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Welcome Back to a New and Exciting Year at Evaline!

It has been so fun to see all of our returning students and get to know all of our new students here at Evaline. We are just finishing our second week of school and all of our students are really getting in the groove and we are all having a super great time!

Dear Parents and Guardians



If your student is or will be absent we ask that you please contact the school office via phone or email and let them know. If a student is absent, schools are required to determine if the absence is excused or unexcused, which in turn requires attendance staff to have communication directly with parents/guardians. If office staff have not heard from you by 10:00 am they will contact you via phone or email. Thank you so much for your cooperation. Evaline office, (360) 785-3460 Attendance staff email: chenderson@evalinesd.k12.wa.us

Bus Route Update

Now that we've had a couple of weeks to work the kinks out of the bus route we've updated some of the route times. An updated bus schedule is attached to this newsletter. Please Note: Bus route times are approximate and as close as we can estimate. Allowances must be made for trains, slow borders, and other circumstances beyond our control. We will try very hard to meet this schedule. Please remember it is a privilege to ride the school bus and all riders are expected to follow the bus rules.

PM Transportation Changes: Please contact the office at least one hour before release with any changes to your student's regular p.m. transportation. We need ample time to alert teachers and dismissal staff.

Health and Wellness at School

It is very important to keep students home if they do not feel well, have flu-like symptoms or tummy issues. If your student needs to stay home, please call the office and let us know. If your student has a fever, they will have to be fever free for at least 24 hours without fever reducing medication before they can return to school.

Snack for first recess

Students are encouraged to bring a healthy snack from home to eat during the first recess. Examples could be: veggies, fruit, a cheese stick, jerky, granola bar, or crackers. Please no chips or dessert type foods.

No Microwave at Lunch Time

Please do not send a home lunch with your student that will require the use of a microwave. Students do not have access to a microwave and will have no way to heat up their food.

Important Dates!!



SEPT.

Fri. 13th: 11:30 Dismissal: Staff professional Development

Tues. 17th: School Board Meeting 6:30 pm

Wed. 25th: All Students vision Screening

OCT.

Fri. 4th: 11:30 Dismissal: Lion Pride Day / Staff professional Development

Mon. 7th - Fri. 11th: Swimming Lessons at Thorbeckes, 1st-6th grade

Wed. 9th: Picture Day with BELL Studios (first thing in the A.M.)

Tues. 15th: School Board Meeting 6:30 pm

Thurs. 31st Fri. Nov. 8th: 11:30 dismissal for Conferences

Thurs. 31st: Fall Festival Party, 11:30 Dismissal

JOIN THE EVALINE BOOSTER CLUB

The Booster Club meets once a month. The Booster Club supports many student activities and always needs more volunteers. For more information please contact evalineboosterclub@gmail.com

SEL: Character Trait of the Month - RESPECT
Please be looking for the Family Connection Page going out monthly attached to the newsletter. This is a great family resource on our character trait of the month.

Accelerated Reader (AR) LEAP Program

The AR Leap program is a fun way to encourage students to read. Students gain leap levels as they accumulate AR points through reading books and taking quizzes. The number of points gained depends on the book they read. For grades K-2nd every 5 points earned students will gain a Leap and a prize! For grades 3rd-6th every 10 points earned students gain a Leap and a prize! As students leap up, their teachers will present them with their certificate and prize on a **weekly basis**. In addition, **each month** students will get a shout out for leap(s) gained during the past month at our "Lion Pride Day" Assembly.



Reminder: Student Birthdays at School

Dear parents/guardians, if you choose to send a "treat" to school with your student for their birthday we ask that you send non-food items. Due to dietary sensitivities, we ask that all birthday "treats" sent to school on your student's special day be non-food items. Examples could include: a special pencil, a special eraser or a gift bag type of toy. Classrooms will celebrate each student's birthday on their special day or the Friday before or Monday after if on a weekend. Families are not required to send special items for birthdays.

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Kindergarten and Transitional Kindergarten

Mrs. Tinnin

We have been busy these past two weeks in kindergarten and TK. Students are learning routines and getting used to their new schedules. As we start our reading and math lessons, kindergarteners will begin to bring home homework in their planners. Please return the finished homework in the planner daily. Homework is a review of what we are learning in class and should not take more than ten minutes. Kindergarteners have library time every Friday. Please return any library books to school on Friday so your child can check out new ones. I will start sending home Thursday Folders this Thursday. Please take out the papers, sign the folder, and send it back on Friday. Your child will receive a sticker for returning an empty signed folder every Friday.



First and Second Grade Classroom

Mrs. Mittge

The 2024-2025 1st/2nd Grade Evaline Explorers are off to a strong start! They are doing a wonderful job using our "Explorer Expectations" and chugging up our "Learning Curve." This group can "do hard things!"

Please continue to read aloud for 20 minutes each night with your child. Initial and return the Boomerang Folder when this is done. Be sure to clear those folders so you can see all the hard work your child is doing. Please also check the calendar attached to the Boomerang Folder for weekly Passport skills you can do at home. These skills include: tying shoes, knowing your address and phone number, and reciting the Preamble.

We do have snack time during morning recess. These are snacks students bring from home. Snacks are not provided by the school. It would be very helpful if these snacks were healthy. Carrots, apple slices, cheese sticks, etc. are great options.

1st graders: practice counting to 100.
 2nd graders: practice comprehending story problems.

I am so honored to work with you and your children this year. Please do not hesitate to reach out to me through Dojo or e-mail if I can do anything to support your child's learning this year.

Third and Fourth Grade Classroom

Mrs. Mars

This year is off to a great start! We are now full swing ahead into our curriculum for the year and the students are working hard. Please continue to make sure your student is at school each and every day on time so they don't miss anything.



Homework- Your student needs to be reading at least 20 minutes each night. Please make sure they get their reading log signed and returned to school each and every day in their homework folder. Students who do not complete their homework will stay in from first recess to read with me.

Fifth and Sixth Grade Classroom

Mr. Burlingame

Welcome Back! We hit the ground running last week and have continued to do so this week. I am impressed with how fast our 5th and 6th graders have gotten back into the swing of learning each day. Please be on the lookout for AR books coming home from the Library- Each student needs to get AR points this year as part of their ELA grade.



It was a great summer for my family and I hope it was for yours too!

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OUR NEW PLAYGROUND!!

