

Getting to Know Kindergarten



WINNEQUAH SCHOOL

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★ Winnequah Parent Organization

Please consider getting involved!

- Various Assemblies
- Provide classroom resources
- School events - Friendship Dance, End of Year Bash, Culver's night
- Prepare dinners for parent teacher conferences & teacher appreciation week
- Online contacts: mononapto.org, Facebook page



Getting To and From Kindergarten

Arrival: No earlier than 7:30

End of day: 2:50

- Adults will be available to help on the first days of school for either drop off or pick up. We encourage families to start the routine on day 1 of school.
- Timeliness—whether your child is riding the bus, or being dropped off, it is **very** important that your child is to school by 7:45. Kindergarten starts their day in the library.
- Staff and older students help get Kindergarteners to the bus everyday. Pick-up students will line up outside by their grade level cone.
- As the school year goes on if there are changes in pick-up/drop-off places be sure and let the office and teacher know.
- winnequah.attendance@mgschools.net

Kindergarten Schedule

- Morning Meeting
- 120 minutes of reading
- 60 minutes of math
- Snack, lunch & two recesses
- Targeted Instruction in math and reading
- Related Arts
 - Physical Education (3)
 - Art (2)
 - Music (2)
 - Library (1)
- Social Studies & Science
- Social/Emotional Learning
- Free Choice



Lunch, Snack & Recess

Snack

- Breakfast
 - Snack Cart (pay for)
 - Snack from home
- Afternoon snack
 - Classroom supply from donations
 - Snack from home

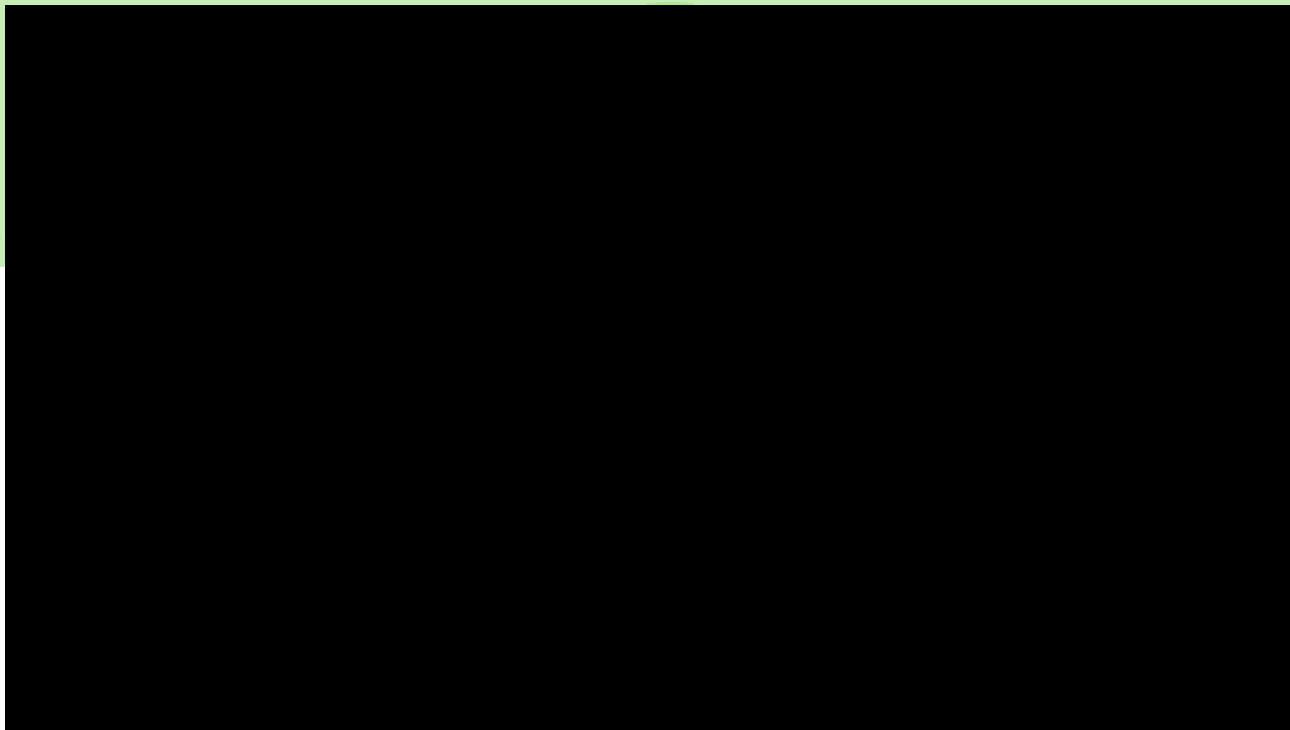
Lunch

- 20 min. of eating time
- Hot Lunch (pay for)
- Lunch from Home

Recess

- 2/day → 1 is 15 min., 1 is 20 min.
- 3 + teachers/staff on duty

A Day in Kindergarten

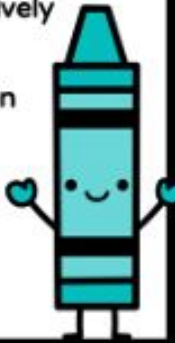


Kindergarten Readiness and Non-Academic Goals

Here are a few skills that you can work on with your learner at home to help make the transition to kindergarten a little easier! We will continue to work on these throughout the year as some of our non-academic goals as well!

SOCIAL-EMOTIONAL

- can clearly express feelings and needs to others
- can problem solve disagreements with friends
- can interactive positively with others
- can ask for help when needed
- can understand that "no" is a complete sentence



INDEPENDENCE

- can ask for and use the bathroom independently
- can put on and take off clothes independently
- can pack and unpack backpack independently
- can separate from grown-ups easily and understand when they'll reunite
- learn to tie shoes



TEAMWORK

- can share materials, toys, and space with others
- can take turns and wait patiently
- can take responsibility
- can help others when needed
- can keep materials organized
- can help clean up the classroom



Kindergarten Learning Goals

 I can write my first and last name (start with a capital and the rest lowercase)	 I know all 26 CAPITAL letters! 	 I know all 26 lowercase letters! 	 I know all my letter sounds! 
 I can identify first, middle and last sounds! 	 I can clap and count syllables. 	 I can recognize and produce rhymes! 	 I can read 30 sight words! 
 I can read CVC words. 	 I can write a sentence (start with a capital, use spaces and end with punctuation.) 	 I can identify short and long vowel sounds 	 I can identify these 2D Shapes 
 I can count to 100 by 1's and 10's 	 I can identify these 3D Shapes 	 I can tell which group has more and which has less. 	 I can count any number of objects 1-20. 
 I can solve addition and subtraction problems within 10 $8 + 1 = 9$	 I can add more objects to make numbers 1-9 equal 10. 	 I can <i>fluently</i> add and subtract within 5. $2 + 3 = 5$ $4 - 1 = 5$	 I can write numbers $0 - 20$

Treats/Food (Not be allowed for birthdays)

Lunchroom (Nut free table)

Latex (school-wide)

Parent contact: Katie Wiegel – kherro19@gmail.com



Important Dates

- Picture Days
 - TBD
- Kindergarten Ice Cream Social
 - TBD
- Back to School Night
 - Wednesday, August 26th
- First Day of School
 - Tuesday, September 1st



Questions?

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