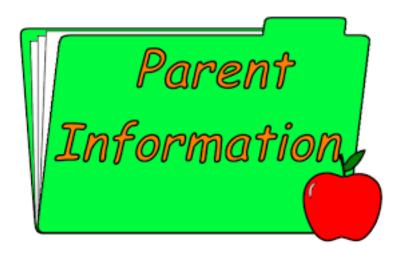
## Friday Update, May 27, 2022

Good evening, Sulphur Springs Families. This is Dr. Catherine Kawaguchi, your Superintendent with a Friday Update, May 27, 2022.



Every school year, the Sulphur Springs Union School District is required to provide all families a copy of the Annual Notification which is designed to notify parents, guardians, and students of their rights and responsibilities per California Education Code (Section 48982) and District Board Policies (BP) and Administrative Regulations (AR). I have attached a copy of the Annual Notification for the 2022-2023 school year. If you would like a paper copy of the Notification, please call your child's school office, and they will be happy to provide you one.



On May 25<sup>th</sup>, I sent to all families some resources that may be helpful to your family if needed regarding the school shooting in Texas. Please see below for those resources:

- Parent Guidelines for Helping Youth After the Recent Shooting (The National Child Traumatic Stress Network English/Spanish)
- <u>Talking to Children About Violence: Tips for Parents and Teachers</u> (National Association of School Psychologists English/Spanish)
- <u>Helping Children Cope with Frightening News</u> (Child Mind Institute English/Spanish)
- Coping in the Aftermath of a Shooting (American Counseling Association)
- Trauma and Disaster Mental Health (American Counseling Association)
- <u>Teaching in the Wake of Violence</u> (Facing History and Ourselves)

In addition, the California Department of Education has also provided access to additional resources to support families. Please see the attachment to your email. Please know that our schools are here to support you, and if you feel that your child needs access to a counselor and/or social worker to talk to, please send a ParentSquare message to your child's teacher and/or Principal.

Wishing you and your family a restful three-day weekend. Thank you.

