

September 2018

Upcoming Dates**October 4**

ESL Orientation

4-7 p.m. Library

October 5

Student Early Release

October 8

Holiday

No school

October 15

Parent Jumpstart

6:30-8:30 p.m.

Conroe High

October 17, 24, 31

Parenting Class

"Love & Logic"

8:30-11:30 a.m.

October 27

Trunk or Treat

Sam Houston Newsletter

September Happenings

We have had a Super September! With six weeks into the school year, students are doing a fantastic job of learning school routines and guidelines. We are off to a great start!

Thank you parents for ensuring your child gets to school on time, completes homework and reads a book for 20 minutes every night. A few highlights from our September Happenings, our Grandparents' Day lunch was a great success! Grandparents enjoyed having lunch, taking photos and being treated to piano played by our very own music teacher, Ms. Blanchard. The school also held it's Title 1 Parent Information Night and Open House. Parents learned about Title 1, State of the School, Turn Around Plan and also enjoyed visiting classrooms. As part of our district reading initiative, Read for a Better Life, students were treated to guest parent and community readers in the classroom.

Front Office Reminders

All visitors to Sam Houston must enter through the front office and show a valid picture ID every time that they visit. The front office staff will scan the ID and print a visitor's tag indicating the name, time, date, and destination within the building. To ensure the safety of our students, our front entrance automatically locks at a certain time in the morning. You are still welcome to come into our school, but may need to use the outside intercom to enter once instruction has started.

Parent Engagement Programs

We are excited to announce we have many new parent engagement programs planned this year. Ms. McFarland is our new Parent Engagement Liaison and will be providing programs based on campus and students needs as well as the programs that were requested on parent surveys at the end of the last school year. Be sure to check your child's Wednesday folder each week and monthly newsletter for notices on upcoming events. Some of the classes to be offered will include ESL, nutrition, computer, budgeting, parenting classes, just to name a few. If you have questions about any of the scheduled programs or would like to request information on a specific subject you may contact Ms. McFarland at 936-709-5183 or email at emcfarland@conroeisd.net.

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Lunch Times

Below are the lunch times for our students for the 2018-2019 school year.

Pre-Kindergarten	11:45-12:15
Kindergarten	11:00-11:30
First Grade	11:20-11:50
Second Grade	11:40-12:10
Third Grade	12:00-12:30
Fourth Grade	12:20-12:50

Teacher Conference Times

Below are the times when teachers are available for parent phone calls or to meet with parents. Please don't hesitate to contact your child's teacher if you should have a question or concern.

Pre-Kindergarten	11:15-12:05
Kindergarten	9:15-10:05
First Grade	10:10-11:00
Second Grade	8:20-9:10
Third Grade	1:10-2:00
Fourth Grade	2:10-3:00