



SFCS Weekly Bulletin

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Thank you for the outpouring of care and concern as our school family grieves the passing of our beloved custodian, Jon Cook. Also appreciated are the many offers of support for our school and for Robin Cook, our Office Manager. Ways to help and pay respects will be shared in the days ahead.

You may see your child demonstrating a range of behaviors in reaction to a loss such as this, which is normal as your child is attempting to work through feelings. You can support your child by listening thoughtfully, spending time with your child, reassuring your child that he/she is safe, and letting your child know you are sorry such an event has taken place.

In addition to Mr. Cook's passing, there may be other concerns causing your child distress. Here are some resources that may assist you in supporting your child:

- [Books to Help Address and Discuss Tough Topics With Kids](#)
- [How to Talk to Kids About Difficult Subjects](#)
- [Talking to Kids About Violence at the Capitol](#)

KEY LINKS

SFCS Hybrid Learning Plan:

<http://bit.ly/SFCS-HybridLearningPlan>

SFCS Reopening Plan:

<https://bit.ly/SFCS-ReopeningPlan2020>

School Calendar:

<http://sierrafoothillcharterschool.org/wp-content/uploads/2020/08/20-21-Revised-8.3.20.pdf>

Friday Enrichment Classes:

<http://bit.ly/FridayEnrichmentSFCS>

Campus Participation Symptom Guide:

<https://bit.ly/COVID19SymptomGuide>

OPEN ENROLLMENT & INTENT TO RE-ENROLL

The enrollment window for the 2021-2022 school year opens next Tuesday, January 19th. Linked below are the Intent to Re-enroll forms that we ask be completed and returned to the school office as soon as possible.

- [Campus Re-enrollment Form](#)
- [Home School Program Re-enrollment Form](#)

If this form is not returned before the enrollment window closes on April 12th, spots for next school year cannot be guaranteed. For new students, Intent to Enroll forms are available on the SFCS website (sierrafoothillcharter.school.org) and can be requested from the office. If more forms are received than spots available in a given grade level, a public lottery will be held on April 14th. Please pass on this information to anyone who may be interested in enrolling students for next school year. If you have any questions, please contact the office at (209)742-6222.

NO SCHOOL NEXT MONDAY, JANUARY 18th

There is no school next Monday in honor of Martin Luther King Jr. Day. Enjoy the three-day weekend!

CHANGE TO VALENTINE'S DAY CELEBRATIONS

Due to the pandemic, students will not be exchanging Valentines at school this year. We will, however, be finding ways to celebrate the holiday in a fun and safe manner. Thanks for your understanding.

DATES TO REMEMBER

- *Distance Learning for all students on Fridays*
- Mon., Jan. 18 - No School, MLK Birthday
- Thurs., Jan. 21 - Governance Committee Meeting, 4:30PM via Zoom
- Mon., Jan. 25 - Board Meeting, 4PM via Zoom