



Bullpup Nips
August 31, 2021



School Office: 427-5672 SES Hours: 7:45AM-2:25PM;
Early Release Wednesdays 7:45AM-12:25PM
Theme: Kindness
September Character Trait: PAW LAWS

"Students who come to school every day, behave, and participate - graduate!"
Paraphrased from Balfanz (2007) by the Academic Team

Principal Schreiber's Message: Welcome to Stevenson Elementary School! We are off to a great start for the 2021-2022 school year. Our staff is truly very excited about the opportunity to educate your child/ren. Plan to hear from teachers as we provide school-wide Family Connection Meetings. These connections offer staff an opportunity to reach out to students and families over the next two weeks. As always, please reach out to us if you have any questions or concerns. We appreciate your partnership and thank you for taking this journey with us. Stevenson Elementary School: 509-427-5672 or schreiberk@scsd303.org

CHARACTER TRAIT: Each month our Bullpups will be learning about character traits with the overarching focus of kindness. For September, our focus will be in identifying our PAW LAWS:

- Do Your Best
- Manage Yourself
- Cooperate
- Respect
- Be Safe

PARENTS: Thank you for reaching out to us as we start this school year. If you need information connect with your child's classroom teacher for needed information. **Breakfast/Lunch:** Please check out this link for updated menus: <https://www.myschoolmenus.com/instance/1077/district/1091>

COMMUNICATION: Our school doors are currently closed. However, we appreciate families continuing to return required documentation for the start of the school year. This information includes keeping our records current with your email and telephone contact information. If you need the attention of our office, please call our secretary Kali Stump at 509-427-5672 or email questions to stumpk@scsd303.org. We are here to help provide a smooth transition to school.

ATTENDANCE: School begins at 7:45 with dismissal at 2:25. Daily attendance is expected. So, consider the following to assist in getting your child ready for instruction each day:

- Set a regular bedtime, and stick to it.
- Check backpacks for messages &/or class homework.
- Set an alarm clock, or even two.

TRANSPORTATION Reminders: To help reduce transmission of COVID-19, family members will not be able to enter the building with their child during drop-off or pick-up. These are necessary measures for the health and safety of our students and staff.

Vehicles:

Drop-Off: If you plan to drop-off your student in the morning, be sure to have your child sit on the passenger right side to allow for curbside exit from the vehicle. Use the first lane to drive up to the school office. Please have your child stay in the car with you until a staff member can greet you. A staff member will then direct your child to enter the exterior gym doors to wait until school begins. The school gym doors open at 7:35 A.M. Remind your child to maintain physical distancing (airplane arms) as much as possible. Students will go directly to their classroom to check in with their teacher at 7:45 A.M.

Pick-Up: Students are dismissed at 2:25 P.M. Please use the lane closest to the office if you are picking up second graders. Use the lane closest to the parking lot if you are picking up kindergarteners or first graders. Signs will be posted to help direct traffic. Children will load into vehicles one at a time in the order of vehicle line-ups. Kindergarten children will dismiss at 12:25 until their first full day on Monday, September 13.

Please wait in line for and remain in your car during both drop-off and pick-up. Children's safety is paramount. Thank you in advance for your cooperation and patience during this process. Your support is greatly appreciated for the safety of all.

Walkers:

Arrival: If you are walking to school, please use the cross walks to safely walk to the flag pole outside the school office. A staff member will then direct your child to the gym to wait until school begins. The school gym doors open at 7:35 A.M. Remind your child to maintain physical distancing (airplane arms) as much as possible. Students will go directly to their classroom to check in with their teacher at 7:45 A.M.

Dismissal: Students may be picked up at the flag pole in the front of the school. **Please use the crosswalks for safety.** Kindergarten children will dismiss at 12:25 until their first full day on Monday, September 13.

EARLY RELEASE WEDNESDAY: Dismissal is 12:25 each Wednesday.

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