

WEEK OF AUGUST 1ST

SPARK FAMILY NEWSLETTER



Calendar

July 31st - 8:30am - New Parent Welcome - SPARK Cafeteria

July 31st - 9am to 11am - SPARK Open House

August 1st - First day of school! Be sure to arrive before 7:45am. Dismissal begins at 2:45pm.

August 24th - SPARK Curriculum Night - 5:30pm to 7pm - Join us to learn more about the instructional day at SPARK!

August 28th - Fall MAP Testing begins.



To-Do

- PikMyKid will be slowly rolled out during the month of August. Please fill out the form to help us get ready for full implementation! We will be utilizing our previous dismissal procedure during the first month of school while we fine tune PikMyKid to be ready to use after Labor Day. Please help us get ready by filling out the PikMyKid information form found here: [SPARK PikMyKid Dismissal Information](#)
- Your child will get a bag tag at Open House. Make sure this is accurately filled out with your child's daily transportation and contact information and attach it to their backpack.
- Make sure you have a carpool number and it is displayed each day on your dash.



PTO News

Interested in joining PTO?

[Find more information here.](#)



Announcements

Following SPARK on social media is a great way to stay connected and get a window into what is happening at SPARK!

FaceBook: [SPARK Parent Group \(2023+\)](#)

Twitter: [@APS_SPARK](#)

Instagram: [springdaleparkatf](#)

[APS Bus Routes](#)

Open House School Supply Drop-Off: Label your school supplies with your child's name, grade level and teacher and drop them off with Mr. Carter at the top of the ramp before making your way to the cafeteria courtyard! We will deliver the school supplies to your child's teacher after Open House.

PRINCIPAL'S CORNER



SPRINGDALE PARK ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

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Welcome to the 23-24 School Year!

I hope that you are as excited as I am about the first week of school! I am sure that I won't be sleeping at all until I get to see ALL of our students this week. I wanted to take this opportunity to thank our wonderful staff and volunteers for getting the school Day One ready! It looks amazing and we couldn't have done it without you! We have been working diligently this summer to make sure that our Dragons have the best resources, facilities, and educational experiences possible. We are determined to make this academic year one that your children will cherish for a lifetime! Thank you for entrusting us with the education and well-being of your children. It is a responsibility that I do not take lightly. Together, we will make this year one of joy, inspiration, and success. Wishing you a warm welcome to the 2023-2024 school year at SPARK!

SPAS Aftercare at SPARK

Parents, please register your child for SPAS aftercare, even as a drop in student. All students not picked up by 3:05 pm will be placed in the after school program with SPAS and a fee will be assessed.

<https://myafterschoolprogram.ce.elevo.com/child-care/5/spark-after-school/site/20/springdale-park-elementary-school>

Transportation Changes

Please email all transportation changes to your child's teacher and springdaletransportc@apsk12.org by 1:00 pm that day. We want to make sure that your student is getting home the correct way.

Sincerely,
Dr. Jennifer Toney