



WELCOME

Jasper Elementary School Parent Orientation 2021



Jasper Elementary School exists to provide academic, emotional, and social growth for every student inside and outside of the classroom.

We exist to achieve the highest level of learning for all students through the tenacious pursuit of excellence.



JES: Inspiring Today for
a Better Tomorrow

K-4 SCHOOL HOURS

- In order to continue to provide a quality education with rigorous standards, our school day for our Kindergarten through 4th grade students is as follows:
 - HOURS
 - 7:00 - Doors open
 - 7:45 – K-4 Students are dismissed to homerooms
 - 8:00 – Tardy Bell Rings – Classes begin
 - 2:45 – Dismissal begins-K Parents are allowed to **start** lining up at 2:35.
- All students picked up by 3:15.



PreK SCHOOL HOURS

HOURS

- 8:15-8:20 – Drop off at the car rider door
- 1:45-1:50 – Dismissal - PreK parents ONLY

School Hours



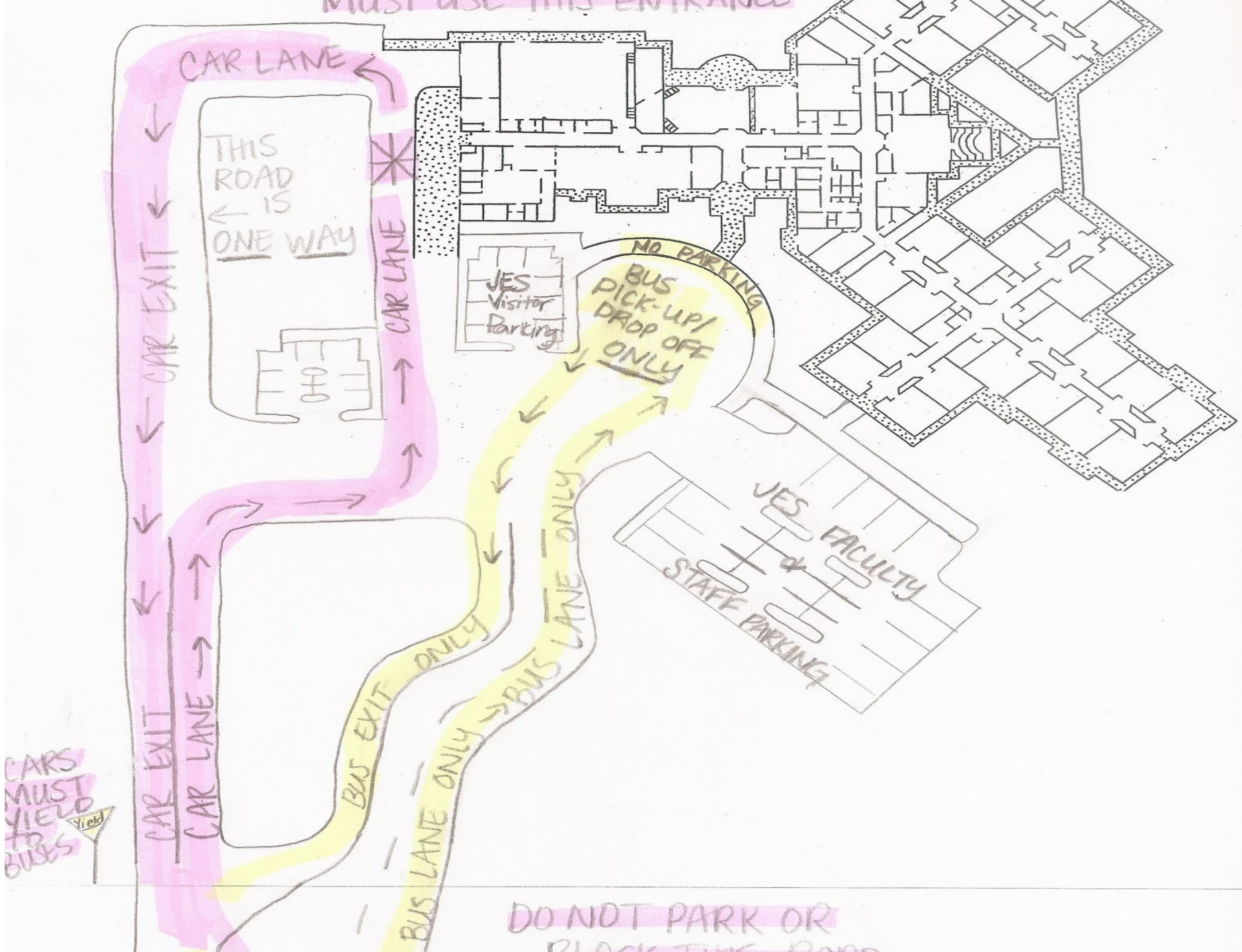
PM Pick-Up Schedule

- Pre-K @ 1:40
- Kindergarten @ 2:35
- 1st grade @ 2:45
- 2nd grade @ 2:55
- 3rd and 4th grades @ 3:00



- If you have TWO or more students at JES, the older will ride with the younger.
- Car tags: facing out / must be JES issued tag
- 2 free: extras \$1.00

MUST USE THIS ENTRANCE





Important Reminders



- Car lane is ALWAYS the left lane
- Bus lane is ALWAYS the right lane
- Car drop off/pick up is at the SIDE entrance of the school.
- Bus drop off/pick up is in the circle.
- The circle is closed to all cars. If you need to enter the building please park in a designated parking space.
- Kindergarten cars can come on campus at 2:35, not before. Please watch the marquee out front.
- Do not come to campus until it is your student's designated dismissal times.
- During dismissal PLEASE do not block exit lane.
- First couple of weeks will be CRAZY. Please be patient and understanding!

PTO

- We have a supportive and active PTO.
- Like the JES PTO on Facebook.
- Please join. There is a sign up table in the hallway near the Little Theater.
- \$1 membership fee

Molly Sisk , President

Autumn Martin, VP

Tammy Ellis, Treasurer

Alyssa Steele, Secretary



Planned PTO Events

Meetings:

August 10

September 14

October 19

November 9

December 14

Plan on being here for Christmas shopping, games, food, and fun on December 2!

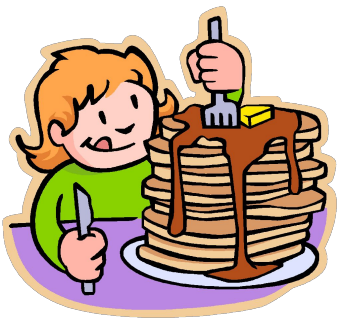
- We need YOUR help.
- If you are interested in being a Parent Volunteer, please fill out the volunteer sheet that is coming home!
- Needs
 - Exterior work – mulching, weed eating, trimming, planting flowers
 - Interior work – copying, laminating, decorating, organizing





TITLE I Information

- Title I is a federally funded program that has been in place since 1965. This program was developed to assist schools with a high percentage of socio-economically disadvantaged students by giving additional funding in order to provide high-quality education for every child.
- Through the Community Eligibility Provision (CEP), Jasper Elementary is a Title I school.
- Marion County Title I provides many services to the schools such as teacher and paraprofessional salaries, funding for equipment and materials, and professional development.
- Everyone will receive a newsletter once a month called *Home School Connections* and PreK will receive one called *The Early Years*.
- If you would like to be on the Family/Community Advisory Council please let us know.



Breakfast and Lunch



The Community Eligibility Provision allows ALL students to be eligible for breakfast and lunch at NO CHARGE to you.

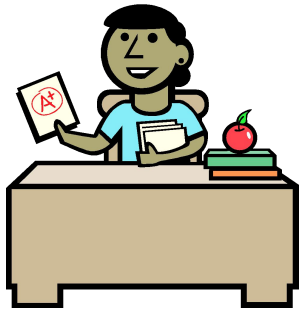
Your child WILL need money if they want additional items (milk, veggie, ice cream) OR if they bring a lunch from home and want items.

Adult lunch is \$3.75. Please contact the cafeteria if you would like to eat lunch.



Extended Day Program

- Hours are 3:15 – 5:00
- If you have not picked up your child by 3:15, the child will be sent to Extended Day and you will be expected to pay a day's tuition.
- After school care is a paid program.



Supply List and Room Fee

- Please purchase the items you know are crucial to your child's learning.
- The room fee is a donation of \$25. This money goes directly to the classroom teacher to use for classroom materials. Any amount donated would be greatly appreciated.
- You may pay it all at once or in installments.
(ex. \$5 for 5 months or \$12.50 now and \$12.50 in January)

Staying in Touch at Jasper Elementary...



423-942-2110



423-942-8817



jesoffice@mctns.net

Use for transportation changes
(by 1:30pm) and for emailing
parent/doctor notes for absences



[jasperelementaryschool](https://www.instagram.com/jasperelementaryschool)



jasperelementary.org

To reach a specific staff
member:

visit webpage, scroll down to
staff, choose staff member,
emails are listed



[@jasperelementary](https://www.facebook.com/jasperelementary)

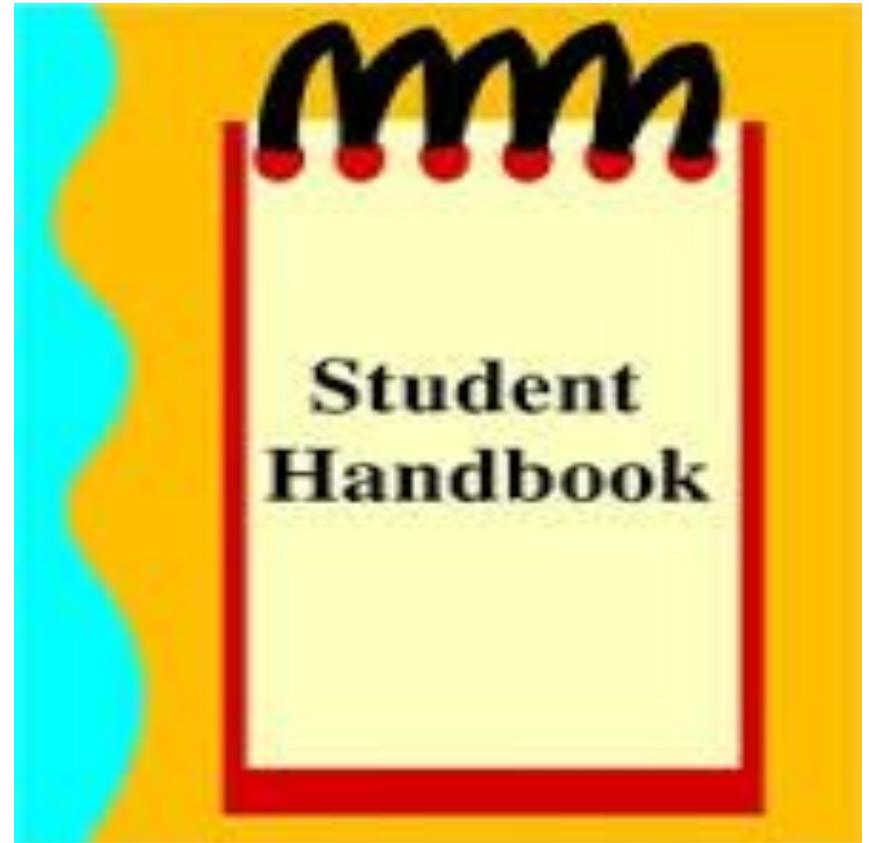
To reach Mrs. Jones and Mrs.
Cookston, email: jeshelp@mctns.net

New Student Handbook

Our student handbook is found on our Jasper Elementary website. You will find information on the following Marion County School Board Policies:

- ✓ Student Code of Conduct
- ✓ Attendance
- ✓ Bus Guidelines
- ✓ Medication Information

Major Handbook Changes:
Attendance Updates



Attendance Updates

*only 6 parent notes the entire year

Attendance

Individual Incentives:

- Perfect Attendance rewarded every 9 weeks
- Perfect Attendance for whole year rewarded

Classroom Incentives:

- Classroom perfect attendance recognized daily
- ATTENDANCE letters/rewards
 - 10 letters = reward
- Bi-weekly trophies for classes with best attendance

Grading

K-2: Standards Based Report Cards

3rd - 4th: Number Grades

Principal's List: 93-100 average

Every final class grade is at least a 93 or above

Honor Roll: 90 or above average

Every final class grade is at least an 85 or above

Child Safety

- Transportation changes MUST be made before 1:30 and must be on paper (email to jesoffice@mctns.net OR handwritten note to teacher).
- Our email is jesoffice@mctns.net
- All visitors must enter the front doors of the building and sign in and out. Please have your driver's license READY!
- Office doors will be LOCKED at all times. For this reason, parents will not be able to enter during dismissal unless it is an emergency.
- Holiday/Birthday celebrations will not include visitors.



Signature Sheet

- In an effort to make the registration process more efficient, we are using a simple signature sheet.
- This sheet has various items that need to be checked AND signed by the parent and student.
- Make sure you and your child(ren) have read **EVERYTHING** in your Welcome Packet before signing this sheet.



- Registration Form/Emergency Card – Keep it updated!!!
- Custody Issues – Please make sure we have all important information updated and on file
- If you need clothes or supplies for your child let our counselor know. sguess@mctns.net or 942-2110
- READ STUDENT HANDBOOK!!!!
- If you ever need anything.....have a praise, complaint or a suggestion just let us know.
- We are ALL here for every child and every decision made at JES will be based on what is best for OUR children.

Have an issue?

Issues happen and 99.9% of the time are an easy fix if communication is open and honest!

- Start with teachers to fix an issue.

Bus Issues:

- Start with bus driver to fix an issue.

Parent / Guardian Homework

Complete all paperwork and return Friday,
August 6.

Send your child with snack and a water bottle
(not using fountains).

Before you leave registration the most important
thing is to make sure your child's teacher knows
is how your child is getting home each day!

Bus? Need exact address!

Back
To
School!

