

Bethesda Elementary School

Our Mission and Vision

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

This Year's Theme:

Watch us Grow!

Creating a Culture of Achievement and Celebration!



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 26

Bethesda will host Open House on Friday, August 26 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

Open House for Kindergarten Tuesday, September 6

Mark your calendars! Bethesda will host Kindergarten Open House on Tuesday, September 6. 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

Your child has been assigned a day to come to school to take the Kindergarten entry assessment. Someone will contact you to schedule your child's appointment. Appointment days are listed below:

Last Name

A-H
I-O
P-Z

Day Assigned

Wednesday, August 17
Thursday, August 18
Friday, August 19

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

Wednesday, August 31
Thursday, September 1
Friday, September 2
Wednesday, September 7

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.

Contact Us At (919) 560-3904

Mr. Emory Wyckoff, Principal
Morgan Hunt, Assistant Principal
Portia Lee, Assistant Principal
Karen Rankins-Hinton, Dean of Students and MTSS Facilitator

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Kindergarten-Second Grade 2022-2023 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 changes of clothes (Ziploc bag with child's name)-Kindergarten
ONLY
- ❖ 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 2022-2023 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