

# Welcome to Kindergarten!

Parley's Park Elementary welcomes YOU! We are excited for the 2024-2025 school year with your children! Please email [amcgarr@pcschoools.us](mailto:amcgarr@pcschoools.us), [kgortat@pcschoools.us](mailto:kgortat@pcschoools.us), or [ekelly@pcschoools.us](mailto:ekelly@pcschoools.us) with any questions.

## What do you need to know?

- Kindergarten starts Tuesday, 8/20.
- Morning Drop Off:  
Bus: If your child rides the bus, a K teacher will wait for your child as they get off the bus and will walk them to class the first few weeks of school.  
Car riders: Please drop your child off between 8:00-8:10. A Kindergarten teacher will walk your child to class. Parents, for the safety of the children, **please do not exit your vehicle during drop off and pick up. If you must get out of the car, you must park in the church parking lot across from the school and walk over.**
- Kindergarten students will gather in the cafeteria until the bell rings at 8:10. They will then walk down as a class to their classrooms.
- Parents, to help with a smooth transition for your child, please do not enter the building at drop-off.
- Please send 2 healthy snacks and a labeled water bottle each day with your child in addition to lunch. Lunch can be brought from home or bought in the cafeteria. Please contact the office to set up a lunch account if your child is eating hot lunch.
- Afternoon Pick up: Please let us know how your child will be getting home each day. Please send an email to your child's teacher indicating bus, parent pick up, or after-school program. Please be sure to include your child's first and last name in the email.  
Bus: If your child rides the bus, teachers will walk them to their buses.  
Car riders: Students will gather outside to be picked up in the car line. We will walk them to your car. Please follow the directions from teachers guiding traffic.
- Kindergarten will be at parent pickup at 3pm (M-Th) and 12:25 (Friday). Please arrive promptly to get your child.

Tuesday 8/20	Wednesday 8/21	Thursday 8/22	Friday 8/23
First day of school 8:10 - 3:00pm	8:10 – 3:00pm	8:10 – 3:00pm	1/2 day: pick up at 12:20

Thank you,

Mrs. Gortat, Mrs. Kelly, Mrs. McGarr

- You can find the kindergarten optional supply list on the Parleys website.
- You will receive further specific information from your child's teacher at back to school nig

