Sulphur Springs PK-8 Parents and Families,

Welcome to the 2023-2024 school year here at the Land of the Tigers! I hope you all had a wonderful summer. I also hope you are relaxed, recharged, and ready to start a new school year. We are very excited to bring all the students back to our amazing school! Our 2023-2024 theme is #Level Up in the Land of the Tigers! We have a lot to celebrate due to the hard work of our students, parents, and staff!

Sulphur Springs has accomplished some amazing things this past year:

- 2023 FAST end of year “proficiency” improved from 13% to 24% in Reading.
- 2023 FAST end of year “proficiency” improved from 20% to 30% in Mathematics.
- Celebrated students for their accomplishments on FSA to travel to Camp Cristina.
- Avid middle school students travelled to Washington D.C. over spring break.
- YMCA Partnership hired a Community Health Director to support our families with wellness.
- YMCA Partnership held quarterly flea markets to support.
- Distributed countless resources in the form of food, backpacks, and other school supplies.
- Hosted a YMCA American Associated Accredited summer camp.

There are a few important dates and items to remember...

1. SSPK8 Community School remains a uniform school for the 2023-2024
   - Tops (orange, white or black)
   - Bottoms (khaki, navy and blue jeans)

2. Students following school behavior expectations; to include the use of cell phones during school hours.

3. Attending school regularly

4. Reading is fundamental (20 min of at-home reading daily)

Open House 2023- Tuesday, August 8th, 2023, from 4:00-6:00
Families will enter campus via side gates, get their HR number, and proceed to HR class for schedules.

In closing, our faculty and staff look forward to welcoming you to the 2023-2024 school year in the Land of the Tigers where we #Level Up!

Sincerely,

Marc Gaillard
Principal

August 10, 2023