

# BROOKVALE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

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*Be sure to check out our school website at: <https://brookvale-fusd-ca.schoolloop.com/>*



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## PARENT NEWSLETTER

February 9, 2023

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### PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE:

Hello Brookvale Families,

Happy Lunar New Year to all who celebrate. Here is my wish for good fortune and prosperity in the year of the Rabbit! February is also a month of celebrations: Black History, Valentines Day, and Presidents Day. While we have just recently passed the halfway point of our 2022-2023 school year, it is already time to start planning for next year. Thank you to our families who are promptly returning their residency verification forms. Please visit our website and check your emails frequently as this is the easiest way to stay informed about plans for next school year.

Brookvale students are busy wrapping up their science and engineering projects, which are due to their teachers on Friday, February 17th. All projects will be displayed in the MUR on Friday, February 24th from 3:00 - 3:45 p.m.. Please stop by and view the projects. Projects may go home with students at the end of this event. We look forward to seeing some amazing student work!

Thank you for supporting our boys and girls basketball teams. It has been fun to have sports back at Brookvale. The next two Wednesdays will be home games with the season ending game on February 22nd. I would like to thank our Basketball coaches, Brandy Singleton, and Juiling Wang for working with our students to learn and have the opportunity to play the game against other schools in our attendance area. The

students are enjoying the game and learning a great deal. Unfortunately, we were unable to secure a boys soccer coach so we'll have to wait until next year to bring soccer to Brookvale.

Thornton JHS is hosting an education fair on March 1st. The Ed Faire is only for students who are currently in 6th & 7th grade and enrolling in 7th or 8th grade for the 2023/2024 school year. Check your emails for the flier that was sent via BrightArrow on February 8th with specific information regarding the schedule of events.

We look forward to a busy and exciting next few months. Bronco families—please continue to remind your students to be B.R.A.V.E.—Be Kind, Respectful, Accountable, Value Integrity, and Everyone is safe.

In partnership,  
Malinda Elliott



**Spirit Days to Support our Bronco Basketball Teams**  
**Wear your Bronco gear on the following Wednesdays**  
**and come out to support our Boys and Girls Teams:**  
**3:00 – 5:00 p.m.**

**2/15—Brookvale vs Forest Park @ Brookvale (HOME)**  
**2/22—Brookvale vs Oliveira @ Brookvale (HOME)**



**FALL 2023 – 2024 CONTINUING STUDENT ENROLLMENT—FORM/PROOF OF RESIDENCY DUE 2/24/2023!**

Please return your child’s “FALL 2023-2024 Reservation/Registration Form” to Brookvale soon. The form serves 2 purposes: it reserves a spot for your child next year at Brookvale\* and also fulfills the District’s mandated annual residency verification via USPS. *Please don’t mistake the letter for junk mail and toss it out!*

- *\*For students who will be moving on to junior high next year, Brookvale will collect the form and proofs and communicate with Thornton to confirm a space will be reserved for next year.*
- *\*The form must be returned to the school that your student currently is attending; if you have a student overloaded to another elementary school, please return it there. TK students attending Brookvale with a different Home School will return it to Brookvale.*

To view the “Continuing Student Timeline” please visit the FUSD 2023-2024 Enrollment webpage: <https://fusd-ca.schoolloop.com/enroll2023>



**6<sup>TH</sup> GRADE UPDATES**

**TO DO LIST for 7<sup>th</sup> Grade at Thornton:**

- Please ensure you have turned in your *Residency/Reservation form for Continuing Students for the 2023-2024 School Year* to the Brookvale School Office before the due date of **February 24, 2023**
- If you have moved and cannot provide residency proof that matches your address on file in our student system, please contact our school secretary or visit the FUSD website and click on enrollment to complete a CHANGE OF RESIDENCY now:

[Change of Address Form](#)

- 7<sup>th</sup> Grade Advancement Immunization Requirements: 1) Tdap (Whooping Cough) received after 7<sup>th</sup> birthday; 2<sup>nd</sup> Varicella (Chicken Pox). Please bring your child’s proof of immunizations to Brookvale by **May 26, 2023** or schedule an appointment for your child to receive the required immunization(s), if you have not already done so. After this date, you will be required to wait until Thornton reopens in August 2023 to provide proof. Your student may not attend in-person learning or activities if non-compliant

**THORNTON 7<sup>th</sup> GRADE REGISTRATION TIMELINE for Brookvale 6<sup>th</sup> Graders:**

Thornton administration will be meeting with our 6<sup>th</sup> grade students and their teachers on February 21, 2023 to provide them with their 7<sup>th</sup> Grade Registration Form to take home to parents.

- Between 3/2 – 3/7/23 you and your child will be required to go online and Register per the instructions in the packet
- On 3/8/23, your child will return the form/documents back to their 6<sup>th</sup> grade teacher

**THORNTON JHS 2023 EDUCATION FAIRE: MARCH 1, 2023**

The Ed Faire is only for students who are currently in 6<sup>th</sup> & 7<sup>th</sup> grade and enrolling in 7<sup>th</sup> or 8<sup>th</sup> grade for the 2023/2024 school year.

**Event Schedule for Current 6<sup>th</sup> Graders:**

6:00 p.m. – 6:45 p.m. Presentation (gym)  
6:45 p.m. – 7:30 p.m. \*Visit Classrooms

\*Teachers will be together in classrooms by department and available to discuss curricular questions for all content areas. Electives teachers will be in their own classrooms to provide information and displays of student work in their classes. A map of the school with teacher locations will be distributed and available the evening of the Ed Faire.

**STAY INFORMED!**

We urge our parents to visit both the Thornton and Brookvale School websites and calendars to keep up to date regarding important information.

<https://brookvale.fremont.k12.ca.us/>

<https://thornton.fremont.k12.ca.us/>

## **SCHOOL ACCOUNTABILITY REPORT CARD**

"Federal and state laws require school districts to make accountability reports available to the public online. Accountability report information is based on data and information from the previous year. Dates will run one year behind.

We are pleased to inform you that our district's School Accountability Report Cards (SARCs) are available in English, Spanish, and/or Chinese, as required. You may view the SARCs on the Fremont Unified School District web site at [www.fremont.k12.ca.us](http://www.fremont.k12.ca.us) under Resources & Contacts/Reports, or by visiting your school office. You may also obtain a hard copy at your school office. To answer any questions regarding the SARCs, there are designated personnel available at each school site.

For more information about SARC requirements, see the California Department of Education (CDE) SARC web page at <http://www.cde.ca.gov/ta/ac/sa/>."



**Reminder:**

**2023—2024 NEW STUDENT ENROLLMENT began DECEMBER 23<sup>rd</sup>**

**Do you have a child at home that will be ready to start school next year for Kindergarten or TK?**

If you do, then please go to the FUSD website for information regarding 2023-2024 Enrollment for the school year that will begin on August 16, 2023:

<https://www.fremont.k12.ca.us/enroll2023>

- You will find an Chart of Grades for School Year 2023 – 2024 letting you know if your child will be eligible for TK or Kindergarten
- You will find instructions and videos on how to enroll your new student online
- If your child is too young to qualify for TK or Kindergarten, you will learn about FUSD's Preschool Program
- You will be able to learn about Special Programs such as Spanish or Mandarin Immersion and the Science Magnet Program



If you are moving across town or changing apartment numbers, FUSD Board Policy states the family *must inform the school within 5 days of your moving date or of any*

*change in circumstance which would affect their student's residency (AR 5111.1).*

Please complete and email the [Change of Address Form](#) along with 2 residency proofs of your new address to our School Secretary, Lena Anderson, [lenaanderson@fusdk12.net](mailto:lenaanderson@fusdk12.net) for processing.

We are committed to working with you on the address change and on allowing your student to continue their current enrollment.



**2022-2023 IMPORTANT SCHOOL DATES:** Visit our website to view our complete calendar and Bell Schedule

<https://brookvale-fusd-ca.schoolloop.com/>

**EVERY WED IS AN EARLY DISMISSAL DAY for 1<sup>st</sup> – 6<sup>th</sup> Grade: 8:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.**

**View our calendar on our website home page for daily school events and activities!**

**February**

**20 NO SCHOOL—Presidents' Day**

**24 RESERVATION FORMS DUE!**



**ORDER YOUR**

**BROOKVALE YEARBOOK ONLINE TODAY!**

Yearbooks are a wonderful way to capture your child's school year memories. Yearbooks will be sold online only, through April 5, 2023. To order your student's Brookvale 2022-2023 school yearbook by Dorian, please go to: <https://buytheyearbook.pictavo.com/>  
Enter School Code: 711103

**VOLUNTEER**



**SCHOOL VOLUNTEERS & CIVICORE**

All volunteers will be required to submit an application via CiviCore prior to volunteering. It's a simple process. You will need to upload a picture of the front of your driver's license. Click on the button found directly on our website to start the application:



Ask your child's teacher for instructions if you have any questions!