



June 5, 2024

Dear Alder Creek Families,

It is hard to believe that we have reached the end of the 2023-2024 school year! I am so grateful to have the opportunity to serve the Alder Creek community and I am looking forward to a wonderful year of learning and growing. Your engagement and support will make Alder Creek a great place for our students to thrive. Thank you, in advance, for your partnership!

**ACE Office:** The office is officially closed for the summer and will reopen on Thursday, August 1. Our team is looking forward to moving into the new building mid/late July. We appreciate your patience and grace as our schedules are subject to construction timelines.

**Class Assignments:** We have worked collaboratively and thoughtfully to determine class assignments. We do not accommodate requests for placement changes. Class assignments will go live online on Friday, August 2. They will also be distributed at our first annual "Coyote Call" where families are invited to come and meet their teacher. This event will be held Monday, August 5th from 11:30am-12:30pm on the blacktop.

**School Supply Lists:** Suggested school supply lists are posted [HERE](#) on our school website.

**Daily Schedule:** [ACE Bell Schedule](#) The schedule for K-5th grades is 8:15am-2:45pm Mon, Tues, Wed, Fri, and 8:15am-1:15pm on Thursdays. FCUSD schools have early release on Thursdays for teacher collaboration time. AM TK is 8:00am-11:21am and PM TK is 11:24am-2:45pm, Mon-Fri. Click on the "ACE Bell Schedule" link above to see a list of TK "all early" days and scheduled minimum days.

**Breakfast:** We will be serving breakfast next year! Breakfast will begin at 7:50am in the multi and the kitchen will stop serving breakfast at 8:10am so students can get to class on time. Students may not come to school before 7:45am, as there is no supervision prior to that time. Breakfast and lunch will continue to be served, free of charge through the California's Universal Meals Program, for the 2024-2025 school year.

**School Mascot, School Colors, & Spirit Wear:** Our mascot is a coyote named "Ace," and our school colors are blue and green! We will work on spirit wear and get some options for families shortly.

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**More Info to Come:** Keep checking your email and our website this summer for additional information regarding a summer art contest, first day of school fun, and our Grand Opening/Back to School Night!

In closing, I'd like to express my deep gratitude and appreciation for you - the families and community of Alder Creek who will make up the heart of our school. I want to thank you for your support, patience, and partnership as we embark on this journey together. Again, the families and tight knit community are what will make ACE such a special place. Have a wonderful summer and I look forward to seeing you in August. Go Yotes!

Warmly,  
Sara Parenzin  
Principal

[HERE is a link to the 2024-2025 FCUSD Instructional Calendar](#)

School starts on **Thursday, August 8th!**

Visit our school website for additional information <https://ace.fcusd.org/>