



## February Newsletter

Dear PSP Families,

Our scholars are showing progress in the areas of reading and math!! It is not just the work of teachers and staff that play a role in that academic growth. It is also the support of you, our families, that has helped us make gains. I encourage you to continue to read with your scholars and ask them follow up questions to test their comprehension.

Scholars have recently completed Fountas and Pinnel reading assessments. This assessment offers us a snapshot of each student's reading level. Scholars who fall below grade level for specific skills are given additional support in the form of intervention. Fountas and Pinnel assessments are administered three times a year. This was our second assessment and the final will be administered in late spring.

Come see us in action! I strongly encourage each and every one of you to contact your scholar's teacher to observe and ask questions you may have regarding their progress. Closing the gap between home and school is essential to our success. Thank you for your continued support and generosity. I speak for the entire staff in saying we would not accomplish what we do without your help!

Lastly, please feel free to contact me should you need any assistance. My staff and I take pride in putting in the extra effort to get the job done. Our priority is to ensure that our scholars have the best learning experience possible.

GO PRIDE!!

Principal Crouch



Dear AppleTree@PSP Families,

Happy February!! Thank you so much to the parents who came to our Parent Teacher Conferences! We continue to assess and plan for each student's success. Please ensure that your child is at school before 8:30am everyday. We will continue to work together to ensure all students excel.

Students who need extra academic support will be placed on special support plans to assist them in meeting their end of year goal.

February 4th we will begin our Theme of Space and Astronomy: Blast off into Outer Space in Unit 7. Please ask your students about outer space when they get home!

If you have any questions or concerns about our Pre-K program please feel free to reach out at anytime.

Best,

Principal Melton



### SAVE THE DATES!

February

7 Open House @ 9am

18-22 Mid Winter Break II (No School)

13 - Coffee with Kindergarten @ 8am  
(For Appletree Families)

14 Open House @ 9am

28 Black History Month  
Celebration @2pm



Are you on our list serve? Do you follow us on Class Dojo? If DCPS closes due to inclement weather, Perry Street Prep will also close. We will send a robocall home to families and also update ClassDojo. If you haven't received a ROBO call from the school this year, be sure to let us know so we can add you.



## RE-ENROLLMENT

- Almost all families have completed online registration!!!**
- All families will need to complete residency docs in April.**
- If you have a friend who wants to apply the lottery deadline is March 1st.**

**CLASS DOJO** We will be using Classroom Dojo this year for every grade. Be sure to download the app!

### IMPORTANT NOTICE

#### Summer Programs Building Renovations

As you may start noticing in the spring, we are doing renovations to our main entryway. Due to the construction that will last all summer, Champions will not be running summer programs. Please plan accordingly as we will not be a location for summer camp.

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