

Cardinal Chronicles!

Volume 6 Issue 4 Wishing you a Christmas full of love and joy, and may these wishes last for you throughout the whole New Year! December 2020

BRE is a PBIS School



PBIS stands for Positive Behavior Intervention Support. It is a program developed to address negative behavior and create a positive atmosphere where students' positive behaviors are rewarded.

BRE has implemented an evidence-based behavior program, called CHAMPS to support teachers with effective classroom management by educating students about appropriate behaviors and attitudes expected in the classroom, during special area times and in the cafeteria.

- C-** Conversations: Can students talk to each other?
- H-** Help: How do students get their questions answered?
- A-** Activity: What is the task or objective?
- M-** Movement: Can students move around?
- P-** Participation: How do students show they are fully participating?
- S-** Success: A student SOARs by following CHAMPS expectations!

Scholastic Book Fair

Do you want to improve your child's reading?
Do you need some great Christmas gifts for your child?

Come visit our school's book fair.
December 1st—8th.
Parent night is Dec. 1st from 3:00-6:00pm, BRE media center.

Dates to Remember

December

1st-8th
Book Fair

3rd
SAC Meeting, 7:30am Zoom Meeting. Please call the front office for the Zoom Link
Make-up / Holiday Pictures

4th
Mid-Term Reports

16th
Squadron HT-28 from Whiting Field
Santa Visit for BRE Students
(Due to COVID restrictions, this activity will be open to our BRE students, only)

18th
Early Release, 12:10pm

DEC 21-JAN 1
Christmas / Winter Break

IMPORTANT Information about Free/Reduced Meals

All students will receive free breakfast and lunch until the end of the year at BRE, thanks to SODEXO. Go to the link below to apply! Even though all students are receiving free breakfast and lunches, we need our families to still apply for free / reduce lunches. The more families who apply and are eligible, the more funding our school receives! This funding is used to provide after-school tutoring, provide additional employees for small group instruction, and/or supplemental materials to promote academic achievement. Please visit our school's website to apply for free / reduced meal application.

<https://www.myschoolapps.com/Application>

Parents who do not have a computer or internet, come to the school to apply! We have computers for parent use!

Face Coverings:

As part of SRCSB policies, face coverings are required while at school. Please remind your child to have their face coverings with them each day and wear them appropriately, covering their nose and mouth.

Please Wear a Face Mask Properly



Volunteer / Visitor Information

BRE loves our Volunteers

In order to volunteer at our school, you must complete the volunteer training and be approved by the Santa Rosa County School board (when COVID restrictions are lifted, those who have submitted an application and who are eligible for approval, may begin to volunteer in our school). For those who did not participate in the October 27 Title I Meeting/volunteer training, go to our school website and view the VOLUNTEER information, complete the application and submit to the school. You will be contacted when approved.

At this time, the school is not open to volunteers. We want to be prepared for when we are able to have volunteers in the building! Check out our website for procedures to become an approved volunteer!

**Bennett Russell Elementary
Website**

brelementary.weebly.com

Here you will find valuable resources and helpful information related to upcoming school dates, ideas of how to assist your child with learning, how to apply for free and reduced meals, how to become an approved volunteer, and other very important Title I information.