



# Prattville Intermediate School

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## February 2018 Parent Newsletter



- As a Title I School, we are so fortunate to have a Parent-Resource Room!! This room is located in the main building next to the Assistant Principal's Office, Room 110. This Parent-Resource Room is loaded with games, books, study materials, and instructional materials for parent use. The room is open to parents daily.
- If someone other than a parent/guardian is checking a student out of school, a note is required explaining who will be checking out the child. If a student needs to be checked out in the afternoon, please do so before 2:30 p.m.

The topic for counseling classes this month with Mrs. Preyear is **Growth Mindset**. **Growth Mindset simply means to change the way you think from negative to positive.**

**Character Word for February is Honesty**—being truthful in what I say and do.

**Car-riders** cannot be dropped off until 7:15 a.m. After school, car-rider parents **MUST** have a sign in their window with the names of the children they are picking up. **Please keep the crosswalk clear of vehicles.** All students should be picked up by 3:30 p.m.

Dear Parents,

Can you believe February is already here?! Wow! What a great year it has been thus far at PIS! The students are completing Performance Series Testing, we had our annual Winter Dance, and now we are gearing up for a fantastic February. There are many upcoming events for February so be sure to check the Important Dates Section and our school website.

Our library's Cookie Dough Fundraiser will begin on February 4<sup>th</sup>, during a fundraiser kickoff assembly. PIS will be using the funds raised to purchase new books for our library. Thank you for your continued support.

All parents are invited to the Title I Resource Round-up on Tuesday, February 12<sup>th</sup> from 6-7:00pm. Teachers will provide valuable information regarding the Performance Series Test and strategies to help your child maximize his/her potential when taking the test. There will be teachers in each subject area and grade level to share some strategies that you can use with your child to help with his/her academic growth and success. We look forward to seeing you there!!

Parents thank you again for your continued support for Prattville Intermediate School. We couldn't do it without you!



### Congratulations January Winners!!!

#### Spirit Day Winners:

- \*Mrs. Ellis's Homeroom
- \*Mrs. McQueen's Homeroom

These students will enjoy a free break for showing great school spirit!

#### Marco's Pizza Winners:

- \*Mrs. Ellis's Homeroom
- \*Mrs. Wallace's Homeroom

These students enjoyed a free pizza party from Marco's Pizza!

#### Spelling Bee Winners:

The county spelling bee is February 6<sup>th</sup>, at 9:00 am. Our school winner and runner up (Jacey Hardiman and Jonathan Greer) are attending. Good luck to them both!!

Thank you parents for your continued support!

Thank you parents for all that you do to make Prattville Intermediate a success!

Go Cougars!

Dr. Hosea Addison, Principal  
Mrs. Susan Carter, Assistant Principal

### Important Dates to Remember!

- 02/01/2019: Spirit Day/ Free Friday
- 02/04/2019: Cookie Dough Fundraiser Kick-off
- 02/05/2019: Marco's Pizza Night
- 02/06/2019: Yearbook Sales end @9:00 am
- 02/08/2019: Frio's Friday (Bring \$3.00 for a frozen treat)
- 02/11/2019: APT Meeting in the Parent-Resource Room
- 02/13/2019: HOUSE Day
- 02/18/2019: Teacher In-Service Day (No School for Students)
- 02/20/2019: End of Cookie Dough Sales
- 02/21/2019: Spring Pictures
- 02/22/2019: Box Tops Deadline

### Nurse's Corner: Things to Know



- Parents, when your child turns 11, they should receive the Tdap shot. The State requires this mandatory shot to attend school. When your child turns 11, you must submit the updated blue shot record to the nurse immediately. If you have questions, please call the nurse.
- Scoliosis Screening will be held on March 7, 2019. Nurse Duprel will be sending out permission forms at the end of the month. Please look for these and return them as soon as possible. Only students that return the permission form will be screened.