



FAUST'S FRIDAY FACTS

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"Remember, if Christmas isn't found in your heart, you won't find it under a tree."
-Charlotte Carpenter

Enjoy Winter Break!



WINTER BREAK

Betton Hills follows Leon County School calendar. Our Winter Break is scheduled for December 23rd- January 3rd and Teacher Planning is January 6th and 7th. **Students will return to school on January 8th.**

DECEMBER TUITION PAST DUE

December tuition is past due at this time. Tuition is late on the tenth of the month. **The late fee is \$25.** If your child's account has a past due balance, please make sure to clear up the balance ASAP. Failure to do so, will result in dismissal from Betton Hills. Ms. Linda has sent reminder messages to families in Class Dojo.

WINTER TESTING

We have completed our Winter Testing with our VPK (FAST) and NWEA testing for our Kindergarten, First and Second Graders. We will send home the results on January 10th. And as always, if you have questions regarding the testing, please feel free to reach out to your child's teacher, Ms. Samantha or Ms. Linda.

ELEMENTARY REPORT CARDS

Friday, December 20th, will be the end of the 2nd nine weeks. Report cards will go home on Friday, January 10th. Please make sure to have any missed work turned into your child's teacher, so they may finalize grades for this second quarter.



TEACHER PLANNING DAY

We will be closed on January 6th and 7th for Teacher Planning day. **Our students will return on Wednesday, January 8th.**



REGISTRATION FOR 2025/2026

We sent out Registration for the 2025/2026 school year. We start early registration for our current students, before opening it up to the public. We will waive the school year \$100 registration fee and the \$75 summer camp registration fee for the month of December. We sent the tuition agreement for the 2025/2026 school year, VPK information, scholarship information and a registration packet for Summer Camp 2025 in the information last Friday. If you have questions, please reach out to Ms. Samantha or Ms. Linda. We will also send registration papers in Class Dojo.

SANTA

Santa stopped by Betton to visit our students today. We know he is busy this time of year, but he always takes time out of his busy schedule to check on us and give each student a sweet treat. He loves when we sing a song or two before he dashes off.

HOLIDAY READING

Don't forget to read with your child over the Winter Break. Students should be read to or read for at least 20 minutes per day. These are special moments that your child will treasure. Help your child find certain letters, sounds or sight words while reading. Keep a reading log with your child too. It's fun to look back and see how many books you have read together. **Remember there is no app like a parent's lap!**

GIFTS

Each student has made a special gift to give you for the holiday season. Take a moment to open this gift and share your appreciation with your child. The best part will be the joy in your child's eyes as they watch you.



THANK YOU

The staff of Betton Hills would like to extend a "Thank You!" for all the gifts you have shared with us. You have made each of us feel special during this holiday season. We wish you a wonderful holiday season to spend with family and friends.



CUBBIES

All items from student's cubbies are being sent home today, so we are able to clean everything during the winter break. Students keep collections of various items in their cubbies. We find leaves, acorns, water bottles, blankets, jackets, changes of clothes just to mention a few. This is also a great opportunity for you to see if your child has outgrown their change of clothes they keep at school. Our students have grown quite a bit since August!!

PRESCHOOL OPENING

We currently have a few openings in our Preschool classroom starting in January. If you have friends or family looking for a good place to start, please share our information. We are available for tours and to set up shadow dates for new friends.

BOX TOPS FOR EDUCATION

Box Tops for Education has gone digital. You don't have to clip those box tops!! Just download the Box Top app from the app store and scan your receipts. You can also earn box tops for school with online orders. Make sure to have Betton Hills Preparatory School selected. Every Box Top you scan or clip is worth 10¢ for the school. This is an easy way to earn extra money for our PTO.



UPCOMING EVENTS

December 16-December 31-

Early Registration for
2025/2056 School Year
(Registration fee waived)

December 16-December 31-

Early Registration for Summer
Camp 2025 (Registration fee
waived)

**December 20-End 2nd Nine
Weeks**

December 23-January 3- No School—Winter Break

January 6-7- No School- Teacher Planning Days

January 8- Students Return to School

January 10-Report Cards

