



MISSION STATEMENT: Pleasant View Elementary School, in partnership with families and the community, facilitates a safe, secure environment that promotes academic, emotional, physical, and social growth for all children to become lifelong learners.

Kindergarten Round-Up

Calling all incoming kindergarten students! Kindergarten Round-Up screening will be **May 9th and 10th** from 8:15 a.m.-2:15 p.m. Registration will be held in the auxiliary gym at Yorktown Middle School. Please enter the west gym door #5. Pre-registration will be available on-line from April 10th -May 8th. Students must be age 5 by August 1st to register.

A parent meeting will be held on April 18th, from 6:00-7:00 p.m. in the PVE gym.



Documents You Need to Bring to Round-Up

- Child's Birth Certificate
- Child's Immunization Records
- Verification of Residency documentation. (We require 3 pieces of mail with your name and address. One should be a utility bill and the other two can be any type of mail with your name and address.)

Cook's Counselor Corner

It is one of those weeks when your whole schedule gets thrown off. You're staying up too late or missing meals. You feel as though everything is falling apart! Your routine is completely thrown off. Routines are very important. Our bodies thrive on consistency and we feel better knowing what to expect. Children are no exception! In fact, they need routines more than any of us! Here are a few tips on establishing routines with your children at home:

Mealtime is a valuable time for families. Try setting a time when all family members can sit down for a meal together. Turn off and put away all electronics during this time. Talk about your day, learn about each other, tell jokes, or whatever! This is a time to connect.

Bedtime is an important routine. The National Sleep Foundation recommends that elementary aged children get 10-11 hours of sleep each night (https://sleepfoundation.org/sites/default/files/STREPhanges_1.png). Keeping a consistent bedtime whether it is a school night or not getting enough sleep and a very restful night is helpful for children. You may want to create a bedtime ritual that could include taking a bath, reading a story, or other calming activities that will help your child transition to bed.

Routines provide children with consistency they can count on, assist in the reduction of disruptive behaviors such as tantrums, and communicate a sense of safety and security. Look at your week and plan when you can establish more creative routines with your children!

Spring Book Fair

Our Spring Book Fair will begin on Wednesday, April 18th, and end on Thursday, April 26th.

This is a "Buy One, Get One Free" Book Fair. For every book purchased, the child/parent will get one book of equal or lesser value, free. There are no limits on the "Buy One Get One Free" offer. This is a great time to stock up on books for summer reading! Cash, checks, or credit cards will be accepted for purchases.

Volunteers/Background Check Procedure

The purpose of the volunteer background check procedure is to help ensure the safety and security of our students. A complete background check will be required once every three years for those individuals who are requesting to volunteer. Background checks must be submitted and approved prior to any volunteer activity taking place in the Yorktown Community Schools. You may visit the YCS corporation website at:

<http://www.yorktown.k12.in.us/volunteer>

Car Drop Off/Pick Up

For the safety of all students and staff, we ask that you refrain from using your cell phone when you are in the car drop off and pick up line. We are trying to expedite morning car drop off. You can help out by pulling your car as far south as possible (end closest to the high school). This will allow us to maximize a larger number of cars that can drop off/pick up students and decrease your wait time in line.

Upcoming Events

April 11th-18th-High Ability screening for all kindergarten and 2nd grade students
April 10th-May 8 Kindergarten pre-registration
May 9th & 10th-Kindergarten registration
April 18th-Incoming Kindergarten Parent Meeting, 6:00-7:00 p.m.
April 28th-Snow Make-up Day
May 25th-Last day for students

Substitute Teachers Needed

We are in need of quality substitute teachers. If you have any interest, please contact our central office at 765-759-2726.

- No Degree/Substitute License only: pay is \$70 per day
- Bachelor's degree/Substitute or current Indiana teaching license: pay is \$75.00 per day
- Master's degree/Substitute or current Indiana teaching license: pay is \$80.00 per day

School Treats

As a friendly reminder, we ask if you send snacks, birthday treats, party treats, etc. to school with your child, that all items are purchased and in unopened containers.