

Week of January 27th

SPARK FAMILY NEWSLETTER



February 3-7: School Counselors' Week

February 10-14: Acts of Kindness Week

February 13: Sneaker Ball 5pm - SPARK Gymnasium

February 14: Valentine's Day

February 17: Pre-K Lottery Opens

February 17-21: Winter Break - No School

February 27: Principal's Coffee Talk



Events

SPARK Flower Guild! Come help plant some trees around the SPARK Campus on Saturday, February 1, from 8:45 am-12 pm. Trees Atlanta and the SPARK Flower Guild will be providing everything we need to make our campus gorgeous! Meet at the bus loop on the Briarcliff side. Sign up below so we know how many folks to expect.

Pre-K Lottery Application Window: The Pre-K lottery application for the 2025-2026 school year will **tentatively** be available from **February 17, 2025, at 9:00 a.m. through March 10, 2025, at 11:59 p.m.** The lottery drawing will take place on **March 24, 2025.** Once verified, all applicants will be notified of the results via email and can view them on their parent dashboard within the enrollment system. [PreK Lottery Information](#)

Kids Heart Challenge: The **Kids Heart Challenge** kicks off at SPARK on **January 31, 2025,** and runs through **March 7, 2025!** Join us as we promote heart health, learn life-saving skills like Hands-Only CPR, and raise funds for the American Heart Association.

Sign up today by downloading the **AHA Schools app** or visiting heart.org/schools. Complete **Finn's Mission** with your family to discover the warning signs of a stroke and how to keep your heart healthy. Let's make a difference together!



Announcements:

NEW! Please complete the [Georgia School Climate Survey!](#) This survey measures what guardians think about SPARK and the data is used as part of our College Career Readiness Performance Indicator (CCRPI) score. Our CCRPI score is a tool used to shape the perspective of our community.

Fresh Harvest Fundraiser-[Read more about it here.](#)

SAVE the DATE for Kindergarten Round-Up 2025! Monday, March 17th at 8:30am!

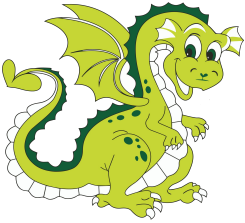
[STEAM Newsletter:](#) Please read out Quarter 2 STEAM Newsletter.

Principal's Corner



SPRINGDALE PARK ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

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SPARK Family,

First, we want to extend our heartfelt thanks for your flexibility and understanding during the recent snow and ice. Your support and adaptability helped us navigate these challenges smoothly, and we truly appreciate it.

Additionally, thank you for attending the GMAS Meeting and STEAM Night! It was wonderful to see so many of you engaged and participating in these important events. Your involvement makes a significant difference in our school community.

Believe it or not, we are already planning for the next school year! Here are some important dates to keep in mind:

[Pre-K Lottery Window](#): February 17 - March 10

[Online Kindergarten Registration](#): March 10 - 12 - Please complete registration online during this window.

SPARK Kindergarten Round-Up Event: March 17 at 8:30 AM

[Parent Placement Input Form for 2025-2026 School Year](#) - Please complete by Friday, March 28th.

Please help us spread the word by sharing this information with friends, neighbors, and community members who may not currently have a child enrolled at SPARK. We want to make sure we reach all of our future SPARK Dragons and provide them with the opportunity to join our amazing school community.

Thank you for your continued support and involvement. Together, we make SPARK a truly special place for our students!

Love y'all, mean it! ❤️🐉❤️

With Love,

Dr. Jennifer Toney