

STEVENS FOREST ELEMENTARY



BOBCAT NEWS

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School Hours are 9:00am to 3:30pm

Doors open at 8:45am

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- November 10** - Parent/Teacher Conference
Scheduling Window Opens
- November 13-17** - American Education Week
- November 15-21** - Fall Book Fair
- November 17** - Report Cards Issued
- November 17** - Turkey Trot during the school day &
PTA Gobble Gobble Pot Luck Dinner at 6:30pm
- November 21** - Federal Impact Survey due
- November 20 & 21** - School closes at 12:30 for
parent/teacher conferences
- November 22** - School closed for students,
parent/teacher conferences
- November 23 & 24** Schools and Offices closed,
Thanksgiving Holiday

Parent/Teacher Conferences

Parent/Teacher Conferences offer a wonderful opportunity to learn more about your child's educational progress and to partner with the school. There is only one conference window on the HCPSS calendar this school year. The upcoming November conferences will be held with your child's homeroom/AM teacher.

As always, please feel free to reach out to any of your child's teachers if you would like to meet outside of fall conference window. Conferences/Meetings can always be scheduled at any time during the year as needed.

Parents/guardians may schedule the parent/teacher conferences in HCPSS Connect starting on **Friday, November 10**. More detailed registration information is available on the next page and at <http://www.hcpss.org/connect/>

American Education Week, November 13-17

American Education Week presents a wonderful opportunity to celebrate public education and honor individuals who are making a difference in ensuring that every child receives a quality education. American Education Week is a great time for parents and guardians to visit their child's classroom or eat lunch together. We invite you to join us that week. Just make sure to sign in upon arrival.

Fall Book Fair

The Fall Book Fair will be here at Stevens Forest Elementary School Media Center on Thursday, November 16 - Tuesday, November 21. The book fair hours are 8:30-4:00, with additional late hours Monday and Tuesday evening, 5:30-7:30, during Parent-Teacher Conferences. Hope to see you there!

Federal Forms

Federal law provides funding for local public school systems based on the number of students whose parents/guardians work on federally owned property in the State of Maryland. These funds are provided by Congress to compensate the public for the land areas removed from the tax rolls for government use, increased student attendance in the public schools because of the government installations, or a combination of the two. The parent/guardian can be employed by the federal government working in the State of Maryland or be a contractor working on a project on federally owned property located in the State of Maryland. Also counted are students whose parents are serving as active military anywhere in the world. **Please complete and return the completed survey by November 21** if it applies to you or your family.