



Partin All Star News

The Newsletter of Marguerite Partin Elementary
School

September 2022 Edition

Where Every Child is a Star!

Partin Elementary School

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From the Principal's Desk

We are off to a great ALL-STAR year! *Our theme this year is:*

"Where Learning is an Adventure!"

Our goal this year is to make **academic learning** engaging and pleasurable, creating positive and exciting experiences that instill a life-long love of learning. We want our students to love school as much as we do! Our PTA (that is all that join!) are called *Memory Makers* this year as we all work together to make wonderful long-lasting school memories!

Did you know that Partin Elementary School is named after a teacher that lived in the Oviedo community and she, Marguerite Partin, was determined to make every child a "star?" That is why we are the Partin All-Stars!

Students in Kindergarten through fifth grades have completed their first reading and math I-Ready Diagnostic and now complete weekly on-line lessons specifically based on these diagnostic results. Teacher's conference with their students and help them to set and track I-Ready goals. Please help us celebrate your child's progress by reviewing and discussing I-Ready lessons and achievement at home.

Your Proud Partin Principal,
Martha Garcia

Officer Steve's Safety and Security Corner

The start of a new school year brings additional traffic to our neighborhoods and community. Please encourage proper safety habits with your children when it comes to crossing roadways on foot and riding bicycles, scooters, skateboards, etc. Some important safety tips are looking both ways before crossing roadways, paying attention while approaching driveways, and always wearing a bicycle helmet while operating personal-wheeled transportation devices. Helmets work in preventing and minimizing injury in the event of an accident, and we want our All-Stars to stay safe while enjoying their wheeled transportation this year!

FAST Progress Monitor Assessments New this year!

Students in grades K-5 will take the FAST progress monitor #1, #2, #3 throughout the 2022-2023 school year. Parents will receive a report 10 days after students are done testing with instructions on accessing their child's scores in the Family Portal.

Upcoming Events

9/6 FAST Progress Monitor #1 begins for grades VPK-5

9/9- Progress Reports post to Skyward

9/16-Happy Birthday, Principal Martha Garcia

9/16-Fall Picture Day

9/18-Happy Birthday, Assistant Principal Lynette Bornemann

9/21 Art Club begins for grades 4-5 @8:00am

9/28-PTA Spirit Night- Chic-fil-A 5-8:00pm

9/30 Partin Spirit Day- Wear red/blue Partin shirt



We use several measures to track our students' progress, and this year we are continuing with i-Ready. I-Ready is proven to help students make real gains in reading and mathematics.

**PTA and School Information on
the back of our Newsletter**



Partin PTA and School Information

Partin PTA

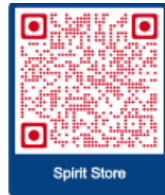
Hello Partin Families!

PTA Memory Makers would like to welcome you back to school *Where Learning is an Adventure!!* Several parents purchased their membership to PTA and a newly designed Partin designed T-shirt. Our new Partin t-shirt sold out already. Thanks to everyone who purchased! We are still going strong with our membership drive, so please make sure to become a member and go to the spirit store with the link below or scan the QR code. Membership is \$7.00 and goes to helping make Partin Elementary a better place for our children and families! PTA raises money to provide teacher grants, school supplies, teacher gifts, programs for enrichment, and to **making memories** with free events for family fun! When we hit our 350-member goal, the students will have a dance party in PE!

Our Pop-up Spirit Store is open every Friday morning from 8:00am – 8:30am. Little treats and gadgets are available for \$1.00. Students really enjoy deciding and purchasing pencil sharpeners, erasers, squeeze balls, and small sweets.

We have Spirit Night coming up at Chick-fil-a on September 28 from 5-8:00pm.

The 5th Grade Committee is gearing up for a momentous year! If you would like to **make memories** for your 5th grader, make sure to sign up to volunteer! Please email for any questions regarding PTA, volunteering, donations, etc.: **Partin.Allstars.pta@gmail.com**



<https://partin-elementary-pta.square.site/product/pta-yearly-membership/>

Partin's Counselor Corner

This month, I will be visiting classrooms to introduce myself as well as my services. During classroom guidance with k-3, I will be focusing on feelings and emotions throughout the school year. We will be talking specifically about "scribble spot" and expressing our emotions in a safe way. In grades 4-5, we will focus on bullying/kindness.

Small groups and individual sessions focus will be more on the individual needs of the child. Please feel free to reach out with any questions or concerns 😊. -Mrs. Rhoads

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2022-2023 Sunshine State Books

Katie the Catsitter by Colleen AF Venable
Amari and the Night Brothers by B.B Alston
The Beast and the Bethany by Jack Meggitt-Phillips
Ben Yokoyama and the Cookie of Doom by Matthew Swanson
Carry Me Home by Janet Fox
Distress Signal by Mary E. Lambert
J.D. and the Great Barber Battle by J. Dillard
Shirley and Jamila Save Their Summer by Gillian Goerz
Julieta and the Diamond Enigma by Luisana Duarte Armendariz

Leonard (My Life as a Cat) by Carlie Sorosiak
The Lion of Mars by Jennifer L. Holm
Measuring Up by Lily LaMotte
The Million Dollar Race by Matthew Ross Smith
Mystery on Magnolia Circle by Kate Klise
Stella by McCall Hoyle