

The Silvia Spotlight

From the Principal:

Dear Silvia Families,

This week we started off with amazing weather, honored our America veterans, and had our first STAR student assembly of the year. Staff and students continue to be AMAZING. Thank you families for your continued support and flexibility as we all navigate this school year together.

I want to congratulate all of our STAR students from cohort C and from some of our cohort A classrooms (the rest of cohort A classrooms will be honored on November 20th). These students exemplify our weekly character traits that contribute to our overall goal of being kind to one another. In addition, we have begun recognizing our STAR students from cohort B. We will continue to do this through next week and our STAR assembly for the rest of the cohort A classrooms and for our cohort D students will be on Friday, November 20th.

Wishing all a wonderful weekend!



Silvia STAR Student Assemblies:

Congratulations to all of our recognized STAR students from cohorts A and C. See the list of student names and some pictures on page 4 below.



Process for Cohort C or D Students Transitioning to Cohort C/D:

We have been given clearance to begin the process of identifying students from cohorts C or D who will be invited to transition to cohort C/D. These students will transition to in person learning every week (except for Wednesdays) instead of one week in person and then one week remote. This will be a process that will involve Silvia staff identifying our most at-risk students based on a set list of criteria. We can't share specifics about such criteria as it would be a break of student confidentiality.

At the forefront of this transition, we will be adhering to our Operational Plan for Reopening. Student and staff safety is our number one priority.

Identified families will be contacted starting the week of November 16, 2020. The transition start date is set for Monday, November 30, 2020.

Silvia Synonymizes: Depth of Knowledge

Depth of knowledge (DOK) is a term that gets referenced a lot when talking about assessment. DOK is a framework for understanding academic rigor. It's designed to be a common language system to help educators determine how complex various pieces of content, tasks, and standards are. The DOK framework includes four levels of content complexity, illustrated in the infographic below:

Appropriate Cold Weather Dress Required:

- As we are getting into the colder months, it is imperative that students come to school prepared for outdoor recess.

- We plan on going outside as much as possible. If the temperature falls below 32 degrees Fahrenheit or if there is inclement weather we will have indoor recess.

- To support your child with being comfortable at recess please dress your child in the following:

- Winter coat
- Closed shoes or boots
- Stocking caps and gloves are recommended

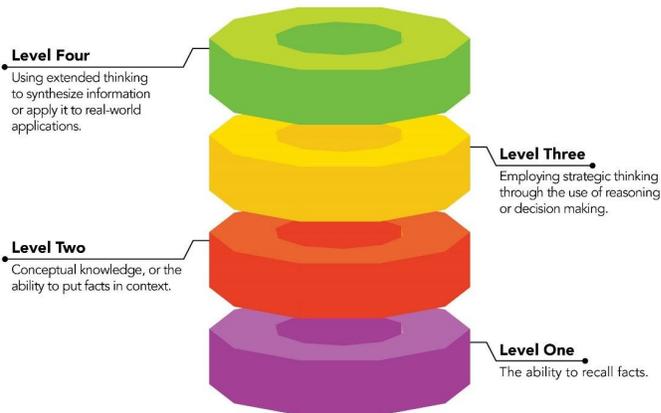
- If you are in need of winter coat(s) and/or outdoor gear, please do not hesitate to reach out to our student adjustment counselors, Ms. Michel and Mr. Arudda via email or phone call to Silvia.

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Upcoming Dates/Events:

- The week of November 16, 2020 is a Cohort D in person week and a Cohort C remote learning week.
- Superheroes of Courage - November 13 and 20, 2020
- November 25, 2020 is a half-day for students.
- November 26 and 27, 2020 are NO SCHOOL for the Thanksgiving holiday.
- Please find our school calendar [HERE](#).



These levels help teachers evaluate classroom materials, design classroom tasks to foster critical thinking, and ultimately, evaluate how well their students are comprehending and mastering different concepts and skills. For a closer look at the DOK framework, check out this blog post on [the basics of the four DOK levels](#).

Technology Updates:

- If you are in need of a Chromebook for remote learning, please contact the Silvia office and set up a time to pick-up.
- If you are in need of a hotspot for remote learning, please contact the Silvia office so we can put in an order.

Superheroes of Courage on Friday, November 20th...See flyer on page below for details...



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FALL RIVER PUBLIC SCHOOLS

SUPERHEROES OF COURAGE



Dress in your favorite superhero shirt, socks, etc.
A Superhero can be a relative, essential worker or a
character from a book

FRIDAY NOVEMBER 13TH & 20TH



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Silvia Star Students

Cohort C

Greeting Others	Accepting Others/ Showing Tolerance	Being Punctual and Prepared for Class	Following Instructions	Active Listener
<p>Ben Owen Kassidy Collins Jackson Fisher Robert Fontaine Jacob DosReis Giselle DaCruz Cadence DeCouto Aubree Ferreira Jackson Haskett Landon Amaral</p>	<p>Gabriel Cruz-Torres Nolan Levesque-Talbot Hailey Millward Lucas Geary Ava Thorpe Jacob Gallant</p>	<p>Eliazar Lugo Madison Coffin Juliana Mooney Liliana Goncalves Sophia Avelar-Ruda Mason Estes Khaiya Raposo Annika Gellar-Hatch Lucas Correia Ashlyn Jones Julia Fleurent Tatiana Bonet Marie Derifon Victoria Bento</p>	<p>Lucyani Martinez Jayson Cambra Zachary Dutra Sofia Pacheco John Freitas Abigail Cameron Theresa-Joyce Kanza Brighton Howard Chloe Levesque Talbot</p>	<p>Justin Orellana Arianna Cousineau Amber Nunes Ella Farias Cameron Raposo Shayna Pielech Katalina Awer Madison Costa Brooklynn Bento Maddie Paiva Connor Enos Ryan DeBarros Ariel Rodrigues Blake Carvalho Diana Borges Kingston Gauvin Autumn Cameron</p>
Appropriately Gaining Teachers' Attention	Disagreeing Appropriately	Being Kind to Others	Appropriately Managing Feelings	
<p>Mia Cruz- Pena Magaly Lopez-Chinol Sophia Perez Andrew Daigneau Nolan Levesque- Talbot Analyssia Furtado Kaleb Driscoll Sophie DaSilva Samantha Costa</p>	<p>Sophia Homen Christian DoRego Emily Arruda Wheeler Sokol Makayla Medeiros Raiden Fisher Max Correia Leron Lamptey Asser Eleskandrany Cora Farias Rory Edwards Julian Bermudez Alex Cabral</p>	<p>Savannah Dias Isaiah Burrell-DaSilva Lucas MacArthur Aviana Harrington Aleekay Aggrey Benjamin Pacheco Cameron Bent Aubree Botelho Kairi Joubert</p>	<p>Dylan Orellana Mia Costa Peyton Ferro Kyra Amaral Chloe Leite Aja Crockett Kamah Duwana Brayden Ferreira Aqeel Azeemi Eddiel Diaz Cassius Couto Mason Guillmette</p>	



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