



CANDY GRAMS ~ FEBRUARY 11-15

Next week the high school students will be selling Valentine Candy Grams for \$1.00. Each candy gram will consist of a piece of candy with a personal message attached. Students and parents may purchase them at the double glass doors each morning before the tardy bell. They will be delivered at the end of each day. Thank you for your support!

LETTERS OF INTENT

Letters of intent went home last week. Please be sure to fill those out and return them ASAP. It is helpful to have your current intentions regarding next school year as we begin planning, though we know they can change. This is not a commitment in any way, it is just necessary as we begin looking forward to the next academic year. Thank you!

WORLD'S FINEST CHOCOLATE

Remember, each family is required to sell a **minimum of 2 boxes**. **If you have not yet gotten your second box, now is the time to do it.** You may stop by the office or send a note through your child's teacher to get your second box.

NORTH CAROLINA OPPORTUNITY SCHOLARSHIP

The NCSEAA portal is open. If your child currently receives the Opportunity Scholarship you need to requalify for next school year. If you know of any families who could benefit from this program, please pass the word along. For more information and the online application go to www.ncseaa.edu/OSG.htm.

ELEMENTARY AGED SUMMER CARE

Please let the office know by Friday, Feb. 15 if you are interested in Summer Care for your elementary aged student this summer.

EARLY PICK-UP/LATE ARRIVAL

If you pick up your child early, you MUST sign them out in the office. If you bring them back later the same day, you **MUST** sign them back in through the office. Please notify your child's teacher or office personnel if someone other than parents/guardians is responsible for picking up your child by personally calling or contacting the office. If an emergency occurs, please call the office and tell the secretary who will be picking up your child. When someone other than a parent/guardian is picking up your child, they will be asked to show their identification before the student will be allowed to leave with them. A very strict policy will be followed for anyone other than parents/guardians who pick children up.

A parent must send a note requesting a child to leave early for an appointment or other valid reason. The student must take the class work that he will miss and do it as homework due the next day. Parents should keep in mind that afternoon classes and lessons are a vital and essential part of the academic program. Please arrive early enough to get your student out of class when you arrive.

TARDINESS

Your student must be seated IN their room by 8:05 am. Any student arriving after 8:05 am will be marked tardy. When a student comes in late, he/she is already behind. He/she has not only missed their work, but also has disrupted the other students in class. We ask that you, as parents/guardians follow these guidelines, and as always, if you have any questions, please ask.

Procedure for a student who is tardy: A student coming in late must pick up and complete a late slip from the office in order to be admitted to class. A student will move his/her # on the discipline chart when tardy. Students will not be considered tardy when arriving late due to doctor appointments or highly unusual situations. A written note from the parent or doctor's office is required.

Every 6th tardy will result in a lunch detention.

Students with lunch detentions in excess of 3 per semester will be referred to the administrator

UPCOMING DATES

Feb 11 – Chick-Fil-a Night

Feb 18 – Presidents' Day

Mar 14-22 – Book Fair

Mar 22 – End of Quarter, Noon Dismissal

Apr 8 – Chick-Fil-A Night

Apr 15-19 – Spring Break

Feb 12 – Progress Reports

Mar 11 – Chick-Fil-A Night

Mar 16 – Spaghetti Dinner

Mar 26 – Report Cards

April 8-12 – Achievement Testing

May 13 – Chick-Fil-A Night