



Wyoming Primary Schools

Elm • Hilltop • Vermont

August 16, 2024

Dear Wyoming Primary Schools Families,

Welcome back to a new and exciting school year! We hope you had a restful and enjoyable summer break filled with memorable moments with your amazing families.

As we begin this new academic year, we are thrilled to continue fostering a nurturing and supportive environment for our students. Our dedicated teachers and staff have been working diligently to prepare engaging and enriching learning experiences that will inspire and challenge our young learners.

Communication between home and school is essential for the success of our students, so please do not hesitate to reach out with any questions or concerns throughout the year. We value your partnership and are committed to working together to ensure the best educational experience for your children. You can expect a newsletter like this one in your inbox each Friday morning throughout the school year. In addition, your child's classroom teacher will send home a paper copy of their classroom newsletter in the Thursday Folder each week.

Curriculum Nights are just around the corner! Please attend these parent information sessions to learn more about your child's teacher and the great things your child will learn this school year.

Here is the Curriculum Night schedule for this year:

- **Hilltop School - Thursday, August 22, 2024**
 - Grades K & 1 - 7:30 p.m. - 8:15 p.m.
 - Grades 2, 3, & 4 - 6:30 p.m. - 7:15 p.m.
- **Vermont School - Tuesday, August 27, 2024**
 - Grades K & 1 - 7:30 p.m. - 8:15 p.m.
 - Grades 2, 3, & 4 - 6:30 p.m. - 7:15 p.m.
- **Elm School - Wednesday, August 28, 2024**
 - Grades K & 1 - 7:30 p.m. - 8:15 p.m.
 - Grades 2, 3, & 4 - 6:30 p.m. - 7:15 p.m.

Thank you for entrusting us with the education and well-being of your children.

Here's to a wonderful school year ahead!

Sincerely,

Gina Kirchner

Principal, Wyoming Primary Schools

Counselor Corner

The school counselors for Wyoming Primary Schools are Becky Abbs (Hilltop and Elm) and Elizabeth Dennemann (Vermont). As school counselors we provide both direct and indirect services to students and help promote a positive learning environment. We have a variety of roles in the schools, but we spend a significant portion of our time delivering whole-class lessons that focus on emotion identification, self-management, skills for learning, problem-solving, and bullying prevention. Also, we meet with some students individually or in small groups in specific situations to provide some additional instruction or follow-up in these areas. In addition, we communicate and collaborate with parents and school staff to help provide support for students' social, emotional, and academic development. We're looking forward to a great school year!

Upcoming Dates

- **School Picture Day** - Thursday, August 22nd
- **Curriculum Night** -
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- **Labor Day** - No School - Monday, September 2, 2024
- **Literacy and Math Information Night** - Parents Only - Thursday, September 12, 2024 - 6:30 p.m. at Hilltop School

News from Around Wyoming

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- Finance Friday
- Upcoming Events
- Support Organization Information