



Your monthly guide to school news, information and events.



# DRAGON NEWS

**JANUARY | 2021**

**A message from our principal**



**Ardenwood teaches the 8 Great Traits!**

**IMPORTANT DATES**

**January 11**

Priority Enrollment begins

**January 18**

Martin Luther King Jr. Day  
NO SCHOOL

**January 19**

SSC & ELAC Meeting  
@6:30pm

**January 21**

PTA Event: Nutrition Night  
@6:00pm

**January 22**

Progress Reports go out



**Regular School Hours**

AM K: 8:10am-11:30am  
 PM K/TK: 11:40am-3:00pm  
 Grades 1-3: 8:20am-2:50pm  
 Grades 4-6: 8:20am-3:00pm

**Minimum Day Hours**

AM/PM K/TK: 8:10am-11:30am  
 Grades 1-3: 8:20am-1:10pm  
 Grades 4-6: 8:20am-1:20pm

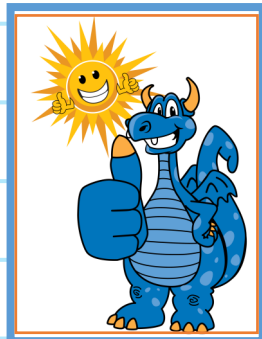
Hello Dragons,  
 As we enter into 2021, all FUSD students will continue to receive instruction through distance learning. Please be sure to review the information shared at our FUSD School Board Meetings for the latest updates.

The beginning of the year is a great time to set goals, or rededicate oneself to a particular challenge. In reviewing our school's engagement data, I see that a number of our students are not attempting, completing, or simply turning in their asynchronous assignments. This is especially the case in our specialist classrooms (PE, Science, Music, Computer Lab). Please encourage your child to rededicate their attention to not only their live lessons with their general classroom teacher, but to also routinely visit their various specialists' Google Classrooms to ensure asynchronous work is being both completed and turned in.

With Appreciation,

January's character trait of the month is...

**Planning & Decision Making**




**Attendance Matters**  
 Every student. Every day.

If your student will not be attending their mandatory online classes, please contact the school's absence line at **(510) 794-0392**, then press **7**. Or email [ardenwoodoffice@fusdk12.net](mailto:ardenwoodoffice@fusdk12.net). Please be sure to provide the following:

- 1) Student's Full Name
- 2) Classroom Number
- 3) Reason for Absence
- 4) Your name & relationship with the student





## Dragon Readers Going the Distance Part II



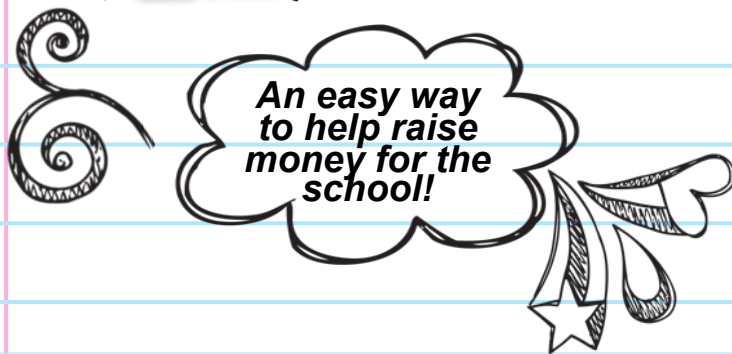
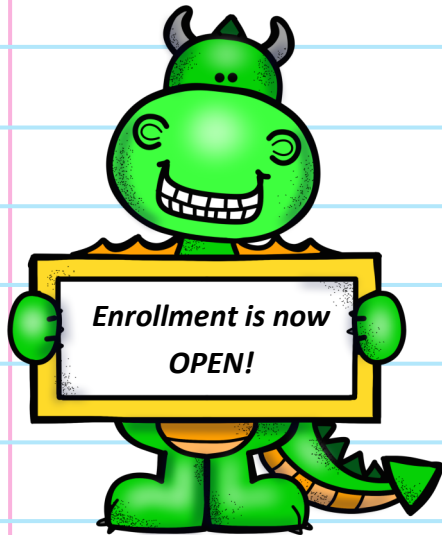
**Don't forget to log  
your minutes  
every week!**

**Dragon Readers  
2020-2021 Weekly  
Reading Log**

*See where our staff found Ardie this time...*

### PTA Announcements and Message

Happy New Year everyone! We are pleased with all the good deeds that so many of our Dragons did throughout the month of December. We were able to collect enough items to make 116 snack bags to hand off to Abode Services and handed off many letters to Life ElderCare to help bring some cheer to their residents during this past holiday season. This month we are pleased to announce a nutrition night put on by Bay Area Community Health on Thursday, January 21 at 6pm. RSVP [here](#) to attend. We are also holding an emergency PTA Association meeting to discuss FCPTA's advocacy committee's statement on SROs in school. This meeting will be Tuesday, January 19 at 7pm. To read the statement and/or RSVP to attend, please click [here](#). Finally, a heads up that our next regular association meeting will be Tuesday, February 1. Fremont Youth and Family Services will be presenting on resources available to families during the pandemic. We will also be recognizing some of our special members who have contributed in extraordinary ways during this school year. RSVP to attend [here](#). To nominate someone you think has done an outstanding job



- **TK and Kindergarten registration** will begin on January 11, 2021. If you currently have a child attending Ardenwood in grades K-5, your incoming student qualifies for priority registration. It is very important to register during this time as every year we overload kindergarten students to other schools because we are at capacity.
- **Enrollment for TK, Kindergarten and Sibling Priority (grades TK-5th)** will begin on January 11, 2021 and end on March 12, 2021. [Applications](#) must be submitted online on or before March 12, 11:59 PM to be included in priority placement or lottery for kindergarten students. Be advised that you must be a current Fremont resident (minimum of one overnight) in the FUSD boundaries and provide proof of residency prior to enrollment approval. To determine your home school site, please use our [School Site Locator](#). All other TK-6th grade enrollments will begin April 1, 2021. Please refer to the Fremont Unified School District website ([www.fremont.k12.ca.us](http://www.fremont.k12.ca.us)) under Enrollment for more information and instructions. For further information, please visit: [2021-2022 Enrollment and Registration](#).
- **Moving?** If you have moved, FUSD School Board Policy states the family must inform the school within 5 days of your moving date and complete the required process for the new address. Please email our Secretary, Carla Leon at [cleon@fusdk12.net](mailto:cleon@fusdk12.net)

**HOW CAN WE HELP?**  
*Even though our school site and office are physically closed, our office staff can be reached easily via email. If you have any questions, please email our Secretary, Carla Leon at [cleon@fusdk12.net](mailto:cleon@fusdk12.net)*



## Ways to Donate

- ⇒ Donate in your child's class using [My School Bucks!](#)
- ⇒ Join Ardenwood's PTA! [Register now](#) and receive the latest school events happening!
- ⇒ **Corporate Matching Opportunities:**
  - ⇒ Your gift today can go even further in helping our students succeed. Many employers will match donations thru [Benevity](#) and [YourCause](#). If you work for Google, Microsoft, VISA, Dell, Nvidia, and many other Fortune 500 companies, chances are they will double your generosity.

