

# Blackwater Community School

## BIG NEWS

(Ge'e - Haichuagith)



Kwi l'ivakidak/Kwi Hiosik Mashath March 25th-April 4th

Parents/Guardians,

We have entered the last Quarter of the 2024/2025 School Year. End of the year events are in the making. Please review Upcoming Events and Reminders to be "in-the-know". Thank you to all BWCS Families for showing your continuous support in your child's education!

### UPCOMING EVENTS

#### **"Picnic at the Park" Character Incentive**

Thurs. March 27: K-2nd Grade  
Fri. March 28: 3rd-5th Grade

#### **Quarter 3 Awards Assembly**

Friday March 28th at 1:30pm  
in the school gym.

#### **Easter Break (No School)**

Fri. April 18th-Mon. April 21st  
Students return Tues. April 22nd

#### **BIE/State Testing**

3rd-5th Grade  
Wed. April 9th  
April 15th-17th

Please make sure your students are  
present and on time.

### REMINDERS

Morning Student Drop Off  
**No Earlier than 7:30am**

Students arriving after 8:00am  
**must be signed in by an adult.**

Bus changes must be called  
in by 10:00am.

**Early Release at 1pm**  
on Wednesdays

Last Day of School  
Thurs. May 22, 2025

"Be kind whenever possible.  
It is always possible"

-Dalai Lama

March 25, 2025

Dear Blackwater Parents and Guardians,

We hope you all enjoyed your Spring Break! It was a very busy time here at school. We hosted our annual intersession and 75 kids attended.

There has been a decrease in student absences and tardies!! We want to thank you all for your efforts. We understand the hustle and bustle in the morning to get the kids here and on time. Attendance truly makes a difference in every child's education.

We cannot teach them if they are not here.

Thank you so much for your participation and support during Parent Teacher Conferences! We value the time you devoted to come and learn about your child's strengths and weaknesses. As you know, parents are the first teachers and it takes a village to raise a child. Working together we send a strong message to the kids that we ALL care about their education and future.

April is right around the corner. April is the time to shine for our 3<sup>rd</sup> through 5<sup>th</sup> grade students. They will be taking the BIE Standards Assessment to show how hard they have worked and how much they have learned this year. Testing begins Wednesday, April 9. Fifth grade students will take the Science test. All students in 3<sup>rd</sup> through 5<sup>th</sup> will be assessed in ELA and Math, April 15, 16 and 17. All students are mandated to take these assessments. Please make sure your child is present EVERY day and try not to make any appointments on these testing dates.

Cheers,

**Misty Lopez**

Assistant Principal

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