Nantucket Elementary Parent Updates 8/2/2021



School Supplies

AACPS will be providing students in the elementary schools with the school supplies that they will need for the 2021-2022 school year. Families will need to provide their students with a non-rolling backpack and headphones or earbuds (to keep at school). Students will receive their supplies during our Sneak-a-Peek event or the first day of school.

Sneak-a- Peek at Your Seat

We welcome all families to attend our Sneak-a-Peek at Your Seat event on Thursday, September 2nd from 2:00-3:30 pm. This is an opportunity for students to meet their teachers and see their classrooms before the first day of school. This is informal and much like an open house- come and go as you please between 2:00-3:30 pm. Please remember that this is not time to conference with the teacher, as they need to be available to meet all of the students and families. **Masks must be worn at all times inside the building by anyone 2 years or age or older.**

Orientation Sessions

This year we will host an Orientation for Kindergarten students, 1st grade students, and all students in grades 2-5 who are new to Nantucket Elementary. During these orientations, our School Counselors will be providing information pertinent to the beginning of the school year at Nantucket Elementary. A tour of the school will be provided as well. **Masks must be worn at all times inside the building by anyone 2 years or age or older.** To help keep the size of these events at a minimum, we are asking that only parents and the actual student attend the orientation.

The orientation sessions will be held in the Nantucket Elementary cafeteria on Thursday, August 19th. The times are below:

Kindergarten Orientation	9:00-10:00 am
First Grade Orientation	12:00-1:00 pm
New Students in Grades 2-5	2:00-3:00 pm

Class Assignments

Students will be receiving their class assignments the week of August 23rd. They will be mailed, through the US Postal System, to the address where the student resides.

Kindergarten Class Assignments, Conferences, Staggered Days

Kindergarten parents will receive their child's class assignment, the parent conference date/time, and the staggered day through the US Postal System. These will be mailed out during the week of August 9th.

Registration

If you know of anyone who resides in the Nantucket attendance zone and who has not registered their child for school, please tell them to do so! We want to make sure that all students are assigned to a class prior to the first day of school. If anyone has any questions about registering a student, they may call 410-451-6120.

Warmly,

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