **Parent/Teacher Quarterly Conferences**
- **All Pro Dad Nights**
- **PTO Family and Community Events**

IT TAKES EVERYONE!

Parents
Administrators
Teachers
Support Staff
Students
Superintendent
Volunteers
Financial Partners
Board Members
Central Office Staff



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