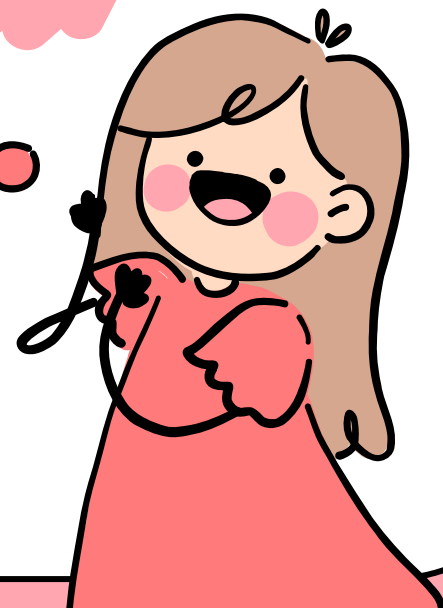
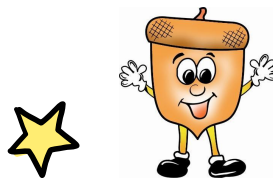
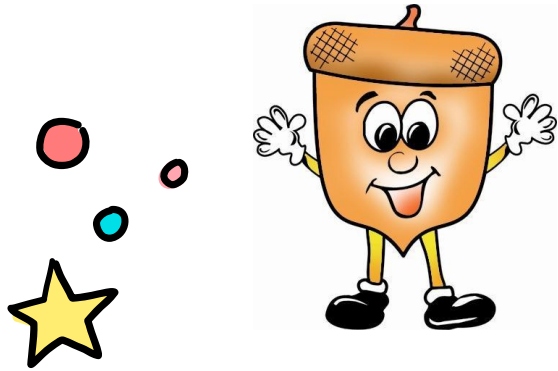


EO Information Night

Welcome Acorns!





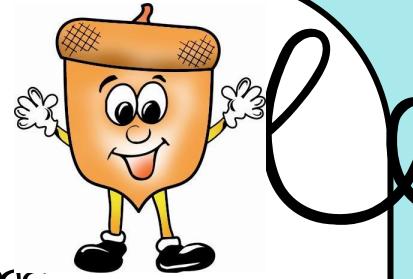
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EO Vision: Educate and empower
lifelong learners

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lifelong learners in a productive,
respectful, inclusive manner to instill
a sense of gratitude, perseverance,
and purpose in their community.



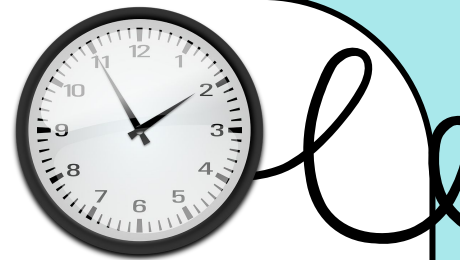
Empire Oaks Acorns



- Established in 2001
- Approximately 400 students
- 14 TK through 5th grade General Education classrooms
- 3 Special Education Class (Preschool-5th)
- Approximately 65 classified and certificated staff members
- Extended Learning Opportunity Program (ELOP) Before and After School Care available on campus (fee based) Waitlist-
- Very active and generous Parent Teacher Organization - PTO
- 22 elementary schools in the Folsom Cordova Unified School District
- Professional Learning Community (collaborative grade level teams)
- Programs, clubs, events



Typical Schedules



TK

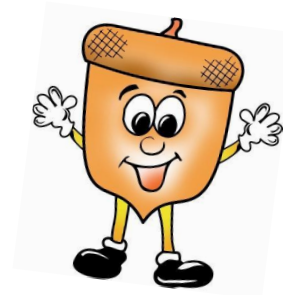
AM 8:00-11:21

PM 11:24-2:45

K- 5th Grades

All Day 8:15-2:45

Thursday: 8:15-1:15



- For TK we will take requests for AM/PM sessions
- The first two weeks of school will be all early days (8:15-1:21) for K-2nd grades for our teachers to administer assessments

Communication

#1

Parent Square

- Teachers
- Principal
- PTO

#3

Bulletin Board

- Between the Multi & Office

#2

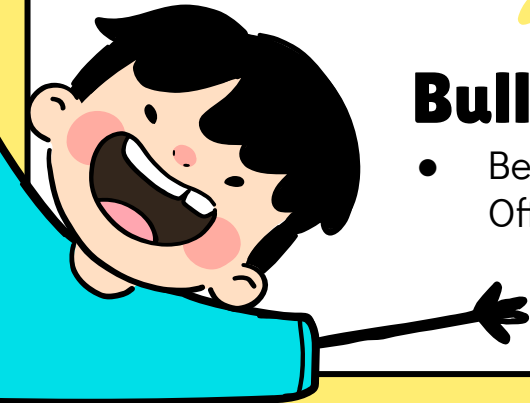
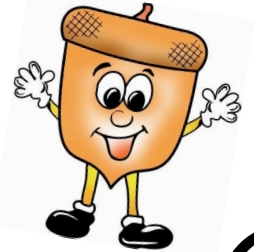
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- Keep up to date
- Report Absences

#4

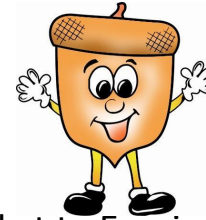
Social Media

- Stay Tune



Registration Process

- ✓ Complete the FCUSD New Elementary Student Registration Packet-
Birth Certificate
Proof of Address
Immunization Record



- ✓ Return the completed FCUSD New Elementary Student Registration Packet to Empire Oaks Office. **Starting February 3rd.**

- ✓ The office will process your packet.

- ✓ Starting March 3rd, families will receive their online link via email (look for an email from noreply@fcusd.org)

If you do not receive an email by March 4th, please call the office and ask for Concha, or email ccortes@fcusd.org

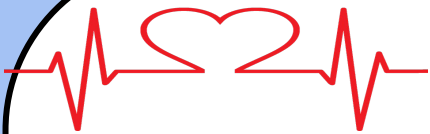




From the Health Office



- ANY and ALL medications (over the counter and/or prescription) MUST have the appropriate district forms filed in the health office
- Health Issues - Contact the nurse/health office for conditions such as: asthma, food allergies, severe allergic reactions, history of seizures, diabetes, chronic illnesses, or medications needed at school
- Students must be fever free (without medication) and no vomiting for 24 hours before returning to school.
- ALL immunizations need to be up to date before the first day of school



PARENTS' GUIDE TO IMMUNIZATIONS REQUIRED FOR SCHOOL ENTRY



Starting July 1, 2019

Students Admitted at TK/K-12 Need:

- **Diphtheria, Tetanus, and Pertussis (DTaP, DTP, Tdap, or Td) — 5 doses**
(4 doses OK if one was given on or after 4th birthday.
3 doses OK if one was given on or after 7th birthday.)
For 7th-12th graders, at least 1 dose of pertussis-containing vaccine is required on or after 7th birthday.
- **Polio (OPV or IPV) — 4 doses**
(3 doses OK if one was given on or after 4th birthday)
- **Hepatitis B — 3 doses**
(Not required for 7th grade entry)
- **Measles, Mumps, and Rubella (MMR) — 2 doses**
(Both given on or after 1st birthday)
- **Varicella (Chickenpox) — 2 doses**

These immunization requirements apply to new admissions and transfers for all grades, including transitional kindergarten.

Students Starting 7th Grade Need:

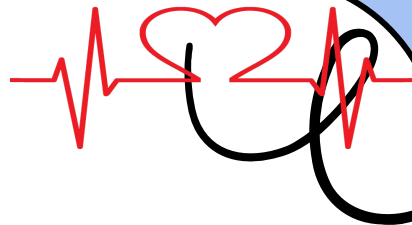
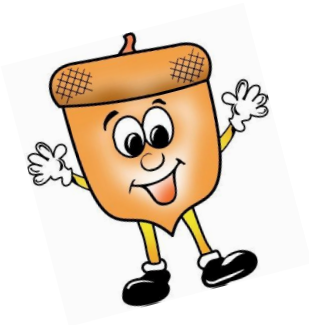
- **Tetanus, Diphtheria, Pertussis (Tdap) — 1 dose**
(Whooping cough booster usually given at 11 years and up)
- **Varicella (Chickenpox) — 2 doses**
(Usually given at ages 12 months and 4-6 years)

In addition, the TK/K-12 immunization requirements apply to 7th graders who:

- previously had a valid personal beliefs exemption filed before 2016 upon entry between TK/Kindergarten and 6th grade
- are new admissions

Records:

California schools are required to check immunization records for all new student admissions at TK/Kindergarten through 12th grade and all students advancing to 7th grade before entry. Parents must show their child's Immunization Record as proof of immunization.



Helpful Links from the Health Office

- Where do I get the forms for medications or for meal accommodations?
 - [Forms: Health - Folsom Cordova Unified School District](#)
- Questions about Immunization requirements?
 - [California Immunization Requirements](#)



Attendance!

- 10 parent-verified excused absences mental or physical health reasons.
- After 10 excused absences, a doctor's note required (note on medical letterhead signed by a licensed medical professional).
- Every absence requires correspondence (note, call google form) Otherwise, additional absences will be marked "unexcused"

Independent Study Agreement.

- **Absent 3-15 consecutive school days**
- Contact the school office at least 10 days prior.

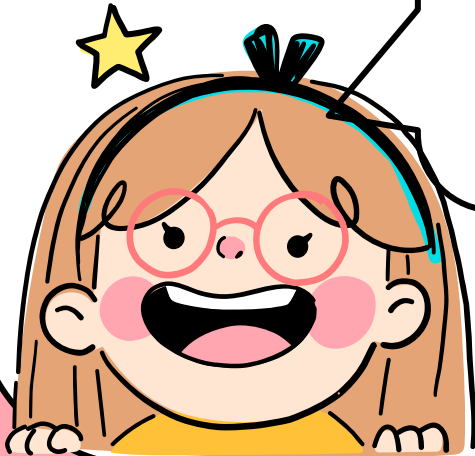


How to Report an Absence

*It is important to report every absence

- You can call the front office 916-294-9130
- Email the attendance clerk
Andrea Chavez
achavez@fcusd.org

- Report an Absence on ParentSquare
- “reporting an absence link”
On the EOE website
EOE.FCUSD.org



TK- Eligibility



**Child's birthday
falls between**

9/2/20-9/1/21



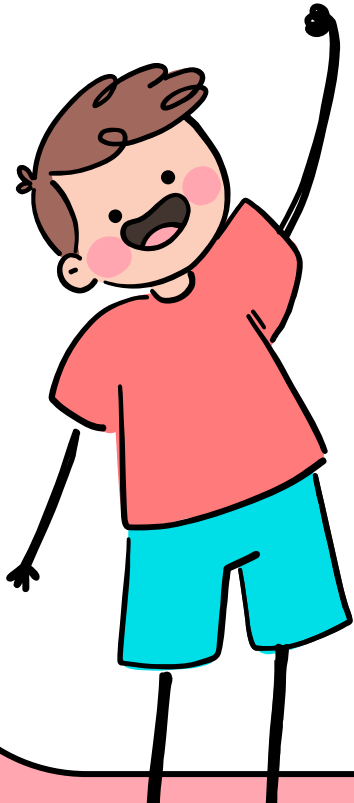
TK Readiness

[FCUSD TK Website](#)

[TK Toileting Policy](#)

EO offers AM or PM classes on 20:2

Orientation the week prior to school starting



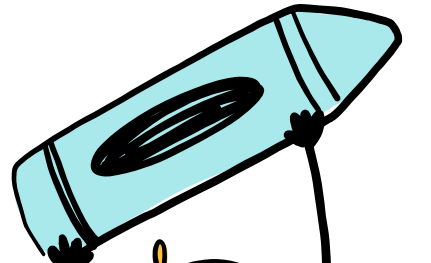
A Typical Day in TK

AM 8:00-11:21 PM 11:24-2:45

- Morning Meeting/Carpet Time
- Activities/Centers/Small Groups
- Recess
- Snack Time
- Independent Exploration/Purposeful Play
- Story Time
- Social Emotional Instruction
- Closing Circle



2024 TK Orientation



K- Eligibility

Born between

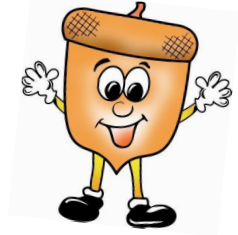
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Kindergarten Readiness

Some Helpful Kinder Skills:

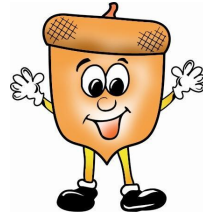
- Listen to stories without interrupting
- Pay attention for periods of time to adult-directed tasks
- Take directions from a number of different adults
- Share with others
- Follow rules
- Manage bathroom needs
- Button, snap and zip his or her own clothes
- Use scissors
- Separate from parents/caregivers without becoming upset



Kindergarten Basic Academic Skills

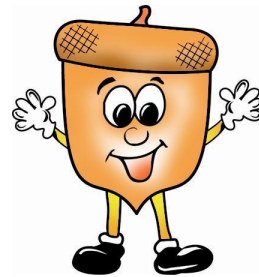
Beginning of the year assessments will include (basic academic skills):

- writing name
- verbally counting
- letter names/letter sounds
- shapes
- writing & recognizing numbers to 10.
- What to work on this summer: Read aloud to your child, lots of language to build language/vocabulary, ABC's, writing and recognizing their name (starting with a capital letter and the rest lowercase).



Fun Focus for the Summer

- Verbally counting forward and backward
- Counting objects
- Sorting different manipulatives by a variety of values
- Creating and extending patterns
- Recognizing numerals
- Recognizing basic shapes
- Recognizing colors and sizes
- Read aloud to your child
- ABC's
- Writing and recognizing their name



Extended Learning Opportunity Program (ELOP)

Registration Opens
March 10th, 8am-
ONLINE
ELOP
Information



How to Become a Volunteer!

Visitors are someone who:

- Assists in one-time activities such as guest speaking, job-shadowing

Category 2 Volunteers is someone who:

- Assists in the classroom or other school activities more than four (4) times per year or sixteen hours a year...
- Has direct contact with students and may be the sole adult with student(s) on a school field trip or other school-related activities

**Visitors and volunteers must check in at the front office.*

Ready to Apply :

Step 1- Live Scan Fingerprinting (application in the front office)

Step 2- Have a TB Test or risk assessment completed

Step 3- Complete the online Volunteer Application (once the 1&2 are complete)

Step 4- Wait 2- 3 weeks for approval





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BUILDING COMMUNITY

THE PTO presents several events and programs each year, all for the purpose of building and strengthening the relationships that your child - and YOU - enjoy at Empire Oaks Elementary.



ENHANCING LEARNING & CLASSROOM EXPERIENCES

PTO fundraising events - in addition to being fun - direct money back into the classrooms to help support our teachers, and improve student learning.



WE ARE the architects!

Along with our PTO board, committee chairs, PTO classroom parent liaisons and event volunteers are all crucial to our success.



JOIN THE PTO!



To join us, just scan the above
QR code, or visit:
bit.ly/PTOmember2024

COME AND PLAY WITH US!



SEE YOU SOON!



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FUNDRAISERS:

Apparel and yard
Sign sales popsicle sales
Restaurant Nights
Amazing acorn race

Events:

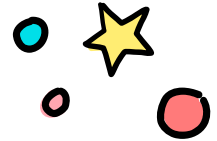
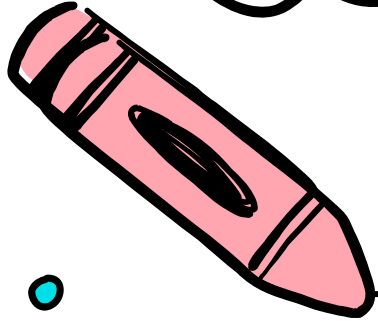
Welcome back coffee mixer
Pastries with parents
Harvest festival / trunk or treat
Snowflake festival
Parents' night out(PLEASE JOIN
US on february 7th!)
Family bingo night
and more!



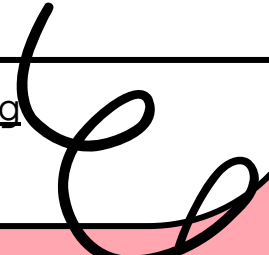
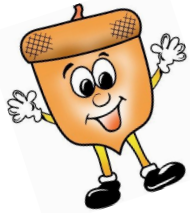
GIVING BACK:

Teacher grants
NEW campus water fountains
Onsite program sponsors
Teacher and staff appreciation
week
Campus beautification projects
Kindness week sponsors
Book vending machine
5th grade promotion sponsors
Red ribbon week
and much, much more!

Who to Contact



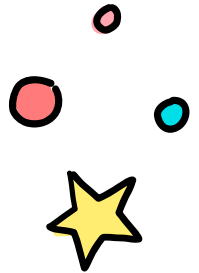
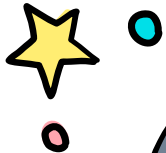
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ELOP	Bella Yang- beyang@fcusd.org
Principal	Kim Christiernson- kchristi@fcusd.org



First Day of School

August 7th, 2025

FCUSD Year Calendar





Thanks!



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