

Kiefer Chronicle

January 2019

Dear BKE Parents and Guardians:

I hope you all have a wonderful Christmas Break, enjoy some family time and good food! I hope your time is joyous, filled with love and laughter! I want to remind you that school will resume January 7, 2019. Winter testing for students in grades K-3 begins the second and third week we are back. This screener provides us useful data in monitoring the reading progress of our primary aged students. These scores will be sent home with the second quarter report cards at the end of the month.

Monday, January 21st, is Martin Luther King Jr. Day. In observance of this federal holiday, there will be no school. Thursday, January 24th, is the end of the second quarter. Friday, the 25th, there is no school for students. Teachers will be working on report cards.

We will be utilizing our Skyalert Announcement system to send parents information during snow closures, emergency situations, and other updates on a regular basis. Schools may be closed or on two hour delays, for weather, road conditions, or other safety issues. When severe weather or road conditions are the issue, our district's Transportation Director will assess our neighborhoods, roadways, and driving conditions before dawn, taking into account current and immediate weather forecasts. The Superintendent will use that information to decide if we close or cancel school—in most cases by 5 a.m. Once we decide to close school, internal and external communications will be sent as soon as possible. You can expect to receive a message or text from us if we are closed — but not if we are open —unless there are extenuating circumstances. The safety of our students and staff is most important in our decision-making process.

In order for the District to contact you, we must have accurate contact information for you and your student. If you have changed your email address, phone number, or mailing address recently, please update your contact information in SkyWard Family Access as soon as possible so that we may send you important notices quickly. Skyalert Announcement has the ability to call your phone, send you text messages, and email.

Thanks for all you do everyday to make BKE great!
Lynn Paslay



Please ensure your child is dressed appropriately for school. With the exception of extreme or unsafe weather conditions, the children do go outside for recess each day. This means the playground is often wet, snowy, and muddy, especially this time of year. Warm waterproof boots, gloves and snow pants will all help to keep your child dry and warm. Sending an extra set of clothing to keep at school is a great way to ensure learning time won't be disrupted in case their clothes do get wet!



Clothing items (jackets, gloves, hats, boots) are located in the hallway by the office. Smaller or more valuable items are kept in the front office.

Please come and collect your lost items!



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Tuesday, February 12
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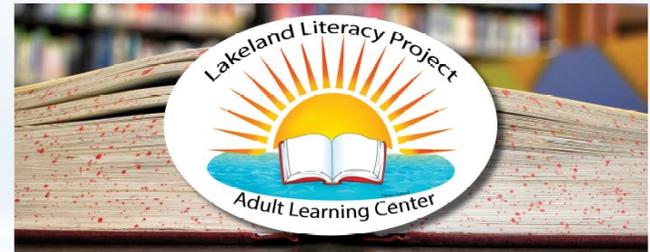
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DISTRICT OFFICE**
Wednesday, January 23
Computer Basics

Wednesday, January 30
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