

FOX TRAIL ELEMENTARY

**EMPOWERING LEADERS TO
REACH BEYOND THE STARS**

2026-2027

Dear Trailblazer Family,

Welcome to the 2026 to 2027 school year at The Trail. This year, we are excited to launch a new journey together with our theme: Empowering Leaders to Reach Beyond the Stars.

At Fox Trail, we believe every child has extraordinary potential waiting to be discovered. This year, we invite our scholars to see themselves as explorers of knowledge and builders of the future. Like astronauts venturing into the unknown, our students will demonstrate curiosity, courage, and perseverance as they take on new challenges and grow into confident leaders.

Throughout the year, students will be encouraged to think deeply, take meaningful risks, and stretch beyond what they believe is possible. Whether in the classroom, on the playground, or within our school community, they will learn that every experience is an opportunity to grow, to lead, and to shine.

Our mission remains centered on empowering every student to reach their highest potential. This year, we will continue to emphasize academic excellence, character development, collaboration, and resilience. Together, we will nurture learners who are prepared not only for success in school, but for leadership in a world full of endless possibilities.

To our returning families, welcome back. Your partnership continues to be the foundation of our success and we are grateful for your ongoing support. To our new families, welcome to The Trail. You are joining a community where every child is valued, every voice matters, and every scholar is inspired to lead.

As we begin this incredible year, we are reminded of the words of astronaut Neil Armstrong:
"That's one small step for man, one giant leap for mankind."

Together, let us take bold steps forward as we prepare our students to become the leaders of tomorrow.

Here is to a year of discovery, growth, and limitless possibility.

Educationally yours,



Dr. Stephanie Reyes
Proud Principal



How to stay connected to The Trail



Instagram

Follow us on Instagram
@FoxTrailElementary



foxtrailelementary
119 posts 414 followers 8 following

ParentLink

ParentLink is a platform that provides a communication link between the school and you. Kindly ensure your phone and email address are kept up to date with the office to receive ParentLink notifications.

FOCUS Parent App

Use the QR code below to register for the Parent Portal today!



X (Twitter)

Follow us on X (Twitter) @FXT_Principal



Facebook

Follow our Facebook page Fox Trail Elementary School



Fox Trail Website

For regular updates and announcements visit:
<https://www.browardschools.com/foxtrail>

BACK TO SCHOOL FORMS

We are kindly requesting all our Fox Trail families complete the Back-to-School Forms online via the FOCUS portal.

BREAKFAST AND LUNCH



Broward County Public Schools (BCPS) families will need to apply to determine their eligibility for free and reduced price lunches. Households may apply at any time throughout the school year. All students receive breakfast at no cost under the Universal Free Breakfast Program. To qualify for additional programs, complete the Meal Benefits Application at www.myschoolapps.com, along with the Parent Disclosure Form in the Focus Parent Portal.

Households are encouraged to create an account through My School Bucks for each student at www.myschoolbucks.com to fund/prepay for the purchase of meals and/or à la carte items.



SCHOOL HOURS

School hours are 8:00am - 2:00pm. Breakfast is served from 7:30am - 7:55am. Learning begins each day promptly at 8:00am. Please arrive to school with enough time to be in your seats by 8:00am. Students arriving after 8:00am will be marked tardy.

REGISTER 2 RIDE



Register 2 Ride, Foxes! All eligible FXT scholars needing bus transportation for the upcoming school year must register for bus assignment. [Click here to Register now!](#)

SCHOOL VOLUNTEERS



To volunteer or chaperone a field trip in a Broward County Public School, you must be a cleared volunteer. Please complete the online application via the link provided. Please make sure you do it with enough time for the application to be processed, which may take several weeks. For questions and concerns, contact Volunteer Services at 754-321-2300 or email volunteer@browardschools.com. Apply at: browardschools.com/volunteerapplication

MEDICATIONS



If your child needs to take medication at school, please contact the office to arrange a time to bring the medicine with a completed Authorization for Medication Form signed by the doctor.



FOOD ALLERGIES

If your child has a food allergy, we MUST have a current doctor's note on file each school year. If the allergy requires a cafeteria food substitution, the note must clearly state what the replacement item should be.





JOIN PTSA

Stay involved! Join the PTSA today using the QR code below.



REPORTING AN ABSENCE

- Online: Visit our website, click on CONTACT then select REPORT AN ABSENCE and complete the online form
- Call the attendance hotline: 754-323-5802
- Submit a note to the front office

*All excused student absences must align with the eight (8) reasons allowed for absences, as outlined in the Attendance Policy and Code of Student Conduct.

APPROVED REASONS FOR ABSENCES

STUDENTS MUST BE IN SCHOOL UNLESS THE ABSENCE HAS BEEN PERMITTED OR EXCUSED FOR ONE OF THE REASONS LISTED BELOW:

1. ILLNESS OF STUDENT
2. ILLNESS OF AN IMMEDIATE FAMILY MEMBER
3. DEATH IN THE FAMILY
4. RELIGIOUS HOLIDAY
5. REQUIRED COURT APPEARANCE OR SUBPOENA
6. SPECIAL EVENT
7. SCHEDULED MEDICAL OR DENTAL APPOINTMENT
8. STUDENT HAS A COMMUNICABLE DISEASE

FORTIFY



FortifyFL is a suspicious activity reporting tool that allows you to instantly relay information to appropriate law enforcement agencies and school officials.

SAFERWATCH

Get  SAFERWATCH

The SaferWatch app allows individuals to report incidents and receive real-time safety alerts directly from Broward County Public Schools and local law enforcement.

UNIFORM POLICY

Fox Trail is a unified dress code school. Bottoms may be shorts (not gym-type shorts), slacks (not leggings), skirts or skorts and should be solid navy-blue, black, or khaki and may be worn with white, gold, royal blue, or navy-blue polo shirts. Additionally, on Fridays ONLY, Fox Trail t-shirts purchased through PTSA, club shirts, and class t-shirts may be worn. Shoes must be closed toed and heeled. No Crocs. Students' adherence to our dress code is important in helping us identify intruders on campus. If your child has outgrown their uniform clothes and you would like to donate them, we would love to have them!





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***MEET AND GREET
AUGUST 7, 2026***

8:30AM-9:00AM

FIRST GRADE AND FOURTH GRADE

9:15AM-9:45AM

SECOND GRADE AND FIFTH GRADE

10:00AM-10:30AM

THIRD GRADE AND SPECIAL PROGRAMS

10:45AM-11:15AM

VPK, PRE-K, AND KINDERGARTEN



"EDUCATING TODAY'S STUDENTS TO SUCCEED IN TOMORROW'S WORLD."





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SAVE THE DATE
OPEN HOUSE SCHEDULE

SEPTEMBER 2, 2026 AT 6:00PM

VPK, PRE-K, KINDERGARTEN, AND FOURTH GRADE

SEPTEMBER 9, 2026 AT 6:00PM

FIRST GRADE AND THIRD GRADE

SEPTEMBER 16, 2026 AT 6:00PM

FIFTH GRADE, SECOND GRADE, AND SPECIAL PROGRAMS



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2026-2027 SAC/SAF MEETING DATES

AUGUST 26, 2026 AT 2:20PM

SEPTEMBER 30, 2026 AT 2:20PM

OCTOBER 28, 2026 AT 2:20PM

NOVEMBER 18, 2026 AT 6:00PM

DECEMBER 16, 2026 AT 2:20PM

JANUARY 27, 2027 AT 2:20PM

FEBRUARY 24, 2027 AT 2:20PM

MARCH 31, 2027 AT 2:20PM

APRIL 28, 2027 AT 6:00PM

MAY 26 2027 AT 2:20PM



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Fox Trail Elementary 2026-2027 Suggested Supply List

PRE-K Special Programs

- 1 Standard Size Backpack (no wheels)
- 2 Boxes of Crayola Crayons (regular size)
- 1 Plastic Pencil Box
- 6 Large Glue Sticks
- 2 Ticonderoga Fat Primary Pencils
- 25 Small White Paper Plates-Noncoated
- 25 Large White Paper Plates-Noncoated
- 1 Ream of White Copy Paper
- 1 Box of Tissues
- 1 Pack of Disinfectant Wipes
- 1 Pump Bottle of Hand Soap
- 1 Box of Gallon Size Ziploc Bags
- 1 Box of Quart Size Ziploc Bags
- Ideal Nap Mat for Easy Transport to and from School



VPK

- 2 Containers of Antibacterial Wipes
- 1 Pump Hand Soap
- 22-Packs of Large White Glue Sticks
- 1 Box of Gallon Ziplock Bags
- 2 4ct Boxes of Crayola Crayons
- 1 Pack of Ticonderoga Fat Primary Pencils
- 1 Box of Tissues
- 1 Ream of White Copy Paper
- 1 Standard Sized Backpack (no wheels)
- 14-pack of LargeExpo Marker (girls only)
- 1 Box of Quart Size Ziploc Bags (girls only)
- 25 Small White Paper Plates-Noncoated (girls only)
- 1 Box of Gallon Size Ziploc Bags (boys only)
- 1 Pack of Crayola Washable Markers (boys only)
- 25 Large White Paper Plates-Noncoated (boys only)
- Ideal Nap Mat for Easy Transport to and from School



Kindergarten

- 1 Standard Size Backpack (no wheels)
- 1 Pair of Over the Ear Headphones (no Bluetooth)
- 1 Box of Tissues
- 2 Containers of Wet Wipes/Antibacterial Wipes
- 2 Primary Composition Notebooks (K-2)
(Wide Ruled Paper Story Book Composition)
- 1 8.5"x11" Plain Reusable Plastic Envelope
- 2 Boxes of Crayola Crayons (24 pack)
- 6 Large Glue Sticks
- 1 Fiskars Child Size Scissors
- 5 Ticonderoga Fat Primary Pencils
- 1 Ream of White Copy Paper
- 1 4-Pack of Large Expo Markers (girls only)
- 1 Pack of Crayola Washable Markers (boys only)
- 1 Box of Quart Size Zip-Lock Bags (girls only)
- 1 Box of Gallon Size Zip-Lock Bags (boys only)
- 25 Small White Paper Plates -Noncoated (girls only)
- 25 Large White Paper Plates-Noncoated (boys only)

First Grade

- 1 1½" Binder with clear front cover for insert
- 4 Plastic Pocket Folder with 3-holes and
NO prongs (1 red, 1 blue, 1 green, 1 yellow)
- 1 Blunt Tip Safety Scissor
- 1 Set of Headphones (no earbuds or wireless)
- 2 Wide Ruled Black Marble Composition Books
- 1 24pk Ticonderoga #2 Pencils
(pre-sharpened)
- 2 Boxes of Crayola Crayons, 24 pk
- 3 1.4oz Elmer's Jumbo Glue Sticks
- 1 Plastic Supply Box (8 3/8" by 5 5/8")
- 1 4ct Pack of Post-It Notes
- 1 Box of Tissues
- 1 Pack of Antibacterial Wipes
- 1 4pk of Black Expo Dry Erase Markers
- 1 4ct Pack of Highlighters
- 1 Box of Gallon Ziploc Bags 20 ct (boys only)
- 1 Box of Sandwich Ziploc Bags 50 ct (girls only)

Second Grade

- 3 Wide Ruled Marble Composition Books
- 24 #2 Pencils Sharpened
- 3 Boxes of Crayola Crayons, 24 pk
- 1 Box of Crayola Colored Pencils, 12 pk
- 3 Elmer's Washable Glue Sticks
- 2 Eraser Caps
- 5 Plastic Pocket Folders (red, yellow, blue, green and pur
- 2 Reams of White Printer Paper
- 1 Nylon Pencil Bag or Crayon Box





2 Boxes of Tissues
2 Pairs of Blunt 5" Scissors
2 Large Fluorescent Yellow Highlighters
3 Packs of Expo Dry Erase Markers
1 Pack of Clorox Disinfecting Wipes
1 Pair of Headphones
1 Hand Sanitizer Gel with pump, 8 oz
1 Pack of 9" Paper Plates
1 Box of Gallon Ziploc Bags (girls only)
1 Box of Sandwich Ziploc Bags (boys only)

Third Grade

1 Pack of Wide Ruled Notebook Paper
3 Duo-Tang Folders with Pockets and Prongs (only solid color)
24 #2 Sharpened Pencils (only Ticonderoga)
3 Wide Ruled Black Marble Composition Notebooks, 100 pages each
1 3 Pack of White Block Erasers
2 Red Pens
1 Pack of Highlighters
1 Expo Low Odor Dry Erase Markers 4 pk.
2 Boxes of Tissues (80 count minimum)
2 Elmer's Jumbo Glue Sticks 1oz. or larger
1 Box of Crayola Crayons, 24 pk
1 Pack of Colored Pencils 12 ct
1 Set of Headphones (no earbuds or wireless)
1 Lanyard for Student ID
1 Fiskars Child-Sized Scissors
1 Box of Quart Ziploc Bags (boys only)
1 Box of Gallon Ziploc Bags (girls only)
1 Pack of Wet Ones Wipes (boys only)
1 Container of Lysol or Clorox Wipes (girls only)

Fourth Grade

48 #2 Ticonderoga Yellow Sharpened Pencils
2 Plastic Colored Binder Folders with pockets and prongs (Yellow and Green)
1 Box of Crayola Colored Pencils, 12 pk
4 100-page Wide Ruled Black and White Marble Composition Books
2 Elmers Purple Glue Sticks, 77 oz washable
1 Set of Headphones (no earbuds or wireless)
1 Expo Low Odor Dry Erase Black Marker 4 pk, Chisel-tip
1 Large Zippered Pencil Pouch with binder rings
3 Pink Bevel Erasers, latex-free
2 Boxes of Kleenex Tissues, 72 ct
1 2" Binder with clear cover and inside pockets
1 pair of student scissors

1 Pack of Antibacterial Hand Wipes, 40 ct
1 Container of Lysol or Clorox Wipes, 35 ct
1 4ct Pack of Highlighters, chisel tip, assorted colors
1 Lanyard with clip
1 Ream of White Copy Paper, 500 ct

Fifth Grade

3-24 packs #2 Ticonderoga Sharpened Pencils
1 Pack of Blue Pens
1 Pack of Yellow Highlighters
3 4 packs of Expo Low Odor Dry Erase Markers
4 Plastic Colored Folders with Pockets & Prongs (Red, Blue, Yellow and Green)
4 Wide Ruled Composition Notebooks
4 Large Glue Sticks
1 Pack of Eraser Caps
1 Box of Crayola Colored Pencils, 12 pk
1 Box of Kleenex Tissues
1 Set of Headphones (no earbuds or wireless)
1 Ream of Copy Paper
2 Packs of Wide Ruled Notebook Paper
1 Zippered Pencil Pouch (NO Boxes)
1 container of Clorox or Lysol Wipes (girls only)
1 6-pack of 3x3 Post-it notes (boys only)

ASD Special Programs

1 Ream of White Copy Paper
4 Spiral Notebooks (KG only)
4 Composition Notebooks (1st-5th Grade)
1 Pack of Primary Pencils
1 Pack of #2 Pencils
1 Pack of Erasers
2 Packs of Crayola Crayons
1 Pack of Crayola Markers
1 Pack of Expo Markers (color variety)
1 2pk of Large Glue Sticks
1 2pk of Yellow Highlighters
1 Pair of Scissors
4 Plastic Folders with Pockets (yellow, red, blue, and green)
1 Plastic Pencil Box
3 Packs of Flushable Wipes
1 Pack of Clorox Wipes
1 Bottle of Hand Sanitizer
1 Box of Tissues
1 Pack of Gloves
1 Box of Gallon Size Ziploc Bags
1 Box of Sandwich Size Ziploc Bags
1 Set of Headphones



Daily Dismissal Changes Please follow procedure below.

Fox Trail Elementary's changes on daily dismissals are done through the email address below.

foxtrailes@browardschools.com

To ensure the safety of our students, we **DO NOT** accept dismissal changes through any other mode of communication. **Please send your request to the above email before 12:30PM.**

Please include the following information:

***Name of student – 06 Number –
Date of Birth -Teacher***

(Also include how your child normally goes home and the actual change of dismissal.)



Register for BCPS' Focus Parent Portal

Student's ID Number:

The Focus Parent Portal account gives parents/guardians convenient, secure, anytime, anywhere access to your student's school information.

Note: Before creating your account, you will need an email address. If you do not have one, you can create a free email account at gmail.com or microsoft.com.

Create an Account

Log into this site or use the QR code:

<https://browardschools.focusschoolsoftware.com/focus/auth/>



Click **Create Parent Portal Account**.

Create Parent Portal Account

I have an account and need to add my student(s)

Password Reset Assistance

Enter all the required fields with your own information and click **Submit**.
(Each parent/guardian will need to set up their own individual account)

Please enter your name exactly as it appears on your driver's license as well as a valid email address:

Parent/Guardian First Name: (Required)

Parent/Guardian Last Name: (Required)

Email Address: (Required)

Create Password: (Minimum 8 characters)

Retype Password: (Required)

☐ Show Password

☐ I'm not a robot

Select **I would like to ADD A CHILD who is already enrolled**.

Students

You do not have any linked students at this time.

I would like to ADD A CHILD who is already enrolled.

I am FINISHED adding students. Please take me to the Portal.

Enter the **Student's ID number (begins with '06')** and **Student's birthdate**, then Select **Add Student**.

Please enter your student's information:

Student ID: (Required)

Student's Birthdate: January 1 2023 (Required)

☐ I'm not a robot





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County Public Schools

See Something, Say Something

Be a Broward Buddy, Report a Tip!

In an emergency, call 911 immediately. To submit a safety or security concern that is not an emergency, please use one of the tip reporting methods provided below. Please remember you can choose to remain anonymous.



Anonymous Tip Submission Box

Submit a tip easily via our Anonymous Tip Submission Box (**no download required**). Provide as much detail as you can, including names of people involved, physical descriptions, school name, social media handles, etc.



[BrowardSchools.com/SecurityTips](https://www.browardschools.com/SecurityTips)



Call Us Anytime (Even on Holidays)

Call our District Security Operations Center (DSOC) 24 hours a day, 7 days a week (including holidays). One of our friendly DSOC Specialists will take your tip over the phone and submit it immediately to our investigators. Please let the DSOC Specialist know if you wish to remain anonymous.

754-321-3500



Send Us an Email

Submit a tip using the email address below. Although your email address is displayed using this tip reporting method, you can choose to remain anonymous by simply requesting it in your message.

SecurityTips@BrowardSchools.com



FortifyFL

Submit a tip via FortifyFL online (**no download required**) or download the app for easier use. Visit FortifyFL using the link below. Your tip will immediately reach law enforcement and Broward Schools investigators.



[GetFortifyFL.com](https://www.getfortifyfl.com)



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For an ADA accessible version of this calendar, visit browardschools.com/accessiblecalendar.

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- Employee Planning (no school for students)
- Schools and Administrative Offices Closed
- Schools Closed
- Report Cards Issued Grade 12 K – Grade 11
- Interim Reports Issued
- Early Release Day
- First and Last Day of School

