



**Santa Fe Independent  
School District**

***Superintendent Message***



Dear SFISD Community:

Sept. 13, 2019

*Life is all about timing ...the unreachable becomes reachable, the unavailable becomes available, the unattainable...attainable.*

*Stacey Charter*

We all extend another special note of appreciation for all of our first responders as we observed Patriot's Day on Sept. 11, 2019 and honored their service for our district and community. Congratulations to SFISD police officer, Sergeant Ruben Espinoza who was also recognized this week by the Santa Fe Chamber of Commerce as the SFISD Public Servant of the Year! We are very grateful all of our police officers, security personnel and first responders who risk their lives daily for our safety and freedom!

Attendance Matters! During this Attendance Awareness Month, our focus supports our belief in serving every student, every day. Let's continue to maintain the focus and importance of every child in school every day, so that our cumulative daily attendance remains above state level and our students are at school and learning daily. Thank you for helping ensure the importance of student attendance for students, parents, and the community!

Another important district focus for this year also includes continuous improvement and progress in all areas for all students, and for all adults. Regardless of our role in the district, we are all learners and teachers for children! In our school community, our work includes a collective responsibility for all students. If we all maintain a commitment to continuous improvement and a collective responsibility, we will see positive results for all!

Also, as we progress through this first quarter and continue to reach higher and expect more from ourselves and our students, please don't forget to celebrate the successes of our students and each other!! Thank you for all that you do to Prepare our Students to Achieve and Succeed in school, work, and life!

*'Good actions give strength to ourselves and inspire good actions in others.'*

**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.**