



News from the Nest

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Dates to Remember

Jan 31	Singing Eagles at Pacer's Game
Feb 1	5 th Grade Music Performance
Feb 15	Winter Ball
Feb 19	Presidents' Day – NO SCHOOL

Yearbooks are Now on Sale!

It's Time to Order Your.....
YEARBOOK!



Order forms for yearbooks were sent home. You may order online at www.interstate.com/yearbook and enter code: **23406B** or

return the order form with cash, check or money order payable to: Eagle Creek Elementary School in the amount of \$13.00. Ordering is available until March 16, 2018.

Balanced Calendar Applications



Pike Township is going live with the **online** balanced calendar application for the 2018-19 school year. There will be no paper copies of the application.

All submissions will be online only.

If you do not have access to a computer, you may go to the CLEAR center located at Lincoln Middle School or the public library. The cut off for applicants to be included in the first round of the lottery is 3 p.m., Tuesday, January 30. Once you submit the application online you will receive a confirmation via email.

If you have a student already attending Eagle Creek and are enrolling a KG or new 1st grader, you will need to fill out an application by the deadline.

Arrival and Departure by Car



These procedures have been designed to keep our students and staff safe. Please exercise patience and flexibility by following these simple expectations:

Car Rider Arrival Procedures:

- * Students who arrive by car are to remain in the car until signaled by school staff at 7:50 a.m.
- * All parents dropping off children need to line up around the east parking lot (you will see the orange cone area).
- * **Parents are not to park in the parking lot and walk their child through the car line.**
- * Students should not get out of cars unless they have direct access to a sidewalk. This requires cars to wait patiently while traveling in a circular pattern.
- * Please stay behind the car in front of you, and do not pass other cars. Do not pull out of line.
- * Please be cognizant of others by assuring your child is ready to exit the vehicle on the **passenger side doors**.
- * This timely exit will assure that all vehicles travel through our traffic patterns in a safe and efficient manner.

* Please **DO NOT** drop your child off at the front of the building unless it is **after** 8:10 a.m.

If your child misses the bus she/he still needs to wait until 7:50 a.m. to enter the building at the east end of the building.

Car Rider Dismissal Procedures:

- * All parents picking up children by car at dismissal need to line up around the east parking lot.

- * Stay with your car and wait for the teachers to bring the students to you. Do not leave your car as this will hold up traffic flow.
- * Dismissal for car riders is 2:45 p.m. When the bell rings, teachers will lead the students to the east parking lot.
- * Please wait until all students have passed your car AND the last teacher in line has dismissed you before proceeding from the parking lot.
- * Please stay behind the car in front of you, and do not pass other cars. Do not pull out of line.
- * If your student is not in line, please follow traffic and exit towards the street and re-enter to the end of the pick-up line.
- * If your student is still not outside, please pull into a parking space at the front of the building and go to the office. Office staff will assist you in locating your child.
- * Please follow directions from staff on duty.

Students who are not picked up by 3:10 p.m. will be brought to the office area.

PLEASE NOTE: There is no supervision available in the building for students who arrive before 7:50 a.m. or are left after 3 p.m.

Textbook Rental

Final payment for all textbook rental fees was due January 8, 2018.

Grade	Book Rental & Student Supply Fees	HA Book Rental & Student Supply Fees	(Free/ Reduced) Consumable Fees
Kindergarten	\$146.51	n/a	\$60.00
Grade 1	\$140.14	\$140.14	\$50.00
Grade 2	\$138.05	\$138.05	\$48.00
Grade 3	\$137.80	\$137.80	\$48.00
Grade 4	\$135.42	\$135.42	\$48.00
Grade 5	\$136.22	\$136.22	\$48.54

MSD of Pike Township Mission Statement

The Metropolitan School District of Pike Township aims to develop students who:

- develop an intrinsic passion for learning in and beyond school
- take ownership and develop independence through choice and participation in authentic learning environments
- challenge their intellectual curiosity using inquiry, critical thinking, multiple perspectives and problem solving
- communicate their thoughts and ideas effectively through shared dialogue and collaboration
- develop global understanding and respect of various cultures
- reflect on their learning and see innovative possibilities

Universal Breakfast is served to all students each morning in the classroom (No Cost)

Student Lunch - \$2.30 – Reduced Price - \$.40

Adult Lunch - \$3.40

Lunch Menu	
Jan 29	Chicken nuggets w/honey mustard dressing OR Sunbutter sandwich fun lunch, sweet potato fries, seasoned corn
Jan 30	Italian meat spaghetti sauce, spaghetti w/grated parmesan cheese OR Garden salad fun lunch, seasoned zucchini
Jan 31	Breaded chicken drumstick w/WG dinner roll OR Popcorn chicken salad, w/saltine crackers, garlic mashed potatoes, Boston baked beans
Feb 1	Hamburger steak & gravy 2w/WG biscuit OR Ham & Swiss pretzel roll sandwich, roasted green beans
Feb 2	Cheese pizza OR Strawberry parfait w/granola, steamed broccoli florets