Yates Elementary School
“The Eaglet Eye”

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A Hillsborough County Public School

We Need Your Help!

A successful school day begins when students are on time ready to learn. Our gates open at 7:10 each morning and close at 7:40 when the bell rings. **Students need to be in their seats at 7:40.** When planning your morning, it is best to arrive at school no later than 7:35 to give your child time to get to class. When students are late, they are missing out on instructional time. Help us help your child be successful by getting them here on time each day!

Join us for our 1st SAC meeting of the year!
August 29th at 6:00 p.m. via TEAMS
If you have any questions, or need the link to attend, please message our SAC Chair Mrs. Thomas at katie.thomas@hcps.net

School Pictures

School pictures have been scheduled for **Thursday, September 7.** This picture will be used for the 2023-24 student yearbook. Envelopes are being sent home today.

**ALL PICTURES MUST BE PREPAID.** Checks should be made payable to “Strawbridge”. All students will have their picture taken for school records.

**Pictures are a school fundraiser.**
This is a great opportunity to support your school.

Cell Phone Policy

Please help our students focus on their learning.

Cell phones are not to be on or used during school hours. Cell phones should be left out of sight.

Por favor venga a la oficina principal de la escuela si usted necesita asistencia en entender la informacion contenida en esta comunicacion o si usted necesita asistencia con cualquiera otras comunicaciones de la escuela.
Child Not Feeling Well?

If you child is not feeling well, please keep them at home and call the attendance line. That number is (813) 744-8177 ext. 1.
If your child contracts COVID, please follow the CDC guidelines regarding quarantine. The following websites are valuable resources of information for our school community: https://www.cdc.gov/ and http://hillsborough.floridahealth.gov/
Let’s work together to provide a healthy learning environment for all students and staff.

Literati Book Fair is Coming Soon...

Our Literati Book Fair is a reading event that brings the books kids want to read right into our school. Gift Cards for Students & Teachers can be found on the online Book Fair listed below. Gift Cards CODES can be purchased online, preventing your child from having to bring cash to school.

If you are unable to attend the Book Fair in person, we invite you to visit our online Book Fair at Literati Book Fairs
Our Online Fair is available from September 4th - September 8th.

Interest in volunteering? Please fill out the SERVE volunteer application at www.hillsboroughschools.org/volunteer
This online application must be completed a week in advance before you can volunteer.
Please email our Library Media Specialist, Joyanne Herdman, Joyanne.herdman@hcps.net for more information about volunteering in the Library Media Center & Book Fair!

We look forward to seeing you and your family at our Literati Book Fair! Remember, all purchases help benefit our school library media center and your child’s love of reading.
The Book Fair has a wonderful selection of engaging and affordable books for every reader. Please make plans to visit our Book Fair and be involved in shaping your child’s reading habits.

Student Shopping During Class: September 5th-8th
Family Shopping Hours: W-6th & Th-7th @1:30-3:30pm

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Fall Fast Progress Monitoring 1 Assessment

Your child will be taking the Fall FAST Progress Monitoring 1 assessment in Reading and Math in the coming weeks. Results will be available soon after their test is completed.

To help prepare your child for these tests, make sure they get a good night’s sleep, eat breakfast, and are reminded not to rush.

Contact your child’s teacher if you have any questions.