



SMS Sunday Message: February 13



Good evening, Spartan Family! This is Matthew A. Mason, proud principal of Sandusky Middle School, and here is the Sunday Message for the week of February 14 - 18. This message has been forwarded to our SMS family via email and can also be found on our website under the Sunday Messages tab.

- This Wednesday, February 16, Lynchburg City Schools will have a two-hour early release for students. Students will depart school at 1:10 pm. Faculty and staff will continue in the building.
- We have a few sporting events this week. On Wednesday, February 16, our girls and boys basketball teams will play away against Linkhorne Middle School at 5:30 and 6:45 pm, respectively. Let's come out and cheer our student athletes to victory. Go Spartans! Conditioning for track and field will begin on March 2nd. A sports physical is needed to participate. If students need the sports physical paperwork they can see Coach Kelso, our athletic director. Information concerning soccer will be coming soon.
- Sandusky Middle School is looking for parents who are willing to be a part of our Parent/Teacher Organization and support our students, staff and families. Thank you to all who have reached out and are looking for ways to support. If you are interested, please contact Mr. Mason at 434-515-5350, ext. 33001 or email him at masonma@lcsedu.net.
- Our 21st Century After-school Program is under way. Specific students have received permission slips to receive support with math and English, as well as attend different enrichment activities. Please turn in permission forms to our front office as soon as possible. Our program will operate on Monday, Tuesday, and Thursday of this week (February 14 - 15, and 17).

There will be **NO** 21st Century Program on Wednesday, February 16 due to the student's early release. Thank you.

- To our 8th grade families, save the date! The ECG & HHS School Counseling Departments will host Moving Up Night presentations to rising 9th grade students and their families on **March 10 at 6:00 pm**. Registration information will be shared closer to that date. Don't miss it!
- As a reminder to all families, our LCS website has a language option at the bottom of the page. Please feel free to use this option if needed.
- We had an incredible Spirit Week and Pep Rally last week! Shout out to our SCA and Ms. Toth, their sponsor, for putting on a great week. Also, students, we are looking forward to Valentine roses to be delivered during homeroom! Let's make it a great week!

Please check today's email, our Twitter account (@Spartans_SMS), our Facebook page and our website for more important information on school events. SMS family, let's remember to be Respectful, Responsible and Safe! Again, this is Matthew A. Mason, and SMS is pleased to serve our community!