



Fishback Creek Public Academy
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Mission Statement: The Metropolitan School District of Pike Township cultivates a diverse, innovative learning environment by opening doors of opportunity for students to achieve their maximum potential.

Principal's Message

Greetings Fishback Families,

During the month of November, our staff and scholars focused on gratitude and reflected on the many things for which we are grateful. This included honoring our veterans and acknowledging our appreciation for their service. Our staff has also received some well-deserved surprises, thanks to our PTO. Throughout the month of November, the administrative team cheerfully delivered treats to classroom teachers and support staff to show our appreciation for all they do. Pivoting instructional and teaching practices to meet the ever-changing needs of our scholars during these challenging times has not been an easy task; however, our staff continues to rise to the occasion. They are committed to ensuring that our scholars are learning each day. For this, we are extremely grateful. Additionally, our parents have been very supportive and gracious. Understanding that you have also been met with some pitfalls and challenges with educating scholars during a pandemic, we are extremely grateful to you for your patience and flexibility. Thus, FCPA has a lot for which to be grateful. I would like to wish each of you a wonderful Thanksgiving Holiday. Be safe, and be healthy.

Yours in education,
Mrs. Lisa Steele

Calendar of Events

Virtual Learning – Nov. 23rd – Jan. 15th 2021
FCPA Los Rancheros Spirit Night – 12/11
MLK Day – Jan. 18th No School

Important Information

Due to COVID-19 We are serving families and visitors by appointment only to follow social distancing. To make an appointment or get information please call 317-347-5500 Monday – Friday between 8:00 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. **Only one family member may attend the appointment. Masks are required inside the school building.**

Tardiness: If your child arrives to school after 9:10 a.m., they are considered tardy. You must drop your student off at the Front Office for a Tardy Pass.

Lunch Time: Due to COVID-19 we are no longer allowing guest during Lunch Time.

Transportation Changes: If you need to request a transportation change for your child, please write a note or fill out the Transportation Request Form on our website and send it to school with your child to turn in. **EMERGENCY CHANGES:** If you have a change during school hours, please email your child's teacher or fax the school office before 12:00 p.m. and call to verify that your message was received. **(Changes must be made before 12noon).**

Early Pick Up: Due to COVID-19, when you arrive to the school to pick your child up early please stay in your car, call the office 317-347-5500 and let the office staff know you are here to pick your child up early. Further instructions will be given.

November Birthdays

India Eaton	Malia Harris	Mara Rubenstein
Karley Bonne-Annee	Amiya Perkins	Favor Mbelu
Sire Dixon	Addison Turner	Erin Officer
Maya Samoris	Jaden Young	David Harris
Claire Cooper	Journee Campbell	Irene Ajango
Gabriel Bennett	Jonathan Reyes-Zayas	Zola Goodwin
HasaniRa Johnson	Ibrahim Conteh	Isaiah Lynch
Richard Omotunde	Sincere Brewer	Autumn Smith
Lazarus Blanton	Ousseynou Diedhiou	Edison Armbruster
Zaniyah Combs	Zoe Polizotto	John Speed
Crystal Wu	Kyla Demmings	Ziarya King
Jaxon Daniel	Amauri Butcher	

PTO Information

Next PTO Meeting: December 9, 2020 via Zoom
Meeting ID: 879 4748 9714
Passcode: FCPAPTO



7125 Georgetown RD, Indianapolis, IN 46268

Join us at Los Rancheros on 12/11/20 from 5pm-10PM for a Spirit Night Fundraiser. 15% of all dine in and Carryout orders *who mention Fishback* will go to our school and our teachers. So skip cooking and join together for some great food and smiles.



Don't forget to ensure your Kroger and Amazon Smile account go Fishback Public Academy!

Fishback C.R.E.W. Initiative

Join our C.R.E.W., F.C.P.A.!!!

As we travel from Indianapolis, In (USA) to Montevideo, Uruguay. 5,500 miles



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TO C.R.E.W. - Champions of Recreation, Exercise and Wellness Equals

F.C.P.A. - Fitness, Conditioning, Performance and Activity

C.R.E.W. is a district-wide initiative engaging all Pike Township stakeholders to commit to self-care, wellbeing, eating nutritional meals and 20 minutes of physical activity per day at least 5 days a week. F.C.P.A. has a goal to complete the square mileage of Uruguay for a total of 67,576 miles. Help us reach our goal! We are challenging each grade level K-5 th along with their families to pledge to walk 11,000 miles (Round trip, Indy to Montevideo, Uruguay) this school year to reach our goal. We can do it with your support!!! Please fill out your families [C.R.E.W Pledge Card \(click here\)](#) and we will get this journey started. You can also convert any activity into walking miles by using the [Activity Conversion Chart \(click here\)](#) and add it to your pledge. Please submit your pledge today! We also look forward to learning more about Uruguay during this journey of physical fitness and family fun. We appreciate your support!

News from Loving Care



The Pike Township Loving Care program has limited openings available at Fishback Creek for before and after school care. Participants must wear a face mask. To inquire about enrolling your child, please call 317-388-7840.