

May 24, 2018

Dear Titan Parents,

Tomorrow starts our Semester Exam schedule (7th period exam starts at 2:10), and this is a quick note to remind parents about exams and the expectations that accompany the final days of the school year.

Starting tomorrow, Friday, May 25th, and for the remainder of the year, students will not be able to access their lockers, and should bring minimal supplies with them. Therefore, no backpacks, string bags, or large bags/purses will be allowed at school starting tomorrow. Students may only bring:

Students May Bring:	Students May NOT Bring:
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Pencils/Pens• Test Review Material• A Book to Read• Band/Orchestra Instrument• Lunch From Home (if not getting lunch in the cafeteria Friday, Tuesday, or Wednesday, or ordering a sack lunch for Thursday)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Blankets• Pillows• Stuffed Animals• Toys• Pajamas, house slippers, slides, etc.• Bags, backpacks, string bags, large purses (small, clutch size purses or similar are okay for girls)• Anything out of dress code
Dress Code	
This is a reminder that the FBISD dress code remains in full effect. There have been no specially-designated days for “themes”, etc., for the last four days of school. The overwhelming majority of students have been excellent about dress code throughout the year, which we appreciate, and we want this to continue through the end of the year.	

Please note that bags, backpacks, large purses, etc., brought to school starting tomorrow, Friday, May 25th, will be collected at the entrances as students arrive, and they will be returned to students at the end of the day. Please help us minimize any inconvenience by ensuring that students do not bring bags to school to begin with.

Students are also reminded to stay off of other FBISD property after we dismiss on early dismissal days. Elementary campuses will still be in session until their regular dismissal time.

I would also like to give a huge “shout-out” to our sixth grade students who participated in a “Penny Drop” fundraiser for the Houston SPCA. Pennies at a time, our sixth grade students raised \$480 for this cause. Even better news is that the SPCA will be able to match the donation with another donor, meaning their efforts will effectively be doubled! Thank you, sixth grade students and teachers, for being **compassionate citizens** and **servant leaders**, two attributes of the **FBISD Profile of a Graduate!**

Last, I would also like to share that starting this morning and through the end of the school year, a uniformed Sugar Land police officer will be present at the main entrance to campus. This police officer will be in addition to our current FBISD police officer, Officer Sammy Smith. The district has provided this extra police officer to campuses like ours which have yet to have a security vestibule installed at their main entrance. Our vestibule is scheduled to be installed this summer. SLMS staff continue to actively monitor our entrances and exits, as well as student movement within the building. We are committed to providing a safe place to work and learn.

I anticipate a great end to the school year. For more details about the end of the year, summer reading lists, and much more, including semester exam schedules, information about our summer construction, make-up exams, and more, please visit our website at www.fortbendisd.com/slms.

Sincerely,

Keith Fickel, Principal

Sugar Land Middle School