

# Southland Elementary – Parent Link



12/13/2018



**\*\*\*REMINDER:** If your child has a fever, gotten sick, etc., **PLEASE** make sure that they are symptom free, without medication, for **24 HOURS** before they come back to school. Remind your child the importance of hand washing this time of year. \*\*\*

**Secure Door:** Please remember to use the South (Bus) door to enter during school hours.

East front door (#1-with steps); South door (Bus) will be open to enter between the times listed.

**7:30-8:15 and 3:00-3:30 (Left door)**

Please stop in the office to sign-in and get a visitor badge once you are buzzed in.

**Absent:** If your child has to be gone from school, please contact the office by phone at 437-3214, send in a note or e-mail. Please make sure to supply a follow up note for appointments.

**Birthday Celebrations:** Please remember send healthy snacks, prizes, games or activities to celebrate the special day. This is a change from previous years due to USDA guidelines and District's Wellness Program. Also, we ask that you do not send invitations for parties to school for various reasons.

**Winter Clothing:** Please make sure to label items (Hats, gloves, snow pants, boots, and jackets) in the event they get misplaced.



**Santa's Workshop:** PTO is sponsoring Santa's workshop again this year. We continue to need donations until tomorrow. Things they are looking for are decorative items, toys, books, jewelry, etc (not clothing). Please make sure items are in good condition. You can bring your donation to the office and the PTO will take over from there. Students shopping for items will be December 17<sup>th</sup>-20<sup>th</sup>. Thank you for the donations!

**No School-Winter Break:** Monday, December 24<sup>th</sup> –Tuesday January 1<sup>st</sup>.

**PTO Meeting:** The next PTO meeting will be January 9<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 in the teacher's lounge at the elementary.

**Twitter:** Southland has two twitter accounts for quick and fun happenings around the buildings/district. Snap shots of the days and weeks for students and staff. Announcements and emergencies will still come on portal pushes and the district website. Elementary handle is <https://twitter.com/BrianSchoen4> Middle and High School handle is <https://twitter.com/southlandmshs>. If you don't have twitter; no problem, the district webpage has direct links through the internet.

**Notification of Inclement Weather:** In the event of any closing, late start, or early out, Emergency Messenger via Infinite Campus will be the main district communication method, please contact the office if you have any questions about how this works. Television stations are contacted as soon as the decision is made. In addition, several local radio stations are contacted and requested to put the updates on the air as well.

