



Evaline FRIDAY News

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Evaline Reopening

Next week we will start having students return to face to face learning. We will begin with Kindergarten and First Grade students in their classroom 2 days a week, using a half day schedule the first week. (8:30-11:30). Each week we will add additional grades to our schedule until all grades are included. Here are some specifics to help your families get ready for this adjustment. We will be continuing to update you on additional information as it becomes available.

What to Bring: backpack, charged chromebook and cord, headphones, water bottle, mask, ((K-1) a change of clothes), school supplies including workbooks. We recommend students have two sets of some supplies so they're not packing them to and from school.(ex. Pencils, erasers, scissors, color crayons, etc.) Please let your students' teacher know if you have questions or need assistance with this. Please do not bring trinkets or toys to school per safety protocols.

Bus Schedule/Protocols:

- 1. Beginning October 12th**, the bus will run on its regular schedule Monday through Thursday. **The bus will not run next week for K-1 half days due to low ridership.** You may see the bus stop or drive by your house even if it is not your day to attend school. The bus route is attached to this email. Please note that we will follow the schedule as closely as possible, but trains and slow borders may impact the schedule. Please have your child(ren) ready at their designated bus stop 5 minutes prior to pick up time, and like- wise plan to be at their drop off stop 5 minutes prior to drop off.
- 2. ATTESTATION ON THE BUS:** Students will be expected to wear a mask and have a completed attestation slip to turn in to the bus aide when they get on the bus. We will be sending yellow booklets of these home in our distance learning packets/at lunch deliveries and have them available as well to pick up at school at the pick up/drop off table at our front door beginning next week.
- 3. SEATING:** Students have assigned seats by family group. The assignments will be organized so that the first students on the bus will sit in the furthest seat in the back, and fill from there forward. This will keep students from passing by other students as they enter. The family groups will have distance between them. Windows will be slightly open to help with ventilation. The bus will be sanitized after each trip.



IMPORTANT DATES:

October:

Mon. 12: Bus run begins

Tues. 20: School Board Meeting, 6:30

November:

Tues. 10: Bell School Photo

Wed. 11: No School - Veterans Day

Thurs. - Fri. 26-27: No School -Thanksgiving Break



Distance Learners: Effective 10/26, as we transition to primarily face to face learning, the distance learning being offered will no longer be identical to how it was prior to this transition. Students will receive packets and/or work connected to/ outlined on their learning platforms. Video lessons, if present, may be modified as compared to prior to this transition and videos will not be required by the teachers, unless they are considered essential for completing the required learning tasks as determined by the teaching staff. Packets will be provided for pick-up at Evaline only, and parents will be responsible to hand deliver them into the designated drop off crate at Evaline.

Lunch & Packet delivery: Lunch & Packet delivery will continue only until 10/26/20, at an adjusted time between 10-11:30AM. Please update the school if your lunch needs change. Beginning 10/26/20 lunches & packets will be only available at the school site for pick up as we adjust our staffing to meet the changing needs of our student body. Lunches will remain free at this time.

Masks: Masks are required for anyone to enter or remain in the school building unless they have a doctor's note allowing for an alternate safety option. If a student is unable or unwilling to wear a mask they are still able to participate in learning at Evaline School using the distance learning resources. We will be providing "Mask Breaks" to assist with the adjustment to wearing masks for a longer period of time.

Student Drop Off: For the first week of school and for parents who are choosing to **drop off their students to do so between 8:15-8:25** using the front driveway loop, following the signs posted. We will try to have staff out initially to help direct traffic. Students will be dropped off at either the office door for Grades 3 and 4 or the front door for gradesK,1,2,5 and 6. Please drop them off with their completed health attestation slip from the packet you will be receiving at pick up/ drop off next week. **The bus will arrive at 8:30AM. When the bus arrives, any drop off students not having exited their vehicles yet, will need to wait in their vehicles until the bus has been fully unloaded and moved while the passengers are checked in by family group.** Do not unload your vehicle during this time, please wait in your vehicle until you can pull up to your student's entrance. You will be

Student Dismissal/Pick Up: We will need to load the bus and have it depart before we begin to send students out to cars for pick up due to necessary safety protocols. We will **begin loading the bus prior to 2pm to allow the bus to have a planned departure time of 2pm.** We will then plan to start dismissal of students by family group to the Home Line beginning at 2:05pm. **We ask that you not arrive to line up until at least 2pm,** and that you **line up using the front loop only.** We will have signs to help with this process as well as extra staff at first as needed. We will have staff monitoring the traffic and will be making the necessary adjustments in our schedule and logistics over time for student pick up as we see how the process is going. **We ask that you remain in your vehicles for both drop off and pick up, and that you give at least a 1 hour notice for any change to a prearranged plan for bus versus pickup / drop off plan due to safety and logistical reasons.**

Attestation Yellow Slips -Temperature Check

We will be sending home **attestation booklets** for each student for parents/guardians to fill out at home and simply send to school with their student. The student can then hand the slip to a staff member at the door at drop off or to a staff member will then do a temperature check. Once inside students will be required to wash their hands as their first task of the day. We request parents remain in cars and cars remain in line until initial temperatures are taken for the student(s) from that car, in case there becomes a need to have a student(s) go directly home. We ask for patience during this process, and we believe it will get faster over time. We are hoping this entire process will make for a smoother and safer transition into the school. If you have any questions you can message your student's teacher or call the school.

BOX TOPS FOR EDUCATION, THE NEXT GENERATION OF BOX TOPS IS HERE.

The Box Tops program has become digital-only. Participating brands have changed their packaging from a traditional Box Tops clip to a new Box Top label. If you see this label, use the new Box Tops **app** on your mobile phone to scan your receipt. **Box Tops are still worth 10¢ each for your school.** The app will find participating products purchased at any store and instantly add cash to your school's earnings online. For more information go to: www.boxtops4education.com



asked to reload and wait, due to safety protocols if you exit prematurely.

Schedules for students returning: Teachers will be notifying their families of the days that their students will be scheduled to attend school face to face, should they choose to send them at this time. We will start this transition back to face to face learning on an A/B model, where students attend 2 day a week, either M/W or T/Th.

Basic Schedule for October:

Week 1 (10/5-10/9):

K/1 half day. 8:25-11:30, no lunch at school

A-M/W: Kindergarten

B-T/TH: 1st Grade

2nd-6th continue current distance learning plan

Week 2 (10/12-10/16):

K/1 Full days 8:25-2:00, A/B schedule

2nd and 3rd grades on A/B schedule

4th-6th continue current distance learning plan

Week 3 (10/19-10/23):

K/1 Full days 8:25-2:00, A/B schedule

2nd and 3rd grades on A/B schedule

4th on A/B Schedule

5th/6th continue current distance learning plan

Week 4 (10/26-10/30)

K/1 Full days 8:25-2:00, A/B schedule

2nd and 3rd grades on A/B schedule

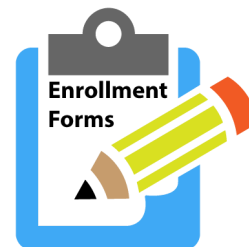
4th on A/B schedule

5th/6th on A/B schedule



NEW ONLINE Student Forms and Enrollment

Parents/Guardians of existing students, **please check for an email** inviting you to create a Family Access account in skyward. You will receive a User Name in the email and will need to reset the password. You will then be able to access required forms and update student and family information. If you are new this year and already filled out paperwork you may not need to do this, but we would appreciate you logging in and confirming your student and family information. If you have any questions, feel free to call the school and we can help you out.. (360) 785-3460



Accelerated Reader Program

Keep encouraging your students to read their books and take those AR tests! We are still adding up AR points and completing leaps just like before. AR prizes will be going out to students at the end of each month for completing leaps!



MRS. YOUNG
KINDERGARTEN AND 1ST GRADE
(360) 785-3460 - Voicemail Ext. 1002

Hi families,

We have gotten through so much work so far! The kindergarteners are about to start letter sounds and writing the letters of the alphabet. With learning the letter names and sounds, reading comes very quick after. Don't be surprised when your kid says, "I can read".

The first grade will be digging into writing full sentences to answer questions. This is a huge goal for the whole year. Keep encouraging your students as they struggle with forming the right words for a sentence.

With students returning next week, please make sure that your student has a mask that fits their face. We don't want the masks to be falling the entire time.

Remember your students will have breaks from their masks outside or in the bus garage.

Students will need their school supplies the first day they come in person. If you have not picked up school supplies yet, please make sure to do so by the time their first in person day is here.

I cannot wait to see everyone!
Mrs. Young



MRS. MITTGE
2ND GRADE
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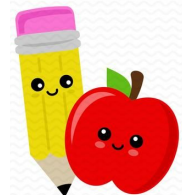
Super Second Graders Weekly Update:

Second graders' Student Superpower of the Week was "Good Judgement." Our mantra was, "Make smart choices based on what you know is right." We talked about how part of good judgement was considering the consequences of decisions, thinking before acting or speaking, and having the tools to make good choices in a variety of situations. We also discussed how prioritising, meeting deadlines, and carefully planning are components of good judgement. Finally, we decided that good judgement helps us to make decisions that consider the future.

Please encourage your child to use his/her weekly task sheets to drive their daily schedule and to clarify assignments. Students may need a parent or guardian to go over each subject for the day with them to ensure assignments have been completed. It is really important that students write their first and last name on each assignment.

Online assignments are also important to complete: ixl, Epic, and AR were carefully selected because of their academic benefits and the support they offer to students. Packets and assignments are due by 3:00 pm on Fridays so that I have time to review work and provide feedback to students and families in a timely manner.

It looks like I will be able to start teaching students in-person starting Monday, October 12th! I am so looking forward to this next adventure with your dynamic, super second graders!
Have a lovely weekend!



**MRS. TURNQUIST
3RD GRADE**

(360) 785-3460 - Voicemail Ext. 1003

Hello Families,

I am seeing an increased amount of work completed by students and turned in. Keep up the great work! Although some students will be returning to class shortly students will still be doing at home learning as well, so it is important to keep those routines and expectations established.

In math we have taken the rounding and mental math strategies that we have learned for addition and are now applying them to subtraction. It is okay for your child not to love each method taught. The point is to give options so that every student has the chance to find a method that works for them. We are full swing in our ELA readers and are reading about Alice's Adventures in Wonderland. Students are doing a much better job of repeating back the question to give a complete sentence answer.



A big shout out to Jazmyn and Jackson for being on top of their AR and making sure to test regularly! AR prizes will be going out to students at the end of each month for completing leaps just like they have in past years. Please encourage your student to be reading daily a minimum of 20-30 minutes and testing each time they finish a book. These tests are one way I can monitor your students reading comprehension.

**MR. BURLINGAME
5TH AND 6TH GRADE**

(360) 785-3460 - Voicemail Ext. 1001

Hello Parents and Students,

Wow a month has gone by already and we are now into October. The big news right now is our phased reopening of the school to students. Next week Kindergarten and first grade start. We will be face to face starting October 26 with 5th grade on Monday and Wednesday and 6th grade on Tuesday and Thursday. Friday will continue to be on the remote learning format for both grades. Keep in mind this could change between now and the end of October but that's the plan for now.

Mr. B



MRS. DUREN
4TH GRADE
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Our Fabulous 4th graders!

This week we have really stepped up the pace and progress in 4th Grade, having completed our fall assessments, delving deeper into learning about the Constitution in Social Studies, preparing for our first math test of the year, and learning more about narrative writing while reading our second ELA story.



We have been studying the topic of Germs and Strategies for staying healthy in Health class, and have had the opportunity to learn more about the piano, yoga poses, and how to draw a marvelous cat! So though it has been a bit more challenging with an increase in work, It has also been a pretty fun week too!

We have noticed our 4th graders getting more comfortable and successfully using our learning platform, and the intervention programs we have included in our class day, which is great. It is critical however, that they continue to follow the daily schedule and complete each task listed, as each task will be the foundation for the next one presented, and getting caught up after getting behind can be a challenge. Please encourage your student's to watch and rewatch the videos uploaded onto Classdojo, and to ask us questions they may have about an assignment or a concept using ClassDojo or in our listed daily zoom sessions as needed. When the work is completed, please make sure it is submitted either by using their return envelope or by using Classdojo so we can grade it, and provide feedback. One quick way to get feedback from us is to submit a picture of the completed work onto ClassDojo and we can usually review it and offer feedback within 24 hours. As a side note, submitting a blank worksheet does not count for submitting an assignment, and by not doing the assignment they are missing out on learning and practicing a key concept, so please encourage your student to try their best on each page, and to let us know if they need any help or clarification.

Also, If your student has arranged to come in for extra support, please make sure they bring their current learning packet, and their assigned Chromebook with the power cord so that we have the resources we need to provide the planned support.

Have a Fabulous Weekend!
Mrs. Duren and Mrs. Fletcher



