



# Principal Newsletter

**Mission:** Together we will learn, create, adapt, and succeed. **Vision:** Empowering Leaders through connection and collaboration.  
**Goal:** By 2028 90% of TSES students will score at or above the benchmark on the FastBridge & KAP Assessments in Reading & Math

Jody Moeschler, Principal

Leader In Me Habit of the Month: Review all 8 Habits

Events:

May 14-[Kona Ice at TSES](#)

May 15-Kindergarten field trip

May 16-Field Day

**Bond 2025**

May 20- 3rd grade only celebration

May 21-Last all school morning assembly

5th grade only talent show

May 22-Last day of School

5th grade breakfast and celebration

Kindergarten only celebration

2:45-5th Grade Clap Out

May 23-Teacher's last day

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[Standing Ovation Nomination Form](#)

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[TSES Music Website](#)

[TSES Website](#)



Timber Sage Elementary School  
Spring Hill School District  
Jody Moeschler, Principal  
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Dear Timber Sage Elementary Families,

Exciting news—our annual Field Day is coming up on Friday, May 16th! We're looking forward to a day full of fun, games, and memories for all our students.

To help things run smoothly, the schedule for the day is:

- 9:00–11:00 AM – 3rd through 5th grade
- Noon–2:00 PM – Kindergarten through 2nd grade

Families are warmly invited to come enjoy the day with us! If you plan to attend, please stop by the office to check in and receive a visitor's pass. You may want to bring a comfortable lawn chair to relax while you watch the activities. It's a long and exciting day, and a comfy seat can go a long way!

Please also send a filled water bottle with your student—and if you're bringing siblings or attending yourself, consider bringing one for each person. We'll have a refill station set up to help everyone stay hydrated throughout the day.

Students should come dressed in comfortable clothes and tennis shoes. Be sure sunscreen is applied before school, and consider sending a hat and sunglasses for extra sun protection. A change of clothes and extra shoes might also be helpful depending on the weather leading up to Field Day.

During the event, students will have a picnic lunch with their class and teacher. Families are welcome to join during lunch! Students may bring lunch from home or order a sack lunch from the cafeteria. Students are also welcome to bring a towel to sit on during the picnic.

- Kindergarten through 2nd grade will eat from 11:00–11:30 AM
- 3rd through 5th grade will eat from 11:30 AM–Noon

If the weather doesn't cooperate, our makeup day will be Monday, May 19th.  
We're so excited to celebrate this special day with our TSES students and families!

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Student First & Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Teacher & Grade: \_\_\_\_\_

### Lunch for Field Day:

- ☐ My child will bring lunch from home.
- ☐ My child will need a sack lunch from the cafeteria. Please circle what option your child would like: **Turkey & Cheese Sandwich or Uncrustable**

# Field Day Sign Up and Details

We are starting to get closer to the best day of the school year..... FIELD DAY!!!! As always, field day is the last Friday we have school which is May 16th. 3rd-5th Grade will be 9:00-11:00 and K-2nd Grade will be 12:00-2:00. We are looking for 2 parent volunteers per station so 18 parents for both the morning and afternoon sessions. You must be a district secured volunteer to be in charge of a station so if you haven't gone through that process yet, you still have plenty of time to become one before Field Day on the 16th. Thank you all so much for helping out!! This helps me out a ton and the kiddos love seeing all of the parents at the stations to make this day as fun as possible for them.

[3rd-5th Grade 9:00-11:00 Sign Up Sheet](#)  
[K-2nd Grade 12:00-2:00 Sign Up Sheet](#)

Eric Swartz  
Physical Education Teacher

# **5th grade Clap out**

Parents are invited to Timber Sage Elementary at 2:45 PM for the 5th Grade Clap Out on the last day of school. Families will line up starting at the front doors and continue down the sidewalk toward the walker doors. Parents are welcome to bring posters, bubbles, and noisemakers to help celebrate. Please note that silly string, confetti, and water balloons are not allowed. Parents may check out younger siblings beginning at 2:30 PM to attend the clap out; once checked out, students must remain with their parent or guardian and should not re-enter the building.

TIMBER SAGE ELEMENTARY INVITES YOU TO  
**5TH GRADE'S LAST  
DAY CELEBRATION**

**MAY 22ND, 2025**

7:40-9:30 Breakfast, Student Awards, & Music  
Performance

10:00-2:15 Students will load busses at 10:00 and  
arrive to Main Event by 10:30. Parents are welcome to  
drive separately & attend.

2:45PM Clap Out to cheer on our 5th graders as they  
leave Timber Sage for the last time as elementary  
students

*Let's make the clap-out extra special! Feel free to bring posters or bubbles to  
celebrate. To keep things safe and easy to clean up, confetti, silly string, and water  
balloons are not allowed. Thanks for helping us make it a great day!*

**THIS YEAR, ONLY 5TH GRADE STUDENTS WILL BE EATING BREAKFAST.  
PARENTS, SIBLINGS, AND GRANDPARENTS ARE WELCOME TO JOIN BUT  
WILL NOT BE PROVIDED FOOD.**







# PTO News

- Thanks for supporting Chick- Fil- A Restaurant night and our pickleball tournament
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- PTO Zoom meeting on May 13th

Kona Ice Day- May 14th! Want to celebrate all the hard work your child has done this school year? Buy them a Snow Cone for our May 14th Kona Ice Day. Kona will be available to serve students by the playground after their lunch time during school hours. Use the prepay link below to order your kiddo a special treat. If 80% of our school purchases snow cones, Kona will fill in for the other 20% that either forgot or couldn't afford it. PTO will also make sure everyone gets a snow cone that wants one. If you want to purchase an extra snow cone for someone in your class, just fill out the form and put "extra student" for the name. Also this is kind of like a restaurant fundraiser during the school day because Kona Ice will also give us a percentage back of the purchases as a donation to TSES PTO. Order and Prepay here by Tuesday May 13th.

<https://customer.kona-ice.com/#/K274079692>

-If you would like to purchase a school supply kit for next school year, see flyer for purchasing options for each grade level. Kits will be delivered before Back to School night.

TIMBER SAGE ELEMENTARY

# The **BEST WAY** to Buy Back-To-School Supplies!



- ✓ The Exact School Supplies Your Teacher Requested
- ✓ Name Brand Products Like:



FISKARS®



TICONDEROGA®



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TO ORDER



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TIMBER SAGE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL parents, we've all been there! Back-to-school sneaks up on us, and suddenly we're running from store to store trying to find supplies. But what if you could check it off your list today? Order Here:  
<https://1stdayschoolsupplies.com/gs/1179010>

1st Day School Supplies makes it easy. In just a few clicks, you can order the exact supplies your teacher requested, packaged in a beautiful new box and delivered on time, stress-free!





**TIMBER SAGE ELEMENTARY**

# **2024-2025 EVENTS**

## **SCHOOL EVENTS**

Sept. 27th: Foam Party	Jan. 23rd: BINGO Night
Oct. TBD: School Wide Movie	Feb. 11th: Valentine Class Party
Oct. 10th: Chuck E. Cheese's	Feb. 20th: Main Event
Oct. 25th: Trunk-or-Treat	March: Read-A-Thon
Oct. 31st: Halloween Class Party	April 5th: Mission Bowl
Nov. 7th: Skate City	April 21-25th: Teacher Appreciation
Dec. 6th: Snowball	April 24th: Urban Air
Dec. 16-19th: Holiday Shop	May 4th: Pickleball Tournament at Chicken N Pickle

## **RESTAURANT NIGHTS**

Aug. 27th: Red Robin	Jan. 14th: Chicken N Pickle
Sept. 17th: Culver's	Feb. 3-5th: Jersey Mike's
Oct. 7th: Buffalo Wild Wings	March 12th: Papa Murphy's
Nov. 4th: Chipotle	April 8th: Freddy's
Dec. 10th: Pizza Hut	May 6th: Chick-fil-A

## **PTO PARENT MEETINGS**

September 24 | November 19 | January 21 | March 25 | May 13

## **JOIN US ON SOCIAL MEDIA**

**FACBOOK + INSTAGRAM = @TIMBERSAGEPTO**

*order  
now!*

**SHOP SCHOOL SPIRIT WEAR**

August 9-September 6, 2024 AND January 10-January 31, 2025





# CALLING FOR VOLUNTEERS!

2025-2026 SCHOOL YEAR

Timber Sage Elementary PTO Has Some Big



# SHOES



# TO FILL



**PLEASE FILL OUT THE FORM BELOW TO INDICATE HOW YOU WOULD LIKE TO HELP!**

## Fundraising

- ☐ Activity Nights
- ☐ Fall Fundraiser
- ☐ Restaurant Nights

## School Spirit

- ☐ Spirit Wear
- ☐ Welcome New Families (K-Round
- ☐ Up-Back to School Night

## Staff Support

- ☐ Teacher Appreciation
- ☐ Conference Meals
- ☐ Teacher Supply Orders
- ☐ Staff Birthday Cards

## Communications

- ☐ Social Media
- ☐ Newsletter
- ☐ Flyers

## Special Events

- ☐ Bingo
- ☐ Trunk-Or-Treat
- ☐ Snow-Ball
- ☐ Holiday Shop



Student(s) Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent(s) Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Okay to text? Y / N

Please return the form to your child's teacher or email [kellkat12@gmail.com](mailto:kellkat12@gmail.com) if interested in any of the above. Thank you!

# Lunch Schedule

## Helpful Reminders:

1. Students/Families:
  - Students and families cannot ask other students to join them for lunch.
2. Food Sharing:
  - Families cannot share or bring food for children who are not in their family.
3. Check-In:
  - All visitors must check in at the front office upon arrival.
4. Classroom Restrictions:
  - Parents may not accompany their child back to the classroom after lunch.
5. Sign-Out:
  - Visitors must sign out at the front office before leaving the school.

Thank you for your cooperation in ensuring a safe and enjoyable lunch experience for everyone!

<b>2nd Grade</b>	<b>10:55-11:25</b>
<b>5th Grade</b>	<b>11:00-11:30</b>
<b>1st Grade</b>	<b>11:30-12:00</b>
<b>4th Grade</b>	<b>11:35-12:04</b>
<b>3rd Grade</b>	<b>12:05-12:35</b>
<b>Kindergarten</b>	<b>12:10-12:40</b>

## July 2024

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## August 2024 (14)

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## September 2024 (19)

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## October 2024 (21)

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## November 2024 (16)

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# 2024-2025 Calendar

August 2-6	New Teachers on Duty
August 8-12	No Classes - Professional Development
August 13	First Day of Classes (PK-9)
August 14	First Day of Classes (10-12)
September 2	No Classes - Labor Day
September 3	No Classes - Professional Development
October 16	Two-Hour Early Dismissal
October 17	No Classes - Professional Development
October 18	No Classes - Certified Off Duty
November 25	No Classes - Professional Development
November 26	No Classes - Professional Development Flex Day
November 27-29	No Classes - Thanksgiving Break
December 23 - January 2	No Classes - Winter Break
January 3	No Classes - Professional Development
January 6	Classes Resume
January 20	No Classes - MLK Day
February 12	Two-Hour Early Dismissal
February 13	No Classes - Professional Development
February 14	No Classes - Certified Off Duty
February 17	No Classes - Presidents Day
March 17-21	No Classes - Spring Break
March 24	No Classes - Professional Development
March 25	Classes Resume
April 4	No Kindergarten Classes - Kindergarten Round-up
April 18	No Classes - Professional Development
May 22	Last Day for Students
May 23	No Classes - Professional Development
May 26	Memorial Day
Various	PLC Days

### Reporting Periods

1<sup>st</sup> Quarter: Aug. 13 - Oct. 16  
 2<sup>nd</sup> Quarter: Oct. 21 - Dec. 20  
 3<sup>rd</sup> Quarter: Jan. 6 - Mar. 14  
 4<sup>th</sup> Quarter: Mar. 25 - May 22

Total Student Days: 173

### Teacher Contract Days

New Teachers: 190  
 Returning Teachers: 187

### Conference Dates

October 16: Evening, All Grades  
 October 17: All Grades  
 February 12: Evening, All Grades  
 February 13: All Grades

## January 2025 (19)

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## May 2025 (16)

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## June 2025

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# School Calendar for Next Year



## 2025-26 Calendar

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# Tentative Dates for 25-26 School year

**Please note that dates may change.**

Finalized dates will be sent out in late July. Class lists will not be announced until August. Families have until May 1st to request a Parent Information Form if they would like to share anything they feel the school should know as we create class lists and place students with teachers.

**August 11-** Meet the teacher night and drop off school supplies

**August 13-**First day of School

**August 28-**Parent Information Night



# TIMBER SAGE ELEMENTARY

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Please call the front office  
for all dismissal changes.  
**Phone: 913-592-7244**

## Car Riders

**K-2 Loop:** Families **with a K, 1st or 2nd grade student** will drop off & pick up through this loop.

**3-5 Loop:** Families **with ONLY a 3rd-5th grade student** will drop off & pick up through this loop.

**Car Tag:** Please place the car tag on your rearview mirror & pull your vehicle up to the next available spot when dropping off and picking up. We will send students out to you. Please pull forward when waiting for your student to help with traffic flow.

## Walkers

**Arrival:** Walkers enter through the **front** entrance.

**Dismissal:** Walkers exit out of the **west** end of the building

## Bus Riders

Buses use the back loop behind the school. Bus riders enter and exit through the recess doors.

### TSES Regular Hours

<b>7:30 a.m.</b>	Office Opens
<b>7:40 a.m.</b>	Earliest doors open for students & breakfast begins
<b>8:00 a.m.</b>	Tardy Bell-School Begins
<b>3:10 p.m.</b>	Dismissal of Students
<b>4:00 p.m.</b>	Office Closes

### TSES PLC Hours

<b>7:30 a.m.</b>	Office Opens
<b>7:40 a.m.</b>	Earliest doors open for students going to YCare
<b>8:00 a.m.</b>	Latest time to drop off students for YCare
<b>8:40 a.m.</b>	Earliest doors open for students & breakfast begins
<b>9:00</b>	Tardy Bell-School Begins