

**A note from the principal, Mrs. Kunz:**

School has begun and things are beginning to settle in. As with the start of anything, there may be questions that arise. Please do not hesitate to call us. We want this school year to be successful for all of our kids and sometimes it is the little things that mean the most. Make the call. We would love to hear from you. My number is 458-6340 x202

Our special beach day was very fun.

**CHECK US OUT ON THE WEB**

Have you checked out our website? It is [www.rc255.net](http://www.rc255.net) I try to keep our front page up to date.

**OUR TRAFFIC PATTERN ☺**

A big thank you goes out to the families who follow our traffic pattern and use our south parking lot. Also---Thank you for your patience as you wait behind the STOP ARM of our buses.

**GRANDPARENTS DAY**

Mark your calendars for **Sept 25th**. We will host the Grandparents of first graders from 9-10. Grandparents of our 1/2 sessions in the AM will come at 10:15-11 and the PM Grandparents may come from 2:15-3:00.

Grandparents in the AM/PM sessions could take the grandchildren home with them at 11:00 or at 3:00 IF they have a **signed note from the parents or if mom or dad call it in**. We must have advance permission for this special travel arrangement. Please plan ahead. We appreciate your cooperation.

**FIRE DRILLS AND TORNADO DRILLS AND BUS SAFETY DRILLS**

We will be having fire, bus, and tornado drills in the upcoming weeks. We schedule them in the AM and PM so all of our children can practice what to do in the case of any emergency. Please talk to your child about fire and tornado safety drills at the home.

**STOPPING AT THE OFFICE**

If you are bringing or picking up your child, please stop at the office. We send the children to the office as a central pick up or drop off place.

**LUNCH ANYONE??**

If you would like to join our first graders for lunch that would be great. Please let us know you are coming so we can prepare an extra meal.

Lunch costs \$1.50 a day and milk is \$.30 a day. Send in any amount and we will use it as a debit system. If you receive free/reduced lunch and bring a lunch but pick up a milk, you will be charged \$.30. Thanks!

**A CHANGE IN PLANS**

There have often been times when we need to change transportation plans for our children. We understand.

If you need to make special arrangements, **please call the school by 1:30 in the afternoon** so we can contact the teacher and child in advance of the changes. . Calls made after this time may not be accepted. Your cooperation is appreciated in this matter

**PARENT/TEACHER CONFERENCES**

Our fall conferences are coming up on **Nov. 5th 4-8pm and Nov. 6th 8am-12**. This meeting is very important. Sign up for the conferences will on the Open House dates. Don't miss out on getting the perfect conf. time.

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- Sept. 7 NO SCHOOL Labor Day :)**
  - Sept. 8 First Day 3 year olds- PK**
  - Sept. 15 Open House 1st Grade 6-7:30**
  - Sept 16 Early Dismissal 11:15 for gr. 1**
  - Sept 16-- NO school K/EC/PK**
  - Sept. 22 Open House PK/EC/Kindg. 5:30-6:15 for AM and 6:15-7 for PM**

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