

MISCELLANEOUS INFORMATION

USE OF SCHOOL TELEPHONE BY STUDENTS

A student will be permitted to use the school telephone only when accompanied by a written request from his/her teacher. Calls will be limited to cases of illnesses or emergencies. Arrangements for transportation, books, homework, lunches, etc., are not valid reasons for using the phone. Parents are requested not to call the school to speak with their children except in an emergency.

CELL PHONES/WATCHES

No student shall use any electronic telecommunication device including cell phones and smart watches (any watch capable of texting and/or taking pictures.) Frasch Elementary will follow CPSB Code of Conduct procedures when a student has one of these devices.

SCHOOL FEES

Fees can be paid online through the OSP system. Please visit CPSB.ORG for the link. Make all checks payable to *Frasch Elementary*. School fees should be paid at the beginning of the school year.

STUDENT INSURANCE

Accident insurance covering students on their way to school, during school and during their return home from school is available to all students. An insurance form will be sent home with all students on the first day of school so that you can read about it and apply if interested.

HOMEWORK GUIDELINES

Homework should be reasonable and meaningful to students. It should never be used to teach objectives and concepts, but rather to reinforce and apply objectives and concepts already taught during the instructional day.

Specific guidelines considered when planning homework for elementary students as recommended by the Elementary Curriculum Department:

- The assignment provides the student with an opportunity to reinforce, practice, apply, and/or enrich the content that has already been taught during instruction. (Incomplete class work is not considered homework.)
- Assignments given are extensions of the learning activities taught and give students a chance to think creatively as well as use of higher order thinking skills.
- Careful consideration is given to ensure that the assignment is based on student interest, needs and abilities.
- It is not recommended that elementary students have homework in each content area every day.