



NJ-SP Bluejay Express

Mrs. Amy Bright, Principal
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Preparing Today's Youth for Tomorrow's Opportunities

Happy May, Bluejay Families!

It's been a tremendous year, but we're not done yet!

Next week we'll be showering our teachers with gifts of appreciation for their caring, hard work, and thoughtful instruction all year long! It's **Teacher Appreciation Week!** Teachers give from their emotional buckets each day, let's fill their buckets up to the top with thoughtful expressions of thanks and gifts. If you'd like to provide your child an opportunity to participate in a kid-friendly way, try these ideas: draw a picture of a flower for your teacher, send your teacher a note, wear your teacher's favorite colors.

Everyone's favorite day, **Field Day**, is Friday, May 15th. It is always a fun and memorable day for both students and teachers. Your child's teacher will give you more details about Field Day as we get closer to the date.

Our 4th Grade students will attend a **5th Grade Orientation** on May 19th. The Middle School will open their doors to our students, present information, and give student-led tours of the school. This helps alleviate some of the nerves of moving to a new school building. We also celebrate our 4th Graders with an awards program the morning of the 22nd.

By no means is the learning winding down for our striving Bluejays. Classroom teachers have engaging projects and interesting assignments planned for this month to keep students motivated and wanting to learn. There's no stopping now. We're going to finish strong!

Bluejays Soar!

Mrs. Bright
Principal

Important Dates:

May 2, 2026 – South Bend Cubs Game;

May 6, 2026 – BOGO Bookfair; 4:30 – 6:30PM

May 15, 2026 – Field Day

May 22, 2026 – 4th Grade Awards; 9:30 AM

May 22, 2026 – Last Day of School

August 5, 2026 – 1st Day of School 26/27 School Year



We always have a delicious breakfast ready for all our students each morning at NJ-SP Elementary. Start your day with a full tummy to have a full day of learning.