



Frequently Asked Questions- Kindergarten

How big are class sizes?

On average, class size can run from 18-23 students with one teacher and one assistant.

What should my child know before they enter kindergarten?

Please take the time to read, "What is expected of your child in kindergarten?"

What if a child has a disability?

Please provide the school with any 504 plans or IEPs, if your child is currently being served for a disability.

What does a kindergarten program look like?

Kindergarten is a full-day program. It is very structured and routine-oriented. The kindergarten curriculum focuses on math and reading. Science and social studies themes incorporate into reading and math. Students transition from activities throughout the day in order to meet their developmental progress.

How will my child get to and from school?

You may choose to have your child ride the bus or you may drop off and/or pick up each day in the car rider line. Car rider information will be available at Open House.

What if my child does not speak English?

Our ELL teacher will monitor non-English speaking students at the beginning of the year, and determine what support is necessary. We have an English Language Learner (ELL) program at our school. Your child will be placed in the regular classroom and an ELL teacher will assist as necessary.

How can I be involved with my child's education?

Parent involvement is very welcomed at RES. We invite parent volunteers to work in or out of the classroom. You can join our PTA and support any of their programs. Any support you can give your child at home will further enhance their education. It is important to be in communication with your child's teacher as necessary. Read all materials sent home by the teacher and school.

Do they serve breakfast and lunch?

The cafeteria serves breakfast and lunch each day. You will receive information on pricing, free/reduced lunch cost, My School Bucks and menus at the beginning of the school year.



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Will my child need a snack each day?

Teachers do ask that each child bring a healthy snack from home each day.

Can I volunteer in my child's classroom?

Yes! In order to volunteer, we will ask that you fill out a volunteer packet. We have volunteer training also. You may then work with your child's teacher to set up a time to volunteer. Volunteer packets are available by contacting your child's teacher or the office.

May I request a teacher?

RES does not allow teacher requests. If you feel you have an extenuating circumstance, you may send a written letter to the principal, Mrs. Payne.

How can I find out how my child did on their screening?

You may call Donna Payne at 939-9006 if you are interested in knowing the screening results. The students were screened on: Letter names (upper and lower case), letter sounds, writing their first name, how high they can count, shape identification and drawing the shapes.