

August 13, 2021

Dear Parents and Students,

Wow - it's August already! I hope you've had a fun summer with lots of opportunities to relax, play, and spend time with your children. We've had some changes here over the short summer break and wanted to share those with you. The school year begins on **Monday, August 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2021**. Most of the information you will need to know about school and individual classroom details will be sent home at Back-to-School Night. Please plan to review the materials carefully and return those that need be returned. Additionally, here's some information on things that will be happening at Centerville Elementary this year and items to put on your calendar.



**FIRST WEEK SCHEDULE** – August 23<sup>rd</sup> – 27<sup>th</sup>, 2021

The **first day** of school will follow an early out schedule where we will dismiss at **1:25 p.m.**. Early out days regularly occur on Fridays.

**BACK TO SCHOOL NIGHT** – August 26<sup>th</sup>, 2021

**6:30 p.m.** The PTA General Meeting will begin in the covered courtyard at 6:30 p.m.. Information will be provided by Mr. Holmes regarding the school and the PTA will discuss its upcoming planned activities. The Community Council will provide our TSSP plan for this year. The covered courtyard and front foyer will house PTA memberships, volunteer sign-ups etc. until 8:00 p.m.

**Individual Teacher Presentations will occur in classrooms as per the following schedule**

- 7:00 p.m. – 7:20 p.m. – Session 1 (AM Kindergartners only)
- 7:25 p.m. – 7:45 p.m. – Session 2 (PM Kindergartners only)
- 7:50 p.m. – 8:05 p.m. – Session 3

**\*\*Although children are allowed to come to Back to School Night and we are always excited to see our students and their siblings, we kindly invite and encourage parents to find a babysitter so all parents attending Back to School Night may focus on the information provided. Thank you!**

**\*\*KINDERGARTEN\*\*** - Parents will have an opportunity to schedule an assessment time for either the 23<sup>rd</sup>, 24<sup>th</sup>, or the 25<sup>th</sup>. Kindergarten students will not attend school on those three days but will come for a short assessment on one of those days.

**Monday (early out)**

8:45am-1:25pm  
(Grades 1-6)  
AM Kindergarten  
8:45-10:50  
PM Kindergarten  
11:20-1:25

**Tuesday**

8:45am-3:25pm  
(Grades 1-6)  
AM Kindergarten  
8:45-11:30  
PM Kindergarten  
12:40-3:25

**Wednesday**

8:45am-3:25pm  
(Grades 1-6)  
**No Kindergarten**

**Thursday**

8:45am-3:25pm  
(Grades 1-6)  
**No Kindergarten**

**Friday (early out)**

8:45am-1:25pm  
(Grades 1-6)  
**No Kindergarten**

**My.DSD Account** – We **strongly encourage** all parents to create a my.DSD guardian account so that you can access your child's test scores, monitor their attendance, keep your child's lunch account balanced, complete surveys on Centerville Elementary School staff, and so much more. You can set up an account at the following link:

<http://mydsd.davis.k12.ut.us/studentinformationsystem/faces/login.jsp>

You will use your student's ID number and to login the first time if you haven't already set up an account. If you need help getting these numbers, please call the school at 801-402-1400 or the district at 801-402-5600. There is an alert at the top of the page after you login where you can digitally sign the computer Acceptable Use Agreement for your child. Under the "Tools" button on the left side is the place to apply for Free and Reduced meals and/or pay for breakfast or lunch. Teacher placement for your students is now accessible through your my.DSD guardian account.. All Kindergarten students will have either period #1 (AM) or period #2 (PM) listed for their classroom placement. Please contact the school if you have any questions.

**LUNCH PRICE/PAYMENT** - We serve breakfast in the lunchroom before school at 8:15 AM. Student breakfasts and lunches are free again through the end of this school year thanks to being sponsored by the Department of Agriculture.

Adult breakfasts are \$2.10.

Lunch is served between 11:15 AM and 12:25 PM

Adult lunches are \$3.50

Milk/Juice/Water bottles are \$0.50 each

Even though meals are free, we encourage you to still apply for free and reduced meals if you qualify. The application should be completed online through your my.DSD guardian account (this may be done on a computer in the school library if you do not have a computer at home). If you want to know what's for lunch, then please download the app "Nutrislice" to follow Centerville's lunch schedule or go to the following website: <http://davis.nutrislice.com/>

**SCHOOL SUPPLIES** – Centerville Elementary will provide all the basic supplies (pencils, crayons, scissors, etc.) needed. A backpack or bag should be brought to and from school daily. Teachers may request donations of items such as tissues, hand sanitizer, etc. and **recommend** materials that will be used by their specific grade-level. These items are listed on our website under *Parents and Students* and *Classroom Supply Lists*. Any items not provided by the student or their family will be furnished by the school.

**STAYING CONNECTED** – Please contact your teacher for their individual classroom communication plan. Many of our teachers use the ClassDoJo app. and you can see them for further information. The school office will also send out regular emails and communications

regarding school activities as they are planned. These emails come from an address "centervilleelattendance" and are called *Eagle Vision News*. In addition, we do occasionally send automated callouts with pertinent information. Our PTA also maintains a Facebook page at (<https://www.facebook.com/CenterEIEagles>).

Thank you for helping make Centerville Elementary such a wonderful, unique, fun place for learning. Let's see what great things we can accomplish together this new school year!

Best Wishes –

Eric Holmes, Principal