

FOLEY ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

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"Where Young Falcons Take Flight"

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FES April 2026 School Board Update

Parent/Teacher Conferences & Book Fair

Foley Elementary held its spring Parent/Teacher Conferences on March 17th and 19th, achieving a fantastic family participation rate with 597 students, or 95%, having a parent or guardian attend.

The Scholastic Book Fair was also open during the conference evenings for families to browse and shop. This year's spring conference book fair was the most successful FES has ever hosted, raising an impressive \$4,531. All of these funds will be used to purchase new books for our Media Center. I want to extend a huge thank you to Jeanne Metzger, FES Media Secretary, for her hard work in making the book fair such a success!

MCA Testing

Third-grade students and their teachers have been working hard to complete the MCA Reading and Math assessments. The Reading assessment was administered from April 8th through the 10th, and the Math assessment is scheduled for April 21st through the 23rd.

Student Placement

Teachers are currently working through the time-intensive process of placing students and creating balanced class lists for the 2026-2027 school year. Our primary goal is to ensure each classroom is a well-rounded learning environment, offering a mix of student talents, skills, and needs.

To support this process, parents were given the opportunity to provide input. This input included information about the type of classroom environment and teaching style that best supports their child, any preferences for student pairings, and other relevant factors for us to consider.

Upcoming FES Events

- 2nd Grade Field Trip to the Paramount Theater - April 23
- PreK ½ Field Trip to Nick's Plants & Produce - April 23 & 24
- Kindergarten Music Concert - April 29 & 30
- 2nd Grade Pioneer Day - May 1
- 1st Grade Field Trip to the Mille Lacs Indian Museum - May 1 & 7
- PTO Spring Carnival - May 8