



# PRAIRIE VIEW ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

## FAQS FOR THE 2024-25 SCHOOL YEAR

### How will I find out who my child's teacher is?

#### **\*Pre-K**

- If your child will be in Pre-K at Prairie View, his/her teacher will be Mrs. Darcy Guthrie. The assistant teacher is Mrs. Theresa Boehnlein (Mrs. B). We only have one Pre-K classroom at Prairie View and we are so fortunate to have an amazing teacher and assistant teacher!
- Parents will receive a phone call or an email prior to Open House to give you some information.
- **Pre-K Open House will be Tuesday, August 6th, 6:00-7:00pm**

### How will I find out who my child's teacher is?

#### **\*Kindergarten**

Camp Kindergarten!

- You will be notified by email or phone call from your child's assigned "Buddy Teacher" prior to Open House. They will tell you what supplies to bring to Open House and which ones to bring at a later date.
- **Kindergarten Open House will be held in the evening on Thursday, August 8th.**

Schedule as follows:

- **5:15pm-5:45pm** Kindergarten families are invited to go to our gym where tables will be set up for bus information, place money on lunch accounts, pay fees that are on the school supply list and meet Girl Scout and Boy Scout leaders.
- **6:00pm** Camp Kindergarten Meeting in the cafeteria followed by Kindergarten Room tours with the teachers!

### How will I find out who my child's teacher is?

#### **\*Functional Skills**

If your child will be in our self-contained Functional Skills classroom, Mrs. Phyllis Cox will be his/her teacher. Mrs. Cox has been a 2nd grade teacher at Prairie View for 10 years and is super excited to make the transition to special education this year! Mrs. Lisa Clanton and Mrs. Gabriella Carrillo are returning to be our teacher assistants in the F.S. classroom. Mrs. Cox will be contacting you to give information about Open House.

- **Functional Skills Open House will be Tuesday, August 6th, 6:00-7:00pm**

## How will I find out who my child's teacher is?

### **\*1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th grades**

We know how exciting it is to hear from your teacher!

- You will be notified either by email or phone call prior to Open House.
- If you have not heard who your child's teacher is by Open House, please contact the school office on that morning and that information will be provided for you!
- **1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th grade Open House will be held on Thursday, August 8th.** Times are organized by last names so that parking is a little easier.
  - A-H 2:00-3:45pm
  - I-P 3:00-3:45pm
  - Q-Z 4:00-4:45pm
  - **\*Make-Up 5:00-5:45pm (By appointment only- schedule with your child's teacher when they contact you.)**
  - Families are also invited to go to our gym where tables will be set up for bus information, place money on lunch accounts, pay fees that are on the school supply list and meet Girl Scout and Boy Scout leaders.

## OPEN HOUSE INFORMATION

**Super important: Parents will need to pick up their child's packet from their teacher.** It will include:

- 1) **rearview mirror dismissal tags that all families need even if students are not car riders.** Tags **will** be used for Bronco Club or in case your child needs to be a car rider, etc. Every family will be assigned a number
- 2) **a "first day of school name tag".** We focus on getting students into the building safely. In order to avoid overcrowding the hallways or affecting the flow of traffic, parents are not allowed into school the first day. The name tag will help staff get each student to their classroom. This name tag will have the student's name, teacher and how they are getting home the first day of school.
- 3) **school forms and information**

## What are the school day hours?

- Doors open at 7:15am
- First bell rings at 7:30am
- Students are tardy at 7:40am
- School dismisses at 2:35pm

## What should we expect on the first day of school?

\*For safety purposes, we will continue to follow the same process as in previous years:

**TUESDAY, AUGUST 13th**

- Family good-byes will need to be done outside. Students will then enter the building and go straight to their morning location.
- No visitors and/or parents will be able to walk their child to their classroom. Student drop off only.
- There will be teachers and staff located all over the building to help students get to where they need to go.
- Students will need to be wearing their “first day of school name tag” that will be picked up at Open House. This will help staff direct students to their classroom.

## What are the procedures for morning drop-off?

- Bus riders will drop off in the front parking lot.
- Car riders will drop off in the east parking lot. This is drop off only. No parents/visitors can enter the building from this location. Please stay off cell phones while in the car drop off loop and have your child ready to exit the car.

We have 2 lines in our car drop-off loop. There will be orange cones and staff members to help with traffic control.

**REMINDER: 59th Street is RIGHT TURN ONLY into our Car Rider drop off area during arrival/dismissal times.**

- PK- will drop off on the west side of the building.
- Functional Skills will drop off on the west side of the building.
- If you need to drop off medication or need help from the office, you will park in the front parking lot and access the office from there.

## Where will students go each morning when they report to school?

7:15 - 7:25am

- Kindergarten, 1st and 4th graders will report to the gym. They will sit with their class and each class will be spread out from others.
- 2nd and 3rd graders will report to their halls and wait outside of their classrooms. Students will have supervision.

7:25 - 7:30am All students will proceed to their classrooms.

7:40am Students are counted tardy.

## **What will the procedure be for afternoon dismissal?**

Students have been divided based on their grade level or dismissal type. This reduces the number of students in one location. We use the dismissal program, SafeID Car Rider Plus. All students will have a numbered backpack tag to ensure student safety.

- Bus riders will dismiss at the front of the building and will be escorted to their bus.
- Walkers will be dismissed from the east side of the building or north side of the building, depending on what their address is.
- Car Riders:
  - Kindergarten - 4th Grade will be dismissed from the east side of the building.
  - PK- will dismiss from the west side of the building.
  - Functional Skills will be dismissed from the west side of the building.
  - Pick up vehicles will have a hanging rear view mirror tag with numbers that match their students backpack tag. The hanging tag will be picked up at Open House and the backpack tags will be put on the first day of school. Students will go out to their car and will be checked off by our system.
- Bronco Club students will report to the gym.
- Daycare students will be dismissed from the west side of the building.
- To ensure safety for all, parents will not be allowed to walk up to the building to pick their child up after school.
- Any time your child is to go home differently than the teacher has been told, the office must be notified.

## **What are the prices for breakfast and lunch?**

Mustang Public Schools is encouraging all families to complete a free and reduced meal application this year.

Application is found @ [School Lunch App](#)

### **Meal Prices for 2024-2025**

- Student Breakfast - \$2.25 all sites
  - Breakfast time for all PV students is 7:15am-7:35am
- Student Lunch at Elementary Schools - \$3.25
- Student - Reduced Breakfast Price \$.30
- Student- Reduced Lunch Price \$.40

## What do I do if I need to check my student out from school?

To check out your student:

- Sign student out at the office before 2:15pm
- Must have valid ID
- Wait in designated area for student to come to you

## Will students be able to have snacks at school?

Yes, students must bring their own snacks. There will be no classroom snack or snack bags. There will be no shared snacks. Teachers will not be providing snacks for students who do not bring their own. We sell snacks in the office for \$1.00 each.

## What Essentials classes will my child attend at Prairie View?

These classes are very important for our students! Music, PE, Art, Library/Media Lab and STEM are our essentials rotation in all grade levels!

### Arrival and Dismissal Map



**W** We have 3 waiting areas for parents of students who walk home after school.