

WESTSIDE EAGLES UPDATE



September, 2022

9/1— First Day of School

9/5—NO SCHOOL-Labor Day

9/16 — 2:00 Dismissal

9/21—Hearing Screening for 5K & 1st Grade

9/23—NOON Dismissal

10/4— Picture Retake Day

10/14 — 2:00 Dismissal

10/27 —NO SCHOOL

10/28 — NO SCHOOL

11/7 — End of First Quarter

11/10— Parent/Teacher Conferences—2:00 Dismissal

11/14 — Parent/Teacher Conferences—2:00 Dismissal

11/18 — Noon Dismissal

11/24 & 25 — No School

12/9 — 2:00 Dismissal

12/23 — Noon Dismissal

12/26/22—1/2/23— No School

1/3 — School Resumes



A Message from our Principal

Happy Nearly First Day of School Westside Families!

Supply drop-off was a huge success last night. We had awesome attendance in the short window of time. We realize many parents had to do lots of juggling to make it happen. We have a lot of new staff faces at Westside this year as we had a few retirements, some staff moving on to new adventures and we increased staffing to better meet your children's needs. Don't worry, we have told them all about the Westside Way To Be and how well we work with our students and their families!

This year teachers will be putting extra focus on helping our students build a positive identity, nurturing a growth mindset, normalizing failure, and collaborative problem solving. This has been our emphasis for the past 5 years in literacy, the extra focus comes in applying these concepts in all aspects of their school day. We want our students to be both learners and teachers in all areas of their academic world, but also when conflicts with peers arise. These concepts look different as they progress from kindergarten to fourth grade and we feel they are essential for all our students to have to be life ready when they leave Westside.

Lastly, in a few housekeeping items, we will be practicing all of our drills in the first month of school. If you know your child has any anxieties around fires, tornadoes or intruders (like my kids had) please reach out to their teacher so they can make those practices as stress free as possible.

See you soon!

Jonathan Peterson



Mr. Jonathan Peterson **Principal**

746 W Third Street Kimberly, WI 54136 Phone: (920)739-3578 Fax: (920)739-6212

BUS TRANSPORTATION

Please remember to check your most up to date bus information in the Infinite Campus Par-

ent Portal before September 1. You can find this information under "More" and the area "Bus Transportation".

Lamers Transportation did not send out letters this year with this information, so you will need to find it in Infinite Campus. Please contact Lamers Bus Services at 920-832-8800 ext 2 with any questions. Please do not call the district with questions regarding your routes, as we do not have that information



MEASURES OF ACADEMIC PROGRESS (MAP) TESTING

Each fall, winter and spring elementary students in grades 2, 3, and 4 take the MAP test in the areas of mathematics and reading. The MAP test is a computer delivered adaptive test. The results identify your child's achievement differently than a typical test. Rather than measure based on grade level expectations, it measures continuous academic growth from fall to spring and from one year to the next. It is one of many tools used to inform our instruction to meet your child's needs. The MAP testing window for the 22-23 academic year has been outlined below. Please contact your child's teacher if you have any questions regarding testing.

Fall Assessment: September 6-September 16

Winter Assessment: January 2-January 19

Spring Assessment: May 15-May 24



DROP-OFF & PICK-UP

- Our school day runs from 8:35 AM-3:35 PM
- Drop-off begins at 8:25, unless a student is coming to breakfast—breakfast drop off is at 8:00. Pick-up is at 3:35. Additional important drop-off and pick-up details are included on a flyer and map attached to this newsletter.

LUNCH INFORMATION

Please note that the Free Lunch Program offered by the Federal Government last year has been discontinued. Families are encouraged to complete the Free and Reduced Lunch Applications and Fee Waivers as needed.

Please click <u>here</u> for the Parent's Guide to School Lunch.

For more information on the Free and Reduced Lunch Program please click here.

2022-2023 Free & Reduced Meal Application

Free and Reduced Meals-Sharing Information with other Programs

FEES

Kindergarten School Fee: \$20.00

Kindergarten Milk Fee (for snack): \$40.00 (for the entire year)

Grades 1 - 4 School Fee: \$30.00

Headphones: \$5.00 (for 5K & new students only)

Elementary Lunch Fee: \$2.60

Daily Lunch Milk: \$0.40

Yearbook (Optional): \$11.00

BILL

CONTACTING WESTSIDE

During the school year our office is open from 7:30-4:00 Monday-Friday on school days. If you need to call Westside you can reach us at 920-739-3578.

- Select 1 for Attendance
- Select 2 for the Dial By Name Directory
- Select 3 for the Main Office



Please leave a message on the attendance line or email attendance updates to both Ms. Gina and Ms. Stacie.

gvandenberg@kimberly.k12.wi.us

staciebergeron@kimberly.k12.wi.us

HEALTH FORMS & BUS STUDENTS



Many of you were asked by the school nurses to complete medical forms for your children. If you checked the box stating that you would like the information to be shared with Lamers Bus Lines, please be assured that will happen by the beginning of October. If your child has health concerns that you would like Lamers to be aware of before then, please call them at 832-8800.

MEDICATION AT SCHOOL

If it is necessary for your child to take medication at school please fill out the Authorization to Dispense Medication form found by clicking here and scrolling down to "Medication Consent Form 4K-12" or by stopping in the school office to get a paper copy. If your child will be taking prescription medication the form will need to be signed by your physician. Please make sure all medication is in it's original packaging.



HUMAN GROWTH & DEVELOPMENT LETTERS

Please see the attached letter and grade level objective's outlining the KASD Human Growth & Development Curriculum. Paper copies will be sent home with your children later this week. If you do not receive the HG & D information, please let us know and we will provide it to you.



SNACKS & BIRTHDAY TREATS

We ask that students bring individual snacks for each day.

Students may bring in a birthday snack/treat on their special day, however, due to health concerns we encourage pencils, stickers, or individual pre-packaged treats. Please reach out to your child's teacher with any questions on snacks and celebrating your child's special day.



EARLY DISMISSAL EXPLANATIONS

NOON DISMISSAL All students are dismissed at 12:00 PM — Lunch is not served — The Y-Care Staff is here for those signed up for Y-Care. Please bring a lunch for your child if he/she will be staying with the Y-Care program. There is no care provided after NOON by our Westside staff.

2:00 PM DISMISSAL (Fridays) Students are dismissed at 2:00 PM — If your child is signed up to stay for the movie, he/she will need to be picked up any time between 2:00 and 3:35—Y-Care begins at 3:35 for those students who are signed up for Y-Care.

<u>2:00 PM DISMISSAL (PARENT/TEACHER CONFERENCES)</u> ALL Students are dismissed at 2:00 PM — there is **NO CARE PROVIDED** by our staff on these days. Y-Care families need to contact the YMCA to "sign-up" for Y-Care on conference days.

OPTIONAL FORMS & ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

All of our optional forms and informational flyers are available via the KASD Website. You may click here to access the district forms page. Scroll down and click the + by Westside Elementary and you will see the Westside forms. Please review them, print any you may need and turn them into the office. Thank you!

PICTURE RETAKE DAY

PICTURE RETAKE DAY is scheduled for **TUESDAY**, **October 4th**. Students who were unable to have their pictures taken during August will have their pictures on this day. Please <u>click here</u> for the online order form.



KASD ELEMENTARY PARENT HANDBOOK 2022-2023

Kimberly Area School District Elementary School Handbooks are available to parents/guardians on the KASD website. You can access the handbook by <u>clicking here</u>. Hard copies are available in the school office at your request.

ANNUAL PUBLIC NOTICES—2022-2023

Each year the Kimberly Area School District must inform all families and staff of certain information referred to as "Public Notices." The 2022-23 Annual Public Notices document can be found on our website at https://www.kimberly.k12.wi.us/departments/pupil-services/notices. If you need a printed copy, you can request one from any school office or the District Administration Office.

WELCOME BACK WESTSIDE

Hi everyone! I am so excited to be back for my third year! You may notice under my picture it says "Mrs. LeBeck" instead of "Ms. Newman". No, Westside did not get a new counselor, but I have a new last name! A few weeks into the school year, I will be getting married and changing my name. I decided it would be best to start the year as Mrs. LeBeck so students and staff (and to be honest, myself!) can start getting used to it. My email will still be the same until the school is able to switch it over with my new name, so watch the newsletters for my contact update!



Mrs. LeBeck

Last year, I had so much fun working with all students at Westside. I provided so many individual sessions, check-ins, lunch bunches, and small groups, and cannot wait to see what this school year will hold!

I would love if families could take a short survey to help me support you and your student(s) this year! If you took this at meet the teacher night, you do not need to take it again. This will help give me some info about what you want to know about my program, my newsletters, and how I can be the best School Counselor for kids at Westside. To take the survey: CLICK HERE!

COUNSELING SERVICES

Life Skills Lessons: Lessons this year will be a bit different than the last two years. This year, I will teach one lesson each month per grade level and classroom teachers will teach one lesson each month. This way, students are getting 1 hour each month and the skills they learn are incorporated right into their classroom community.

Small groups: Students may be referred through their teacher, parents/guardians, and by me to participate in a small group experience. If your student has been selected to be in a group, you will receive a letter in their take-home folder with information about what skills we will develop and when the group starts/ends.

1:1 Counseling: Happens throughout the year to help students develop social and emotional skills. Students may be referred through their teacher, by themselves, or by parents/guardians. You will always be contacted if I plan to meet with your student on a consistent basis.

If you believe your child needs counseling support, please reach out through phone or e-mail. Counseling support could look like teaching skills, working through emotions, academic success, and much more!

CONTACT INFO



Kimberly Area School District Health Services



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Kimberly Area School District Hearing Screening September 2022

Dear Parent(s) / Guardian(s),

Please find below information regarding the Kimberly Area School District hearing screening program for the 2022-23 school year.

Hearing screenings will be done routinely in Early Childhood, 4K, Kindergarten and First Grades only. Other children who will be screened are those who have a history of failed hearing screenings in previous school years (Grades 2-4), at a teacher's or parent's request and all students new to the Kimberly Area School District at the elementary level.

Hearing screenings are done up to two times by school personnel including speech and language staff and the school nurse. The screenings include **pure tone screening** and **tympanometry**. In pure tone screening the child wears headphones and listens for three soft tones. He/she drops a block or raises a hand each time a tone is heard. Results are recorded as PASS or FAIL. In tympanometry, a machine is used which measures eardrum movement and indicates if fluid or infection is behind the eardrum. Results are recorded as PASS or FAIL. If your child does not pass either the pure tone or tympanometry screening in either ear, he/she will be rescreened in 4-6 weeks. If your child does not pass the RESCREEN, a referral for medical and audiological evaluations will be made. These medical/audiological evaluations would be at your expense.

Please note that these are <u>screenings</u>. If you question the results of the school based screening, please refer to your family physician.

Westside's hearing screening date for the 2022-23 school year will be:

September 21, 2022

If you have any questions or concerns regarding the hearing screenings OR would like to "opt-out" of this screening for your child, please contact your school office or your building's school nurse, Wendy Van Nuland @ 920-423-4150.



Kimberly Area School District HUMAN GROWTH & DEVELOPMENT 5 Year Old Kindergarten - Grade 4

Dear Parent or Guardian:

It is important that our youth have knowledge about human growth and development to understand body changes, maintain a healthy lifestyle, and make healthy, responsible decisions which fit with their personal values and yours. It is important for you to be the primary source for information and education, and our schools will provide support to assist your efforts.

4 year-old-kindergarten through twelfth grade human growth and development objectives guide learning in our schools. These objectives were designed by a committee of parents, teachers, administrators, and community members to be developmentally appropriate and were approved by the Board of Education. The objectives for your child's grade level are printed here along with our philosophy for your review. Your child's teachers will provide opportunities throughout the school year for your child to learn these objectives. To provide the best learning situations, we connect this information with other things about which the child is learning. Because of this, human growth and development learning may occur throughout the year when it is most appropriate, but there may be times when the learning is more focused.

Films related to the physical and emotional changes that occur with puberty are used in grades 4, 5, and 6. When the class is viewing one of these films, the teacher or counselor will notify you in advance so that you can have the opportunity to preview the film. We encourage you to take time with your child to discuss the film together after it is shown in class. This discussion provides another opportunity for you to share your values and expectations and to understand your child's perspectives. We have additional resources to help parents connect and speak with their children about human growth and development issues. For more information about available resources, speak with your child's teacher or counselor.

If you have any questions or concerns about what your child will be learning, please talk with your child's teacher or counselor. If you prefer that your child not participate in human growth and development instruction, you need to make that request in writing to the teacher or school principal in advance and an alternative educational opportunity will be provided for your child during that time. Students whose parents exempt them from instruction related to human growth and development will still receive instruction on other health-related topics such as basic hygiene and sanitation, the effects of controlled substances and alcohol on the human body, symptoms of disease and the proper care of the body. Instruction is also provided for elementary students on effective means by which students may recognize, avoid, prevent and halt physically or psychologically abusive or intrusive situations, such as child abuse, child enticement and sexual abuse.

If you would like more information about the district's health curriculum, including the complete human growth and development curriculum, or the instructional materials, please contact me at (920) 788-7900, Extension 4181.

Sincerely,
John Schultz
Director of Student Improvement

PHILOSOPHY

The Kimberly Area School District recognizes human growth and development as a lifelong educational process. The responsibility for this education belongs first and foremost to parents, church, and community. The district recognizes the obligation of the schools to support and supplement this aspect of education. Since students are in school for a large portion of their lives, it seems appropriate that the school offer to assist parents in these areas.

This human growth and development program has been planned with the active, constructive involvement of parents, teachers, students, community leaders, and administrators with approval by the School Board.

The Kimberly School District is committed to provide human growth and development instruction as part of a comprehensive education program. Human growth and development instruction refers to the process of growth in the intellectual, physical, emotional, spiritual, and social phases of individuals and their human relations.

Human growth and development should not be an isolated special facet of education. Sequential, well-planned units appropriate for developmental needs will be integrated through the 4K-12 curriculum. Our goal is to provide accurate information in a non-threatening environment which includes dialogue between parents, students, and teachers. This accurate information will allow students and educators to use correct terminology when referring to human growth and development topics.

The Kimberly Area School District recognizes its responsibility to promote in our students positive self-concepts, healthy interpersonal relationships, and responsible decision making. This curriculum will help students examine their own attitudes and behavior in relation to the norms and values of parents, church, and community.

OBJECTIVES FOR GRADE 5K

- 1. Identify and use the basic steps of the decision making process.
- 2. Identify people they can trust.
- 3. Recognize there are feelings.
- 4. Identify their feelings.
- 5. Recognize that they get to decide who touches their body.
- 6. Identify appropriate and inappropriate touch.
- 7. Know that family members take care of each other.

OBJECTIVES FOR GRADE 1

- 1. Apply the basic steps involved in the decision making process.
- 2. Identify adults they can seek out for help.
- 3. Identify and express their feelings.
- 4. Identify appropriate and inappropriate touch.
- 5. Recognize that they get to decide who touches their body.
- 6. Identify changes a human goes through in a life cycle.
- 7. Identify the different ways living things reproduce: plants come from seeds, animals come from eggs.
- 8. Explain how adults in a family provide for a child's physical, mental and social needs.

OBJECTIVES FOR GRADE 2

- 1. Apply the basic steps involved in the decision making process.
- 2. Communicate feelings with others.
- 3. Know the difference between appropriate and inappropriate touch.
- 4. Recognize that they get to decide who touches their body.

OBJECTIVES FOR GRADE 3

- 1. Apply the basic steps involved in the decision making process.
- 2. Communicate feelings with others.
- 3. Know the difference between appropriate and inappropriate touch.
- 4. Recognize that they get to decide who touches their body.
- 5. Recognize that some animals grow inside the mother's body and some hatch outside the mother's body.
- 6. Recognize that human beings grow and develop inside their mother.

OBJECTIVES FOR GRADE 4

- 1. Apply the basic steps involved in the decision making process.
- 2. Recognize that peers and peer pressure can influence decision-making.
- 3. Communicate feelings with others.
- 4. Define sexual abuse.
- 5. Identify and explain physical, social and mental changes which occur as they approach puberty.
- 6. Identify hygiene practices necessary for changing bodies.

It's time to order your Westside Elementary



Many of you have already paid for a 2022-23 Westside Elementary Yearbook! If you haven't had a chance to order and pay for a yearbook for your child, please go online to your Infinite Campus portal (choose fees, then optional payments) and make the \$11.00 payment, OR, complete the form below and return it to school with a payment – cash or check. If you are unsure if you've paid for a yearbook, please check your account in Infinite Campus OR, give us a call!

We will not receive the yearbooks until the end of the school year! Also, yearbooks are optional!

Order your yearbook online OR complete and return the form below to reserve your copy!

Yearbook Order Form Name: Homeroom: Name: Homeroom: Name: Yearbook Ordered: Homeroom: Homeroom: Number of Books Ordered: X \$11.00 =

Please pay online through IC or return this form with cash or check (payable to Westside Elementary. Thank you!

COLORFUL FOR THE FIRST DAYOF

Wednesday August 31st starting at 9 AM!
Chalk is provided and at each grades entrance!



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ANYONE CAN JOIN!

pto funds support:

- school events
- · teacher appreciation days!
- · books for birthdays!
- · upgrades to playgrounds
- 4th grade celebration
- special school purchases
- · Much More!

WHY JOIN THE PTO?

- OPPORTUNITY TO MEET AND GET TO KNOW FELLOW PARENTS
- STUDIES SHOW CHILDREN OF INVOLVED PARENTS PERFORM BETTER IN SCHOOL
- GET TO KNOW TEACHERS BETTER
- TO HAVE MORE OF A VOICE IN YOUR CHILD'S SCHOOL EXPERIENCE
- PLAN MEMORABLE EVENTS!

AMAZON SMILE!



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QUESTIONS? EMAIL ALYSSA AT ALYSSA. RICHMOND@TOUCHMARK. COM

FOLLOW US ON SOCIAL MEDIA

Fox Cities Marathon SCHOOL CHALLENGE is Back!!

SHOW YOUR WESTSIDE SPIRIT AND HELP US WIN!



Participation is easy. Westside Elementary has a team registered so we would love for you to join. Register and compete against schools similar in size during the weekend of events. Schools with the highest percentage of student participation in any of the events win and receive money for equipment. Westside could win \$750, \$500 or \$250. Students can participate in any weekend event to help our school win, but the most popular family-friendly events are:

- Guardian Kids Fun Run or Huggies® Diaper Dash & Toddler Trot
 Friday Sept. 16th at The Wisconsin TimberRattler Stadium.
- Ascension 5K Run/Walk on Saturday Sept. 17th at Riverside Park in Neenah.
- Join Our School's Team WESTSIDE ELEMENTARY.. sign up at: https://foxcitiesmarathon.org/races-expo/#kids-fun-run

 Make sure to sign up with our team..WESTSIDE ELEMENTARY.

Questions: Contact **info@foxcitiesmarathon.org** or 920-882-9499...or contact **Mrs. Phillips at aphillips@kimberly.k12.wi.us**



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For the safety of our children, please adhere to the following guidelines. Thank you!

Drop-off Procedures

- Breakfast starts at 8:00 AM Enter the main entrance (Entrance #1S) and proceed downstairs to the cafeteria.
- Drop-off starts at 8:25 AM Students should arrive no earlier than 8:25 AM at which point they will go directly to their classrooms.
- Non-handicapped vehicles are not allowed in the circle drive from 8:15 8:35 am.
- 5K students will enter the front lower entrance of the building (**Entrance #3S**) near the lower playground, using the outside stairs.
- 1st grade students will enter the main entrance in the front of the building (Entrance #1S).
- 2nd grade students will enter near the front/southeast side of the building (**Entrance** #15E).
- 3rd grade students will enter the rear/north side of the building (Entrance #11N).
- 4th grade students will enter near the rear of the building (Entrance #12E).

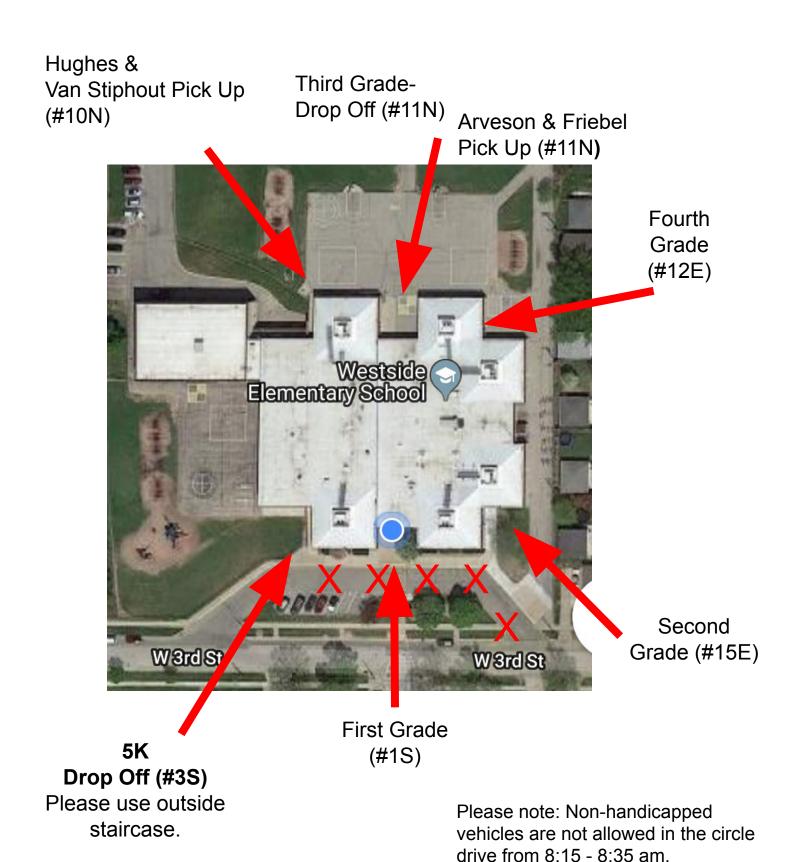
Breakfast Drop Off begins at 8:00am.
Drop-off begins at 8:25am.

Pick-up Procedures

- We have supervised pick-up that starts at 3:35pm.
- Non-handicapped vehicles are not allowed in the circle drive from 3:30 3:45 pm.
- Parents have to wait outside the building to pick up their children.
- ALL 5K will dismiss "hand to hand" or on eye contact in the **rear/northside of the** building from ENTRANCE #10N & #11N.
- 1st grade students will be released out the front of the building-main entrance or ramp.
- 2nd students will be released out of the front/southeast door.
- 3rd grade students will be released from their classrooms and can leave the building from any exit.
- 4th grade students will be released out of the rear/northeast door.
- Parents must plan where they will meet their children outside the building.

Westside Drop-off and Pick-up Map 2022-2023

Drop-Off starts at 8:25. Pick-Up is at 3:35.

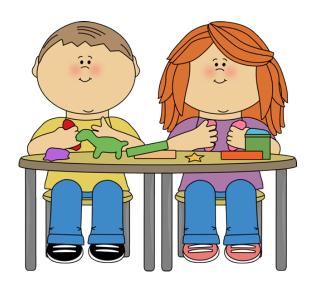


WESTSIDE ELEMENTARY NEEDS YOU!

Westside Elementary is looking for noon hour supervisors! Here are the details:

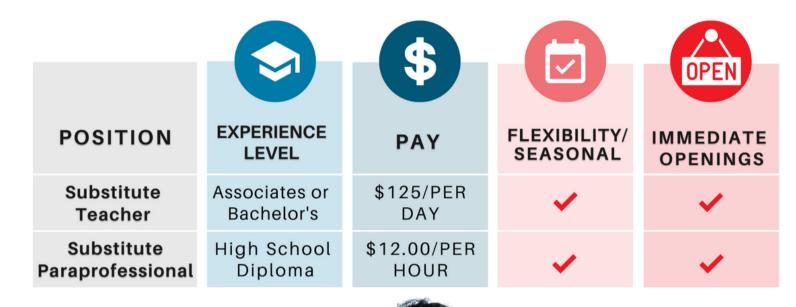
- This is a paid position
- Hours are approximately 11:00-1:15
- Set up the lunch tables
- Spend time in the cafeteria supervising students
- Spend time on the playground with students
- Take down the lunch tables
- Have fun with our Westside Students!

If you are interested, please stop by the office and complete the paperwork or contact Gina or Stacey in the office—739-3578.



OUR STUDENTS NEED YOU! RECOVHE A SUBSTITUTE TEACHER

Make a difference and consider becoming a substitute teacher or a substitute paraprofessional. Learn more at <u>kimberly.k12.wi.us/careers</u>.





KIMBERLY AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT PARENT CALENDAR

2022-2023

September 2022					
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March 2023					
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^{*}If needed, snow day make-up will be on Friday, June 2nd

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NS No School

AM classes only (exception: No school for 4K) KHS dismissed at 11:31am, JRG & Intermediate dismissed at 11:20am, Elementary dismissed at 12:00pm

Elementary Early Release - Elementary dismissed at 2:00pm (Exception: 4K morning classes 8:45am - 10:45am, afternoon classes 11:45am - 1:45pm)

Elementary Noon Release - All Elementary students dismissed at 12:00pm (exception: \mathbf{EN} No school for 4K)

HS High School Parent/Teacher Conferences - KHS students dismissed at 2:00pm

Middle School Parent/Teacher Conferences - JRG students dismissed at 2:00pm except on November 17th - students will have a full day of school. There will also be Parent/Teacher Conferences at JRG on Friday, November 18th from 12:30pm-3:00pm.

Intermediate School Parent/Teacher Conferences - Intermediate students dismissed at 2:00pm

 $4\mbox{K-}4th$ Gr. Parent Techer Conferences; No school for $4\mbox{K};$ Grades $5\mbox{K-}4th$ Grades dismissed at $2:00\mbox{pm}$ E2&C

End of quarter



COVID-19 STRATEGIES FOR EVERYDAY OPERATIONS

Kimberly Area School District is taking a variety of actions every day to prevent the spread of infectious diseases, including the virus that causes COVID-19. From the start of the pandemic new tools have become available to limit the effect of COVID-19 on communities and healthcare systems. As a result the CDC and Wisconsin Department of Public Health Services have shifted their COVID response.

KASD is adopting the COVID Strategies listed below, which are supported by our local public health department. These strategies may be revised depending on updated information and guidance from the CDC and Wisconsin Department of Public Health Service.

	STRATEGIES
III or have COVID- like symptoms	 Stay home, for more details see When to Keep Your Child Home Return to school after 24 hours fever-free without fever reducing medications
Positive for COVID	 Stay home from school for 5 days after symptoms begin, AND Return to school after 24 hours fever-free without fever reducing medications
General Mitigation	 Increased air ventilation; Standard surface cleaning; Handwashing; and Respiratory etiquette
Masking	Optional, Students/Staff may mask at any time

Adapted from CDC and Outagamie Public Health