

Welcome to Kindergarten Parent Information Night

August 15, 2019





Meet the Kindergarten Team

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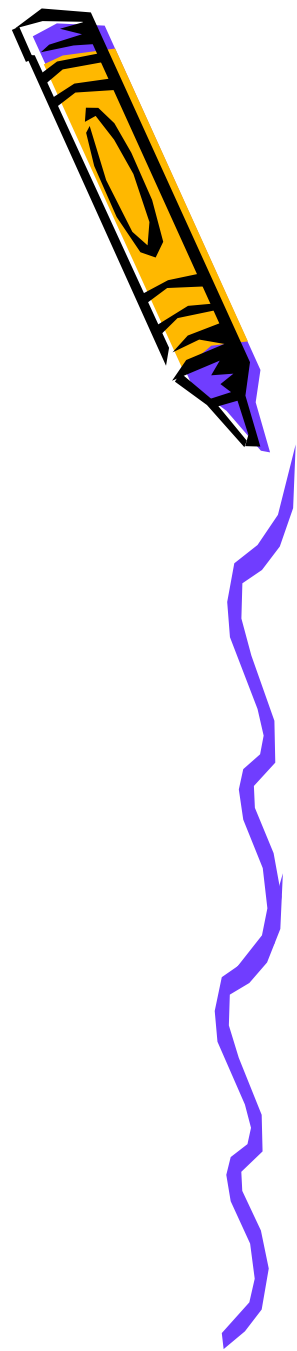
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School Safety & Security

- Visiting Northfield Elementary School
- Staff Identification Badges
- Limiting Access for Security Purposes
- Types of Safety Drills (4)



Kindergarten Academics

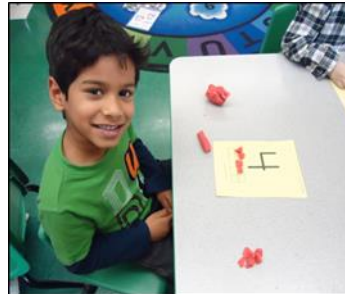


Kindergarten Screening

Kindergarten Readiness
Assessment

STAR

<http://education.ohio.gov/>



Tardiness & Absences

- State of Ohio Legal Mandates
- School begins at 9:00 a.m.
- Doors open at 8:40 a.m.
- Students arriving after 9:00 a.m. must proceed to the main office with their parent.
- School ends at 3:30 p.m.
- Procedure for Absences



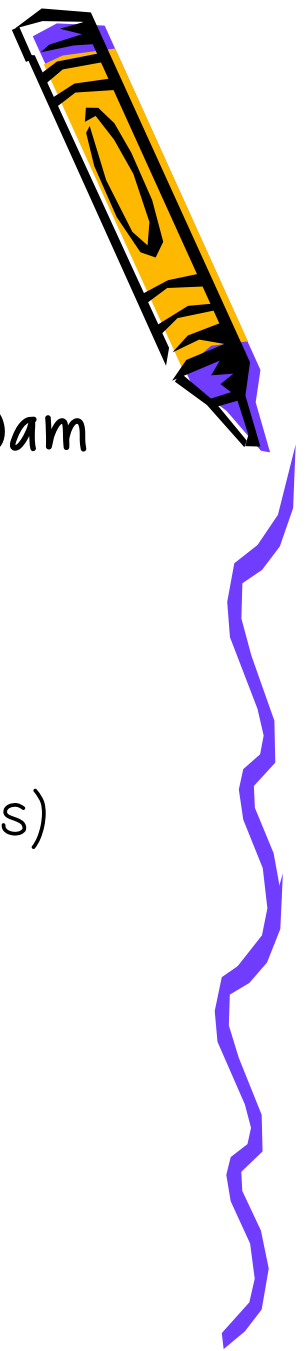
Arrival & Dismissal

Arrival:

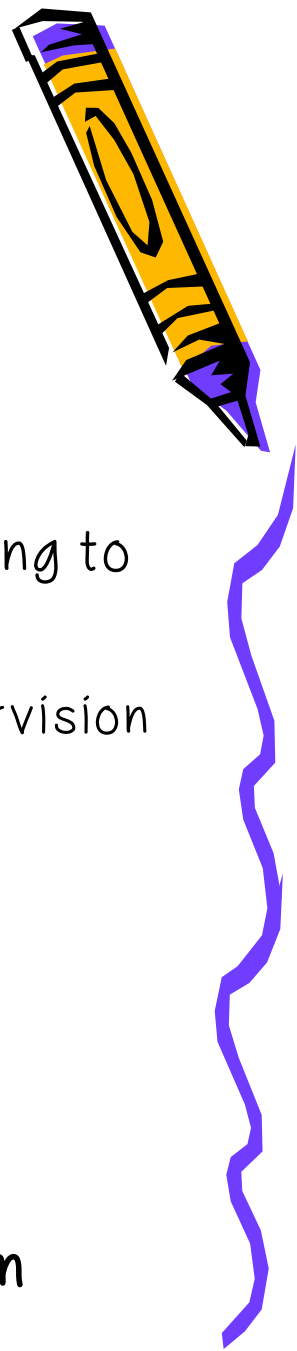
- Doors unlocked = 8:40am
- Warning bell = 8:55am and Tardy bell = 9:00am
- 1st day drop off/PTA Volunteers ☺
- Busses vs. Carpool locations

Dismissal:

- Students wear bus/car tags daily (~2 weeks)
- Change in dismissal requires a note/email
- 4th grade helpers
- Dismissal Options:
 - YMCA program
 - Bus (home/day care programs)
 - Car pool/Parent pick-up



A Day in the Life of a Kindergartener...



- Specials:
 - Music, Gym, Library, Art
- Read, Write, Rest
 - No nap, music, read aloud, journaling, listening to books, independent reading
- Recess and Lunch- (Full Time K) Aide supervision
- Math (whole group & stations)
- Reading (large & small groups)
- Social Studies & Science
- Writing
- Handwriting & Fine Motor Practice
- Intervention/Enrichment Time 9:00-9:30am
~Volunteers ALWAYS Welcome! 😊



Acceptable Snack Options



- Fruit
- Vegetable
- Cheese sticks
- Crackers (no peanut butter)
- Pretzels (no peanut butter)
- Dry cereal
- ½ sandwich (no peanut butter)
- Water bottle
- Nutrigrain /cereal/breakfast bars (no peanuts)

**We are unable to allow edible birthday treats but love to celebrate with your child in other ways!*



Kindergarten Supply List

All-Day Every-Day Kindergarten

- 1 Large back pack, labeled with student's name (*no wheels*)
- 12 #2 pencils, please sharpen
- 2 Boxes of GRAYOLA crayons, 24 pack
- 2 Washable GRAYOLA markers, 8 pack (*thick pack*)
- 1 Washable GRAYOLA markers, 8 pack (*thin pack*)
- 2 Set of 8 colors GRAYOLA washable water colors
- 4 ELMER'S large glue sticks
- 1 pair of scissors, blunt tip
- 1 Hard frame 3-ring binder, 1 inch (solid with clear front sleeve)
- 2 Large size **BLACK** dry erase markers, low odor
- 1 Plastic supply box (5x8)
- 1 sturdy pocket folder
- Headphones or ear buds
- Art Shirt (labeled with child's name)

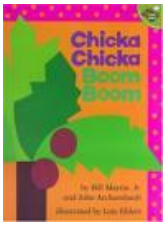


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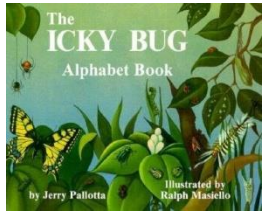
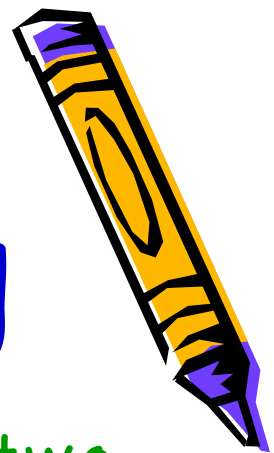
Part-Time Kindergarten

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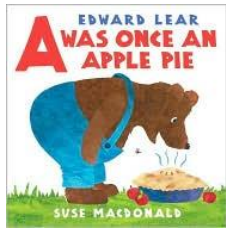




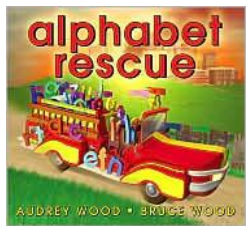
Summer Reading



- Your child is able to choose any two alphabet books to read or to have read to him/her.



- After reading, your child will write his/her name at the top of the story map and draw & color his/her favorite letter from each book.



- A list of suggested ABC books can be found on the Nordonia Schools website:

www.nordoniaschools.org



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Meet, Greet & Drop

Monday, August 19th
5:00-7:00pm

- Meet your child's teacher and visit his/her new classroom
- Meet the principal, Mr. Kaminicki, & other Northfield staff
 - Complete forms & pay academic fees
 - Drop off school supplies
 - Digital imaging for lunch
 - Bus/carpool tags
 - Self-guided tour of the school
 - Join PTA



Looking Ahead...



August 19th

August 22nd

August 30th

September 2nd

September 11th

September 19th

September 27th

Meet, Greet & Drop 5:00-7:00pm

First Day of School

Picture Day ☺

Labor Day: NO SCHOOL

PTA Meeting 4:00pm

Open House 5:30pm (parents only)

Spirit Day



Northfield PTA



- Membership fee is \$7.00/person to join
- Facebook: Northfield Elementary PTA (request to be added)
- Website address: <https://www.nordoniapta.com/northfield>
- Email: northfieldelementarypta@gmail.com
- Twitter: @northfieldpta

How do I join Northfield's fabulous PTA?

- Fill out a PTA Membership form
- Visit the PTA table during Monday's Meet, Greet & Drop
- Sign up on the website provided above



Follow us on Twitter!

- Mr. Marc Kaminicki: @NFSquirePride
 - Mrs. Jen Gruber: @jen_gruber
 - Mrs. Jaime Hoon: @JaimeHoon
 - Mrs. Gina Kitchen: @GinaKitchen
 - Ms. Andrea Labyk: @AndreaLabyk
 - Dr. Joe Clark: @DrJoeClark





Thank You!



Please make sure to complete the Kindergarten Information Sheet before leaving today if you did not have a chance to complete the survey during kindergarten screening.

Teachers and Administrators will be happy to answer your questions.

