"On our way, on the MOVE every day, to be WORLD class."

Mission: Spann Elementary provides opportunities to meet the academic, social and emotional needs of all learners. **Vision:** Spann Elementary desires to prepare all students for the world by valuing diversity, opening their minds through personalized learning and encouraging them to be lifelong learners in the global community.

PRINCIPAL PANDA POST

Boosterthon Support: I wanted to take a moment to thank our parents and community for your support of PTA and our Boosterthon fundraiser. Over \$14,000 was raised, and just as importantly our students learned about character traits and got active at the Superhero Sprint! We look forward to providing some new flexible seating options for students in classrooms. And of course, PTA received funding for their programs which provide resources for students and teachers as well as family friendly school events.



Personalized Learning is Our Superpower!: Our students continue to explore learning in our personalized environments. All students are given more voice and choice in their learning during personalized learning time in reading and math and chart their progress with data notebooks and goals, and many students have access to flexible seating options and learning pathways that they move



through progressions at their own pace. Students are so proud to master their goals and learning objectives!

APRIL Calendar

3rd: Last day to order YEARBOOK

3rd-7th: Spring BookFair

6th: **STEAM** Night 5:30 pm

10-14th: Spuing Break

26th: Administrative Professionals

Day

26th: Early Dismissal 11 am

28th: Spirit Day/Terrific Kids

7:45am





KONA ICE

Food Trucks will be available starting at 5:00pm



<u>Join us on April 6th for:</u> Mighty Cup Challenges

Super Tangrams
Superhero Shape Shields
Fingerprint Detective
Superhero Cargo Plane
Save the City:Superhero Web Design
The Domino Effect

And More

Who? What? When?

April 6, 2023

- Book Fair (Open 5:30-7:30pm) in the media center
- STEAM Activities (6:00-7:00pm) and will be located in the café and 3rd grade hallway



On Friday, March 31st the Flowertown Festival will be going on in downtown Summerville. The closing of streets and extra traffic affects our afternoon car rider line and access to the school. Please be mindful that Spann will not be as accessible and to avoid signing students out after 1:30.

The car rider line will be stacked by law enforcement three cars wide. Follow directions given by officers when entering and exiting the line. The following traffic patterns will be established:

<u>Car Traffic</u> – Enter and will stack cars three wide on Spann side of S Gum Street to enter into the car rider line. As traffic exits, it will turn left onto Joyce Lane.

*We will close at 12:00 on Friday the 7^{th} to pack-up the Book Fair.

- Cash, checks (made out to Spann), or credit cards will be accepted. (Please note that change cannot be given from a check.) **Please account** for 7% sales tax.
- Also, check out the eWallet option on our website (below) for secure, contactless checkout. The eWallet can be used online or at the school fair.
- All profits from the book fair go directly towards funding library books and programs.

Check out our website! www.scholastic.com/bf/spann.

JUNE: 12 -15 JUNE: 19- 22

> TIMES 8:30AM - 12:30PM MONDAY - THURSDAY

LOCATION: SANDHILL ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

COST: THE COST PER CHILD IS \$120, WHICH INCLUDES A PROGRAM T-SHIRT, MATERIALS, AND A DAILY MORNING SNACK.

April 18, 2023 at 6 p.m.

Spots fill up fast! Don't wait to register!

- · Enrollment is restricted to the first 120 applicants.
- Students registered after the first 120 applicants will be placed on a waiting list.
- Registration closes April 20, 2023 at 11:59 pm.
 - A confirmation email will be sent when registration is complete.
 - Once registration closes, families will be contacted confirming enrollment and payment options.
- · Registration fees are non-refundable.
- Scholarships are available upon request.

To register, go to: https://tinyurl.com/STARTS21



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We Need Your Help.... Test Monitors Needed!

Dorchester School District 2 requires that schools have monitors present in classrooms to assist during the administration of SCREA-DY and SCPASS. This policy was adopted on the recommendation of the state of South Carolina.

What are the responsibilities of a testing monitor?

- Monitors assist the testing administrator with distribution of paper, pencils, and other necessary materials.
- Monitors may escort students to the restroom or nurse, if needed.
- Monitors may be asked to assist the testing administrator with other duties

Are there any qualifications for a testing monitor?

Yes, all monitors are required to attend a short training on test security with the school's testing coordinator, Mrs. Canty. In this training you will learn a few important rules about what you can and cannot do as a monitor. The training will take about thirty minutes and will need to happen **prior** to your scheduled testing date.

The spring test window will span from May 10th -June 2nd. Please consider volunteering one or more days to help us out. Please contact the front office at 843-873-3050 if you are interested in volunteering to be a testing monitor.

When students improve their attendance rates, they improve their academic prospects and chances for graduating.

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