



# ARTHUR C. BUTLER ELEMENTARY

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## A Message from the Principal:

Our first Coffee with the Principal meeting was held on August 22, and I wanted to take a moment to thank each of our attendees and those who reached out regarding the event. Mr. Villalta and I truly enjoyed having the opportunity to connect with you and share the details of what is happening at Butler. Our next Coffee with the Principal meeting will be held on Wednesday, September 25. We will be discussing our next Social Studies adoption and highlighting opportunities to get involved at Butler.

Thank you to all who voted in our School Site Council elections for the 2019-2020 school year. Three representatives, Natasha Ratcliff, Brian Noel, and Patricia O'Neill, were elected as the parent representatives. Congratulations!

As student safety continues to be a priority at Butler, please be advised of our arrival and dismissal procedures outlined on page 9 of our Student and Family Handbook. This page details safety protocols for ensuring student safety for our drivers, walkers, and bicycle, scooter, and skateboard riders. Mr. Villalta and I know that we are a team in providing our students with a safe, responsible, and respectful environment in AND around our school; we thank you for your continued support!

In gratitude,  
Jodi Boyle, Principal

## Character Education Corner:

Our first character trait for the year is Self-Control. We are exploring what it means to have self-control in the classroom, out at recess and even exploring the use of self-control outside of school. For more resources on self-control please visit <https://www.characterlab.org/self-control>

In addition to reviewing and practicing self-control, we are also reviewing our **Stop, Walk, and Talk** strategies with all of our students. As part of our Bullying Prevention curriculum, students are taught to say "**Stop**" when someone is not being kind. If this continues students are taught to **Walk** away, lastly students are taught to **Talk** to an adult if they do not feel safe. Please review this with your child(ren).

These activities welcomes those with disabilities to participate fully. If you need a disability-related modification or accommodation, including auxiliary aids or services, to participate in this or any program, service or activity offered you, please contact Arthur C. Butler Elementary School Administration, at (916) 681-7595 at least 48 hours before the scheduled event so that we may make every reasonable effort to accommodate you. {Government Code Section 54953.2; Americans with Disabilities Act 1990, Section 202 (42 U.S.C. Section 12132).}

## Upcoming Dates

Please make sure to mark your calendars for these important dates:

### September

- ◇ September 2—Labor Day—No School
- ◇ September 3-13 ZBEST Fundraiser A Track
- ◇ September 3 7-7:45 Band MP
- ◇ September 3 2-2:25 Character Ed Assembly Gr. 1/2
- ◇ September 4 Fall Picture Day A Track
- ◇ September 4 3-4:00 School Site Council Mtg
- ◇ September 4 PTO Mtg—library
- ◇ September 5 7-7:45 Band MP
- ◇ September 6 Lunch with the Principal 11:00am
- ◇ September 10 7-7:45 Band MP
- ◇ September 12 7-7:45 Band MP
- ◇ September 13 Minimum Day Track Change Day-All Kinder AM Schedule 8:00-11:31 and Grades 1-6 8:00-12:30pm
- ◇ September 13 Awards Assemblies :8:05 A Track, 8:55 C Track, 9:30 D Track, 11:00am Kinder-Classrooms
- ◇ September 17 7-7:45 Band MP
- ◇ September 17 2:00 Earthquake Drill
- ◇ September 19 7-7:45 Band MP
- ◇ September 20 Lunch with the Principal 11:00am
- ◇ September 23 2-2:25 Grit Character Ed Assembly Gr. 1/2
- ◇ September 24 7-7:45 Band MP
- ◇ September 24 2-2:25 Grit Character Ed Assembly Gr. 3/4
- ◇ September 25 8-9 Coffee with the Principal, MP
- ◇ September 25 2-2:25 Grit Character Ed Assembly Gr. 5/6
- ◇ September 26 7-7:45 Band MP
- ◇ September 27 Lunch with the Principal 11:00am





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<p><b>2</b> Labor Day— No School</p>	<p><b>3</b> Z-Best A track sales 7-7:45 Band MP 2-2:25 Self Control Char. Ed Assembly Grades 1-2</p>	<p><b>4</b> Z-Best A track sales Fall Picture day A Track 3-4:00 School Site Council Mtg LC2 6-7:00 PTO Mtg Library</p>	<p><b>5</b> Z-Best A track sales 7-7:45 Band MP</p>	<p><b>6</b> Z-Best A track sales Lunch with the Principal!</p> 
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<p><b>16</b> Welcome Back B Track!</p>	<p><b>17</b> 7-7:45 Band MP 2:00 - Earthquake Drill</p>	<p><b>18</b></p>	<p><b>19</b> 7-7:45 Band MP</p> 	<p><b>20</b> Lunch with the Principal!</p> 
<p><b>23</b> 2-2:25 Grit Char. Ed Assembly - Grades 1-2 MP</p>	<p><b>24</b> 7-7:45 Band MP 2-2:25 Grit Char. Ed Assembly - Grades 3-4 MP</p> 	<p><b>25</b> 2-2:25 Grit Char. Ed Assembly - Grades 5-6 MP</p>	<p><b>26</b> 7-7:45 Band MP</p>	<p><b>27</b> Lunch with the Principal!</p> 
<p><b>30</b></p>				



It is a great day to be a bulldog!