## September News Letter

Welcome to the 2023-2024 school year!! We are very excited to have our students begin next week.
As a reminder from the Parent Orientation meeting: Safety is our priority for our students, families, and staff. This year, teachers will be asking for identification at dismissal. Please make sure to bring identification with you into school at dismissal every day. If you do not have your id, you will need to come to the office to verify information about your student and give us your codeword. We appreciate your cooperation with this procedure.

Over the summer, new carpeting in the hallways and a new playground were installed! We can't wait for the children to discover all the ways they can play outside! No more rubber mulch in their pockets! We installed a poured in place surface that will allow for lots of running and safety around the area. Thank you to the Doran family for power washing our outdoor patio, playhouse and shed to get it ready for the school year.

Please join me in welcoming Mrs. Maria Del Regno in the Red room 2 day 3's class and Mrs. Monica Good and Mrs. Stacia Bliek in our 2-day Kindergarten Enrichment program. Mrs. Good taught at our program previously and has since become a licensed Kindergarten teacher. We are fortunate to have these teachers join our outstanding returning teachers and staff.

Please make sure to check your classroom Bloomz messages from your teachers to stay up to date on activities and special events.

## Upcoming Events

Sept 5 \& 6 First days of school
Sept 18 No School
Sept 19 First day of Lunch N Munch
Sept 27 School pictures for Green MW 3's, Purple W/F Little Learners, Red W/F 3's, Orange Ext 5's, Kindergarten
Sept 28 School pictures for Green TTH 3's, Purple 4's, Red 3 day 3's, Blue Ext 4's, Yellow 4's

## Lunch N Munch

We will begin our Lunch ' $N$ Munch on Tuesday, September 19th. Thank you to those who already signed up for this program. If you are still interested in signing up, please stop by the welcome desk.

## Preschool Enrichment Program

Our Preschool Enrichment Program begins on September 12th. This multi-age class meets on most Fridays from 9:00-11:30. Each week there will be a different theme to discover, i.e. Nocturnal Animals, Things That Go, My 5 Senses, Super Heroes and more. There are still openings available for the fall session. Please contact the office if you would like to enroll in this program.

## Snacks/Allergies

We are a nut-free school. Thank you in advance for making sure any packaged food you send to school is nut-free in the package by the manufacturer. Please refer to the snack list you received from your teachers for ideas.

## CLASS OPENINGS

We have limited openings in our Little Learners class, our afternoon 4's classes and our Kindergarten Enrichment classes for students who would like enrichment on Monday and Thursdays. We are always grateful to meet the families whom you refer!

Drop-off
Thank you for having your children ready with backpacks on, hugs given and the children on the passenger side of the vehicle. At some drop-off times, we have nearly 80 cars, so your assistance is greatly appreciated.

School Pictures
We will be offering individual school pictures on September 28 th and 29 th. Forms will be sent out soon and need to be returned on your child's picture day. All pictures will be exclusively available in a digital format.

## September Tutition

Tuition will be billed through your Tuition Express account on the first of every month beginning September through April unless you have paid in full.

