

Back-to-School Newsletter

Fall, 2019

Welcome Back

As the summer season draws to a close, we anxiously await the return of students to our building! We've been busy over the last two months completing end-of-year tasks prior to making the shift to preparation for the 2019-2020 school year.

We are looking forward to sharing the results of our hard work with our community during our Open House. Our teachers continue to outdo themselves with the effort they put into making their classrooms warm and welcoming places to learn. We hope that you will attend in order to connect with both our veteran teachers and staff as well as the new members of our Memorial family.

Enjoy the remainder of the summer break. Please contact us if you have any questions or concerns. We will see you soon!

-Mr. Combs, Dean of Students

-Mrs. Day, Memorial Elementary Principal

First Day of School: Monday, August 26, 2019

Start of the School Day: 8:45am End of Day: 3:15pm Kindergarten Orientation Tuesday, August 20

Open House Thursday, August 22 5:00pm-7:00pm

First Day of School Monday, August 26

No School—Labor Day Monday, September 2

Band Instrumental Rental Night Thursday, September 5 6:00pm-8:00pm

Picture Day Wednesday, September 11

No School—Fair Week Monday, September 23-Friday, September 27

Renewing Pride: Stadium Opening *Tuesday, October 1*

District Field Day Friday, October 11

Homecoming Game Friday, October 11





Check out the 2019-2020 Student Handbook online!

PROCEDURAL REMINDERS

Paperwork: Students will receive many important documents on the first day of school that need parent/guardian and student signatures. Please complete these forms promptly and return to school by Friday, August 30, 2019.

Student Insurance: Parents are reminded that the school district does not carry medical insurance on students, but we do provide parents with the opportunity to select a primary excess group insurance plan for students. Applications are available in the main office or on the district website under the Information tab. Please read the application carefully. Parents who want to purchase the school insurance must return the completed form directly to the insurance company. Coverage can be purchased at any time during the school year.

Anti-Bullying Procedures: As noted in the Board Policy #249, complaints of bullying shall be investigated promptly, and corrective action shall be taken when allegations are verified. Additionally, it shall be the responsibility of the students, parents/guardians, and all staff members who become aware of an act of bullying to report it to the building principal for further investigation.

Health/Immunizations: Please find important information regarding health requirements below:

- All incoming Kindergarten students are required to have a physical and dental exam.
- All third grade students are required to have a dental exam.
- Students need to have all of the required immunizations. Parents will be contacted for compliance concerns.
- According to the Department of Health regulations, school districts are required to exclude students who fail to comply with requirements in a timely manner.

Please contact Mrs. Myra Golomb, Elementary School Nurse, at 570.784.6135 with questions or concerns.

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School Hours: 8:45am-3:15pm (doors open for students at 8:15am)

Office Hours: 7:30am-3:30pm

