



Latta Elementary School
300 Viking Drive
Latta, SC 29565

843.752.5295
Fax 843.752.2713



February, 2022

CLASS PICTURES

Every student will take a picture with their class on Friday, February 4. Order forms were sent home with your child last week. If you would like to purchase a class picture, please complete the order form and send it to school with your child. You can also order online by using the link on the order form.

WINTER COATS

Please make sure your children are dressed appropriately for the cold weather that we are experiencing. If you are in need of a warm coat, please let us know. We have a large number of lost coats in the office. If your child is missing a coat or jacket, please stop by the school and check out what has been turned into the office. Please write your child's name in his or her jacket; it can then be returned to the owner easily if it is lost.

ATTENDANCE POLICY

Consistent school attendance is important to your child's academic, social and emotional development. Please see that only illness prevents your child from attending school. Any student who misses school must present a written note signed by a parent or physician. After 3 consecutive unlawful absences or a total of 5 unlawful absences, intervention plans will be developed with the parent to improve student attendance.

YEARBOOKS

Yearbooks are now \$25. If you would like to get a yearbook, please send your payment to school in an envelope labeled with your child's name. You can no longer purchase a yearbook online. We will have a limited number of extras, so please don't delay in sending in your order.

SCHOOL ARRIVAL

Car riders can be dropped off at school each day beginning at 7:20. To help speed up the car rider line, we are asking parents for their help. Please pull all the way up to the car in front of you and have your children ready to exit the car quickly. Staff members are stationed out front to help open car doors for kindergarten students. It would be very helpful if all other students opened their own doors and walked down the sidewalk to the front entrance. Your help with this is greatly appreciated!

SUCCESS IN SCHOOL

Your child can succeed in school with your help. Studies show students with involved parents are more likely to have higher achievement in the classroom, improved social skills, increased motivation, and better behavior. Help us help your child succeed by following these suggestions:

1. Read with your child every day.
2. Ask your child about their school day and encourage them to talk about it.
3. Make sure your child gets plenty of rest each night.
4. Talk positively about your child's teacher and school.
5. Teach your child to be responsible for their actions and their school work.
6. Contact your child's teacher with any questions or concerns.

Coming up ...

Feb 4: Class Picture Day

Feb 14: Valentine's Day

Feb 15: Progress Reports

Feb 18: Teacher Work Day – No School for Students