



**Santa Fe Independent
School District**

Superintendent Message



Dear SFISD Community:

Nov. 2, 2018

“We must become the change we want to see”

~Mahatma Gandhi~

Veterans Day is the anniversary of the signing of the armistice, which ended the World War I hostilities between the Allied nations and Germany in 1918. Our students will be participating in Veterans Day activities on Nov. 9th to honor and thank all who serve and have served in the United States Military Services. Santa Fe High School invites the public to attend their annual Veterans Day Ceremony on Friday, November 9th at 9:00 am in the SFHS gymnasium. Our students and staff will pay homage to the veterans of all wars who have contributed so much to the preservation of our Nation. We also extend a special thank you to our local veterans for their services to the United States on Veterans Day!

Congratulations to our volleyball SFHS Lady Indians for advancing to the Regional Quarter Finals playoff competition as Area Champs and finishing the regular season Bi-District Champs! Our varsity football Indians will travel to Dayton to fight for a playoff position as well. We're proud of our Indians!

Congratulations also to our Santa Fe High School Band who recently participated in Region 17 UIL Marching Contest earning a Division II rating. We are also very proud of these hard working band students!

November 9, 2018 the annual McRee Ford Drive 4UR school event will be held at the high school stadium parking lot for our Santa Fe Texas Education Foundation to benefit our teachers and students. Come by anytime between 9:00-4:00 to test drive a new Ford vehicle and the foundation will receive \$20 for each test drive for a goal of \$5000 to be used for funding grants for innovation in our classrooms!

As we move into the holiday season, please continue your diligence in ensuring student attendance in school. Attendance Matters!! Thank you all for your ongoing efforts in educating our children and community on the importance of consistency in attendance and the many negative effects of absenteeism on education. We also appreciate all that you do every day for every student in preparing them to succeed and achieve in school and in life!

Your vote is your voice! Election day is Nov. 6, 2018. Students are counting on you to speak up for them at the polls, so if you don't early vote, election day is Tuesday!

Don't forget to set your clocks to fall back this weekend!

**The mission of Santa Fe Independent School District is
To Prepare ALL members of the Santa Fe Independent School District learning community to Achieve
and Succeed through innovative strategies and collaborative relationships.**