

**DeWitt Perry
Middle School
Campus Handbook
Manual Escolar
2008-2009**



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Carrollton, Texas 75006
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Carrollton-Farmers Branch Independent School District

An Innovative Leader in Learning

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C-FB ISD is an innovative leader in learning.
Our Vision Statement:

All Students will meet the Texas Assessment of Knowledge and Skills (TAKS) at the proficient or commended level and graduate college-ready without remediation.

Our Mission Statement:

Together with families and community we commit all district resources to guide the learning of each student to graduate as:

- A responsible individual
- A passionate life-long learner
- A complex thinker
- An effective communicator who understands and respects our global interdependence.

*C-FB ISD es líder innovador en aprendizaje.
Nuestra Visión:*

Todo estudiante aprobará el examen de TAKS a nivel competente o distinguido y egresará de bachillerato preparado para seguir estudios superiores sin apoyo .

Nuestra Misión:

Junto con las familias y la comunidad, dedicamos todo recurso del distrito para dirigir a cada estudiante a egresar como:

- *individuo responsable*
- *apasionado estudiante de por vida*
- *pensador complejo*
- *comunicador efectivo que comprende y respeta nuestra interdependencia global.*

Administrative Offices

1445 Perry Road
Carrollton, Texas 75006

Community Learning Center (CLC)

1820 Pearl Street, Bldg B
Carrollton, Texas 75006

Technology Learning Center (TLC)

2427 Carrick Street
Farmers Branch, Texas 75234

www.CFBISD.edu

Hotlines and Crisis

Crime Hotline, 972-466-3329
Job Hotline, 972-466-3376
Contact, 972-233-2233
Teen Contact, 972-233-8336
Suicide and Crisis Center, 214-828-1000
Crime Prevention, 972-466-3330
Drug Information Hotline, 972-466-9133

Substance Abuse - Drug Education/IOP/Residential

Dallas Challenge, 972-566-4680
GDCADA, 214-522-8600
St. Joseph, 214-623-9976
Turning Point, 972-234-8636
Imagine, 972-423-6007, www.imagineprogram.com
Green Oaks, 972-770-0818
Seay Center, 972-981-8301
Phoenix House, 214-999-1044
Alcoholics Anonymous, 214-887-6699
Narcotics Anonymous, 972-699-9306
Alateen/Alanon, 214-363-0461
AA-Spanish, 214-905-0770
CODA, 972-492-2432
Drug Test Your Teen, 214-797-TEST

Other Organizations for Support

Big Brothers/Big Sisters of Dallas and Collin Counties
Boys & Girls Clubs of Greater Dallas, 214-821-2950
City of Farmers Branch: The REC Scene, 972-247-4607
Dallas Children's Advocacy Center, 214-818-2600
BOOT CAMP, 214-951-9331
Parenting Together for Adolescents, 469-752-2277

Food and Clothing Services

Metrocrest Social Service Center, 972-446-2100
CFB Clothes Closet, 972-965-0940
Angelfood Ministries, 972-512-3800 x3000

Grief

Griefworks, 972-960-9981
Compassionate Friends, 972-245-9773
Journey of Hope, 972-964-1600, www.johgriefsupport.org

Eating Disorders

Children's Hospital, 214-456-8899
Presbyterian Dallas, (+18), 214-345-7355
Walker Wellness Clinic, 214-521-8969
Elisa Project, 214-369-5222

Youth & Family Counseling Agencies and Youth Shelters

CFBISD, 972-968-6500
Child & Family Guidance, 214-351-3490
Covenant Christian, 972-980-7488
Dallas Metrocare, 214-330-0036
PCEC, 214-526-4525
Salesmanship Club, 972-481-7890;
www.salesmanshipclub.org
CITY House, 972-423-7057
Promise House, 214-941-8578
YMCA Casa Shelter, 214-358-4504
For Kids Sake, 469-752-2272
Toughlove, 972-278-0640, www.toughlove.com
Because I Love You – BILY, 972-647-9573
Catholic Charities of Dallas, 214-520-6590
The Family Place, 972-243-1611
Friends of the Family, 972-219-2829

THANK YOU TO PERRY'S COMMUNITY PARTNERS

Alphagraphics Printers
Bent Tree Bible Fellowship, Carrollton
Carrollton-Farmers Branch Rotary Club
CiCi's Pizza
Corner Bakery
Dr. Kracker
Dunn Bros Coffee, Addison
Frito Lay
Jason's Deli
Magnolia Café
McDonald's, Addison
Quizno's Classic Subs, Addison
Taco Cabana, Addison

2008-2009 School Calendar



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JULY

3, 4 District Holiday

AUGUST

18-21 Staff Development
22 Teacher Preparation Day
25 First Day of School

SEPTEMBER

1 Labor Day/District Holiday
2 First Day for Pre-Kindergarten +

OCTOBER

13 Fair day/Staff Development/Student Holiday

NOVEMBER

24, 25 Staff Development/Student Holiday
26 – 28 District Holidays

DECEMBER

22 – January 2 District Holidays

JANUARY

1, 2 District Holiday
14, 15, 16 High & Middle School Exams
Early Release

14, 15, 16 Elementary Early Release
19 District Holiday (MLK Birthday Observed)
20 Teacher Preparation Day/Student Holiday

FEBRUARY

MARCH

16-20 Spring Break

APRIL

10 Bad Weather* (second day used)
13 Bad Weather* (first day used)

MAY

25 Memorial Day/District Holiday

JUNE

2,3,4 Elementary Early Release
2,3,4 High & Middle School Exams/Early Release
4 Last Day for Students
5 Teacher Preparation Day

STAFF DEVELOPMENT DAYS

August 18 – 21, October 13^A, November 24^A, 25^A
^ATeachers take approved staff development training from June 1, 2008 – May 31, 2009 so that these days are school holidays.

TEACHER PREPARATION DAYS

August 22, January 20, June 5

GRADING PERIODS

1st nine weeks - August 25 – October 31
2nd nine weeks - November 3 – January 16
3rd nine weeks - January 21 – April 3
4th nine weeks - April 6 – June 4

GRADUATION – Sunday, June 7

University of North Texas Coliseum
Newman Smith – 9 a.m., R. L. Turner – 1 p.m.,
Creekview – 4 p.m., Ranchview – 7 p.m.

Number of student days: 177

Teacher days: 187

LEGEND

○ Staff Development/Teacher Preparation Day/Student Holiday

□ District Holiday (schools & district offices closed)

11 Begin/End Grading Period

TESTING DATES 2008-2009

OCTOBER

15 PSAT
TAKS
21 Exit Level ELA (retest)
22 Exit Level Mathematics (retest)
23 Exit Level Science (retest)
24 Exit Level Social Studies (retest)

MARCH

TAKS
3 Grade 3 Reading (English and Spanish)
Grade 5 Reading (English and Spanish)
Grade 8 Reading (English and Spanish)
Grade 4 Writing (English and Spanish)
Grade 7 Writing (English and Spanish)
Grade 9 Reading (English and Spanish)
Grade 10 ELA (English and Spanish)
Exit Level ELA (retest)
Exit Level Mathematics (retest)

5 Make-up session for Grade 10 ELA (English and Spanish)
Exit Level Science (retest)
6 Exit Level Social Studies (retest)

APRIL

TAKS
7 Grade 5 Mathematics (English and Spanish)
Grade 8 Mathematics (English and Spanish)
Grades 3-4 Mathematics (English and Spanish)
Grade 6 Mathematics (English and Spanish)
Grade 7 Mathematics (English and Spanish)
Grade 10 Mathematics (English and Spanish)
Exit Level ELA (retest)
29 Grade 4 Reading (English and Spanish)
Grade 6 Reading (English and Spanish)
Grade 7 Reading (English and Spanish)
Exit Level Mathematics (English and Spanish)
Grade 3 Reading (retest) (English and Spanish)

Grade 5 Reading (retest) (English and Spanish)
Grade 8 Reading (retest) (English and Spanish)
30 Grade 5 Science (English and Spanish)
Grade 8 Science (English and Spanish)
Grade 9 Mathematics (English and Spanish)
Grade 10 Science (English and Spanish)
Exit Level Science (retest)

MAY

TAKS
1 Grade 8 Social Studies (English and Spanish)
Grade 10 Social Studies (English and Spanish)
Exit Level Social Studies (retest)
19 Grade 5 Mathematics (retest) (English and Spanish)
Grade 8 Mathematics (retest)

JUNE

TAKS
30 Grade 5 Mathematics (retest) (English and Spanish)
Grade 8 Mathematics (retest)

JULY

TAKS
1 Grade 3 Reading (retest) (English and Spanish)
Grade 5 Reading (retest) (English and Spanish)
Grade 8 Reading (retest) (English and Spanish)
14 Exit Level ELA (retest)
15 Exit Level Mathematics (retest)
16 Exit Level Science (retest)
17 Exit Level Social Studies (retest)

Testing dates are subject to change by the Texas Education Agency. (www.tea.state.tx.us)