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SCOTTIE SCOOP



Dave Teague Danielle Santman Bill Morphy Annie Keebler Nate Talbott hank you for your dedication and service to our students, schools and community

Erin's Law Lessons

If you have a Kindergartener through 3rd grader, please check your e-mail for an important letter regarding upcoming lessons. If you did not receive the e-mail, please follow this <u>LINK</u> to read the parent letter off of the Freeman Elementary School website.

Online Safety Hub

Please follow this <u>LINK</u> to go to our Online Safety Hub. This is a great resource for parents to understand the different apps that your children have or want to have, so you can make informative decisions about your child's online presence. See attached flyer for more information.

Counseling Corner with School Counselor Stacey Rawson srawson@freemansd.org



Respect for Differences: Teach your child to embrace diversity and respect differences in race, culture, and abilities. Expose them to books, movies, and activities that celebrate different cultures and perspectives. Engage in open conversations about the uniqueness of individuals and the value of diversity in our world. Encourage them to ask questions and learn about various backgrounds and traditions. Model respectful behavior by treating everyone with kindness and consideration, regardless of their differences. By fostering an inclusive mindset, you help your child become a more empathetic and accepting individual.

Questions about this or other ways to support your student socially or emotionally? Contact School Counselor Stacey Rawson.

Upcoming Dates

- JAN 13 Mat Dawgs Parent Mtg 6:30-7:30pm (K8 MPR) JAN 14 Musical Rehearsal 2:45-4:15pm (K8 MPR) JAN 15 FES PTSG Meeting JAN 16 Musical Rehearsal 2:45-4:15pm (K8 MPR) JAN 17 HS Basketball @Home 4:00pm
- JAN 24 HS Basketball @Home 4:00pm
- JAN 27 Board Mtg. 11:00am-1:00pm (PRTC)
- JAN 28 Pages w/Principal 3:00-4:00pm (FES Lrg. Conf.)

Spring Musical!

Great job to everyone that was brave enough to audition for the musical! Rehearsals will begin January 14th and will continue on Tuesdays and Thursdays after school until the Musical Performances. Please look out for the rehearsal schedule from Mrs. Thompson. Not all kids will need to be at every rehearsal. Thank you!



Freeman Mat Dawgs Wrestling

<u>What</u>:Parent Meeting <u>Where</u>:K-8 MPR (in between the elementary and middle school) <u>When</u>:Monday, January 13th 2024 @ 6:30-7:30 <u>Who</u>:Parents of children that are ages 5-14 that would enjoy wrestling! <u>Contact</u>: Ben Hawk, Jake Crow & <u>Mike Kegley</u> genaben11@yahoo.com

Scottie Gear!

Game-One website has Scottie Gear year around. Please follow this LINK.

Athletic Auction

The Freeman Athletic Auction is just around the corner. Please click on one of the 3 links below.

PURCHASE TICKETS

DONATE AN ITEM

MORE INFO.

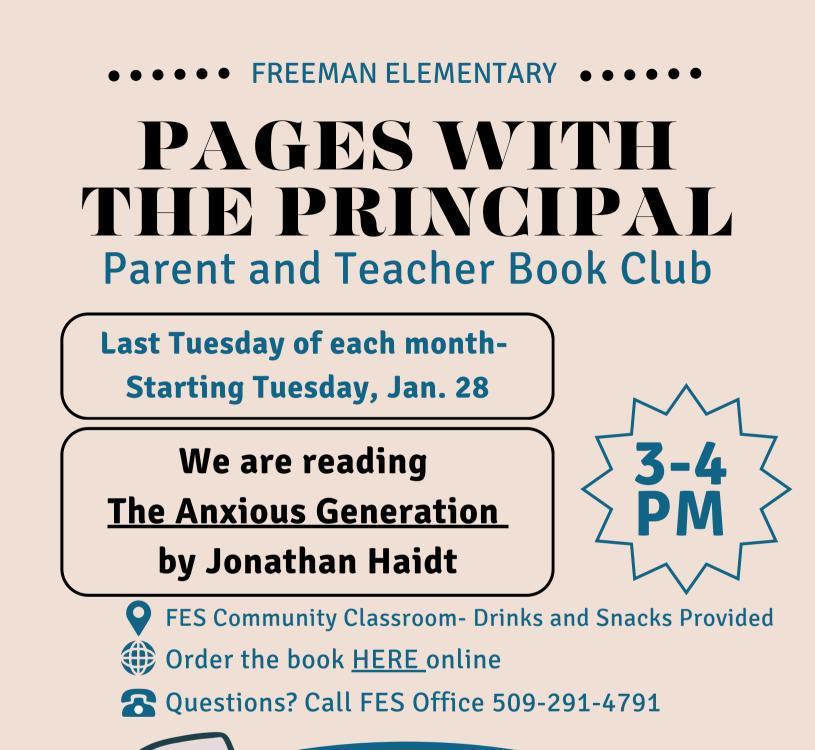


Additionally, if a student wants a second serving of breakfast or lunch, there needs to be funds on the students account to pay for the second meal/entrée. If you have questions about FSD-NS procedures, feel free to reach out to FSD-NS Director,

Kent Bevers: <u>kbevers@freemansd.org/509-291-7510</u>

*A la carte items are not offered at breakfast or lunch to elementary students, with the exception of milk.

Freeman School District does not discriminate in any programs or activities on the basis of sex, race, creed, religion, color, national origin, age, veteran or military status, sexual orientation, gender expression or identity, disability, or the use of a trained dog guide or service animal and provides equal access to the Boy Scouts and other designated youth groups. The following employee has been designated to handle questions and complaints of alleged discrimination: Civil Rights, Title IX, and Section 504 Compliance Coordinator: Randy Russell, <u>rrussell@freemansd.org</u>, (509) 291-3695, 15001 S Jackson Rd. Rockford, WA 99030 (Updated 2021)



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FSD TECHNOLOGY NEWS October,2024

Dear Parent / Guardian,

As part of our commitment to your child's online safety, we want to let you know about an important update. Freeman School District has partnered with Qustodio, the world's leading provider of online safety solutions.

As devices play an increasing role in children's education it is crucial that we put safeguards in place. Your child already benefits from internet filtering technology which blocks inappropriate web content on their school-owned Chromebook. This is also mandated by US legislation.

Freeman School District is going one step further. We are granting every parent a free Qustodio Parental App account. Qustodio will give you important insights into your child's online activity on their school Chromebook. You can use it to review and manage activities on other devices in your home too.

With Qustodio, you'll be able to:

- Manage your child's screen time
- Supervise your child's online activity
- Access expert advice via Freeman School Districts Online Safety Hub

Qustodio is a valuable partner that prioritizes privacy, safety and rights of students and parents worldwide.

Activate Your Free Account

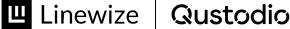
On the following page, you will find simple instructions to register your account. Please be sure to use the same email address we have on file for you when registering to connect to your child's device.

We are excited to work with you and Qustodio to help our students develop healthy and safe online habits. Please visit **Freeman School District's Online Safety Hub** for more information about Qustodio, access to expert advice and additional resources.

Freeman does not provide support for Qustodio; instead, Qustodio offers support for their own product. Please email inquiries to: myschool@qustodio.com

Freeman School District Information Technology





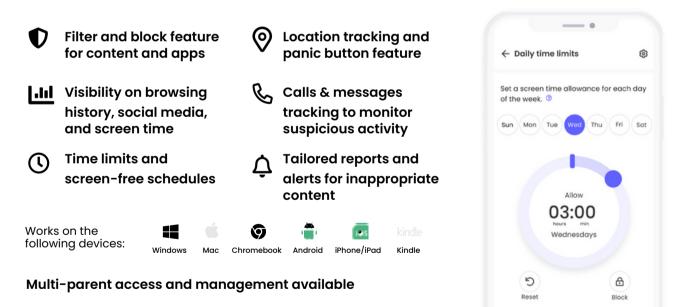
App for Parents & Families

Technology makes a direct impact on children, their families, and their learning environment. For children to learn and grow as digital citizens in our increasingly connected world, we must first lay out the foundations of online safety, digital literacy, and wellbeing.

Through our school district's partnership with Linewize, our online safety and wellbeing provider, we are able to extend visibility and safeguarding controls on to parents and guardians.



Parents and guardians can also extend protection to personal devices with family-focused digital wellbeing features that adapt to different needs as their child grows:



Qustodio is COPPA compliant and does not share personal data with third parties.



How to get started

1. Scan the QR code or visit qustodio.com/my-school

2. Create your account using the email address your school has on file

3. Get real-time visibility