

## **School Picture Retakes**

*Picture retakes are Monday, October 19*. Face to Face students who were absent or want retakes will be first, from 9:00 - 9:45 a.m. Virtual students who missed photos or want retakes will go next from 9:45 until 10:30 a.m. We recognize that this is during the Virtual Academy morning session but, unfortunately, these photography sessions are scheduled far in advance, and our provider is not able to adjust it at this time.

## Second Fire Drill Successful

This week we had our second fire drill of the year, and just like the first, everything went well. As before, we socially distanced in the hallways and outside to keep classes separate from each other.

## **Repeat from earlier: Parent-Teacher Conferences**

Parent-Teacher conferences are available this year in virtual or face-to-face formats. For the health and safety of all involved, we encourage families to participate in the virtual conferences if at all possible. Teachers will schedule face-to-face conferences as needed, with a priority for students with heightened need. Our teachers will be available for conferences at the regularly scheduled conference times on November 11, from 1:00 – 4:00 p.m. and 5:00 – 8:00 p.m., but may also schedule conferences at other times through the month of November. Be on the lookout for more information from your child's teacher soon.

## **Repeat from earlier: Pet-free Campus**

It's time for our annual reminder that on school days, especially during pick-up and drop-off, **our** school grounds are pet-free zones. We love our furry friends and family members, but there is a lot of activity going on at those times, and not all children or pets enjoy that level of activity or interaction. Several years ago there was even a dog bite that happened during one of those times, and everyone felt very badly about it, of course. For the safety and well-being of all involved, please either leave pets at home, or keep them in cars, and not on school grounds. Thank you!

Upcoming Events
Mon, October 19

October 19 Picture Retakes

Tues, November 3 Election Day/PD Day; No School for Students Wed, November 11 Parent-Teacher Conferences; 1/2 Day for Students

We had a great week here at Adams, and we look forward to seeing you and your students again next week. Have a good weekend!

Educationally yours,



Principal