

S.T.O.P. INFORMATION
4TH & 5TH GRADERS

Sponsored by Skaggs PTA
2011-2012

To: Potential S.T.O.P. Students & Parents! Please read below to learn about the S.T.O.P. Program at Skaggs.

What is S.T.O.P.?

S.T.O.P. stands for “STUDENTS THINKING OF PEERS”

Would I make a good STOP Student?

Here are some things that S.T.O.P. Students work hard to achieve:

- ✓ being a positive role model for others at school
- ✓ following school rules and work hard to make the best grades you can
- ✓ helping new-comers to the school feel welcome
- ✓ being helpful and respectful to your teachers
- ✓ showing kindness & thoughtfulness to those around you

When does S.T.O.P. meet and what would be some of my responsibilities?

- ✓ Meetings are held 1 to 2 times a month. Currently we will meet every 3rd Tuesday from 2:45 – 4:00 in the Skaggs Cafeteria.
- ✓ Special Outings and Activities are occasionally scheduled. For example, in November students will attend Teen Court on a Monday night. For your child’s safety, parents will need to arrange transportation (carpools, etc.) for your child to and from all off-campus activities.
- ✓ Flag Duty is an honor and responsibility of the S.T.O.P. students. This is done on a rotation basis with a team of 3 students each week. It is the responsibility of the S.T.O.P. student, with the help of their parents, to find a replacement if he/she cannot fulfill his/her duty.

Who will be leading the STOP program this year?

S.T.O.P. will be headed up by 2 fourth/fifth grade parents. We are very excited to meet our new group of wonderful S.T.O.P. participants! If you have any questions regarding S.T.O.P., we can be contacted at:

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If becoming a S.T.O.P. participant sounds like something you’re interested in, please complete the application on the following page.

S.T.O.P. APPLICATION 2011-2012

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Students, please complete this application completely and in your **best handwriting**. You may ask your parents for help if you do not understand something, but it is important that the answers come from you.

Your Name: _____ Home Phone: _____

Grade: _____ Home Room Teacher: _____

IMPORTANT!

DUE DATE: Due to delayed access to the S.T.O.P. application for parents and students, the due date has been extended to **Wednesday, October 12, 2011, no later than 2:45 pm!** Late applications will not be accepted. Acceptance Letters will be handed out on Friday, October 14th.

WHERE TO RETURN: Return your S.T.O.P. Application to your Homeroom Teacher.

A. Please check your answer:

Will you be committed to arrive early to school to raise the flag on your assigned week? Yes___ No___

Will you do your best to attend all meetings and activities for S.T.O.P.? Yes___ No___

Will you work hard to maintain a grade of 70 or above in all subjects? Yes___ No___

Will you commit to be a positive role model for others, a helpful and respectful student, and a follower of all school rules? Yes___ No___

B. Write at least three things you could do if a new student moved to Plano and joined your class today? (attach a separate piece of paper if you need additional space to write)

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

C. Write at least three ways you can show respect to your teacher, your classmates, and/or school property? (attach a separate piece of paper if you need additional space to write)

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

