

Bethesda Elementary School

Our Mission and Vision

*Every day! Every one! Every way!
We will learn, serve, and achieve.*



Welcome! Welcome! Welcome! We are so excited to have each of you with us at Bethesda Elementary School this year! Please find important information below.

Open House for Students in First-Fifth Grade Friday, August 25, 2023

Bethesda will host Open House on Friday, August 25 for all 1st-5th grade students. This is a special opportunity for parents and students to meet and receive important information for the school year. We are so excited to welcome our families back to school! See you soon!

In an effort to avoid large gatherings, families will attend Open House based on the times listed below.

9:00-10:30 Last Names Beginning with A-H

11:00-12:30 Last Names Beginning with I-O

1:30-3:00 Last Names Beginning with P-Z

The first day of school for First-Fifth Grade is Monday, August 28, 2023.

Open House for Kindergarten Tuesday, September 5th

Mark your calendars! Bethesda will host Kindergarten Open House on Tuesday, September 5th. This is a special opportunity for parents and students to meet and receive important information for the school year. We are so excited to welcome our Kindergarten families! Please see the schedule below.

9:00-10:30 Last Names Beginning A-H

11:00-12:30 Last Names Beginning I-O

1:30-3:00 Last Names Beginning P-Z

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Kindergarten Assessments

Someone will contact you to schedule your child's appointment. This will likely be August 21st-August 24th.

Kindergarten Staggered Entry

Please see the schedule below for your child's scheduled date, based on their last name. This is a regular school day. Please plan to have your child stay the entire day, **7:45-2:15**.

Last Name

A-H

I-O

P-Z

All Kindergarten Students

Day Assigned

Monday, August 28

Tuesday, August 29

Wednesday, August 30

Thursday, August 31

Returning Student Registration and Bus Transportation

It's important for DPS families to update their contact information, address, requests for meals, and other information using the PowerSchool Parent Portal. This will help DPS ensure school buses will be able to pick up your child at the proper location on the first day of school. If you cannot update your address or need in-person assistance, please contact the Main Office at 919-560-3904.

All families MUST submit the Back to School Powerschool Parent Portal form at: <https://www.dpsnc.net/Page/258>

Contact Us At (919) 560-3904

Emory Wyckoff, Principal

Portia Lee, Assistant Principal

Signe Coffey, Assistant Principal

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Pre-K 2023-2024 School Supply List

- 4 Bottles of Hand Soap
- 2 packs of Crayons
- 2 packs of Washable Markers
- 4 Packages of Baby Wipes
- 2 containers of Lysol type disinfecting wipes
- 4 boxes of tissues
- 4 cans of play dough
- 6 glue sticks
- 1 box of large gallon ziplock bags
- 1 box of sandwich ziploc bags
- 1 large of container of ONE of the items listed: individual bag goldfish, individual bag chips, juice boxes, small water bottles, individual bag m&m's, individual bag cookies

PREK Individual Student Supplies

- A backpack each day large enough to fit a pocket folder
- 1 lunch box with utensils (fork,spoon)
- 1 supply box for materials (markers,scissors...)
- 1 yellow folder pocket folder for (Daily Communication, Art Projects, Therapy Notes.....)
- Water bottle with straw for your child to use daily
- 2 full sets of clothing (shirt,pants/shorts,underwear and socks)
- 1 blanket
- 1 fitted crib/twin sheet for rest time
- Pull-ups/diapers (if your student needs them- please only send in pull-ups with Velcro straps for use)

PLEASE LABEL ALL OF YOUR CHILD'S SUPPLIES

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Kindergarten 2023-2024 Supply List

- ❖ Backpack (without wheels)
- ❖ 2 Primary Journals
- ❖ 1 pack of #2 pencils
- ❖ 2 packs of crayon
- ❖ 1 pack of paper mate erasers
- ❖ 1 pair of scissors
- ❖ 6 washable school glue sticks
- ❖ 1 pack of Expo dry erase markers
- ❖ 1 Expo dry eraser
- ❖ 2 plastic pocket folders
- ❖ 2 changes of clothes (Ziploc bag with child's name)
- ❖ 2 boxes of Kleenex
- ❖ 1 boxes of Ziploc gallon bags
- ❖ 1 boxes of Ziploc sandwich bags
- ❖ 2 bottles of Hand sanitizer
- ❖ 4 bottles of Disinfectant wipes

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First & Second Grade 2023-2024 Supply List

- ❖ Backpack (without wheels)
- ❖ 2 Composition Notebooks
- ❖ 1 pack of 24-count #2 pencils
- ❖ 1 pack of pencil top erasers
- ❖ 1 pair of scissors
- ❖ 3 glue sticks
- ❖ 1 pack of markers
- ❖ 1 Expo dry eraser
- ❖ 2 boxes of Kleenex
- ❖ 2 boxes of Ziploc gallon bags
- ❖ 2 boxes of Ziploc sandwich bags
- ❖ 2 bottles of Hand sanitizer
- ❖ 2 bottles of Disinfectant wipes

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Third-Fifth Grade 2023-2024 Supply List

- ❖ Backpack (without wheels)
- ❖ 1 pack of 24-count #2 pencils
- ❖ 3 large erasers
- ❖ 2 glue sticks
- ❖ 1 pair of scissors
- ❖ 1 pack of markers
- ❖ 1 Expo dry eraser
- ❖ 2 Composition Notebooks
- ❖ 1 pack of Post Its
- ❖ 2 boxes of Ziploc gallon bags
- ❖ 2 boxes of Ziploc sandwich bags
- ❖ 2 bottles of Hand sanitizer
- ❖ 2 bottles of Disinfectant wipes