

Wellsville Elementary

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Dear Students, Parents and Families:

Welcome to the 2019-2020 academic year at Wellsville Elementary School! Both the staff and I are so excited about this school year and I hope our families are as well. Our building is almost ready for the start of the new school year and the faculty and staff are eager to be welcome back the students and families.

Below are a couple items that I need to relay to all parents regarding this coming year.

- **We have a new Assistant Principal at the Elementary School building. Please welcome Miss Stefanie Mayr to our Wellsville community.**
- **Monday, August 19, 2019: W.E.S. Kick Off One Pride Scavenger Hunt**
 - Get excited with the Wellsville Community about the start of the school year. Visit area businesses and organizations in downtown Wellsville to solve the “word scramble”. More information can be found on the enclosed flyer. Use #WESOnePride on Facebook and Twitter to capture pictures of your journeys.
- **Tuesday, August 27, 2019: Student iPad pick up for grades 3,4 & 5**
 - iPad distribution will be located at the Secondary School from 2:00pm - 7:00pm
 - iPad insurance is **\$5.00** per device with a \$20.00 maximum per household (CASH or CHECK only).
- **Tuesday, September 3, 2019: Elementary School Meet the Teacher/Open House from 3:30- 5 pm**
 - Welcome back packets will be available in students’ classrooms.
 - This will provide you with an opportunity to meet your child’s teacher and explore the classroom/building in advance of his/her first day.
 - School bus information will be provided. School bus drivers and the school buses will be in front of the building; please take a moment to introduce yourself to the adult transporting your student and let students explore the bus they will be traveling on.
 - Our community partners will have informational tables set up in the main hallway.
- **Thursday, September 5, 2019: First Day of School**
 - Doors open at 8:45, All Elementary students should be in their classroom ready to begin the day at 9:00 AM.
 - **Students will ONLY be allowed to enter through the Main Front Doors or Back Parking Lot Doors, unless accompanied by a staff member.**

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- **Tuesday, September 24, 2018: Fall Picture Day**
 - We will only be having Fall Pictures this school year, so if you are interested in purchasing pictures of your students this will be the only opportunity.
 - Fall Picture retake day will be November 13th.

Please be patient with Bus Pick-Up and Drop-Off times the first few days of school. Our bus drivers are acclimating to new routes and new faces! Please anticipate delays. Safety is our main concern and I will not allow the busses to leave the campus until I am sure that all our students are on the correct bus. Parents or guardians that are self-transporting their child will need to use the back parking lot area for pick-up and drop-off; please do not use the front bus loop when buses are parked in front of the building.

Student safety is our primary concern and we take this responsibility seriously. Last year we added a secure camera buzz in system for our main door and the Raptor Visitor Management System throughout the district. Just a reminder to please bring your driver's license when you visit our district buildings so you can be checked in using our Raptor System. **All parent and/or visitors to the building during the school day MUST come through the main office.** Please be patient as we continue to ensure the safety of the building and our students.

Communication is key! I cannot stress how important it is for parents to be involved in their child's/children's education. Checking the schools website, social media websites, teacher communication folders and becoming a member of the PTA are excellent means for retrieving important information.

Thank you for all your anticipated support with safety and remember it takes a village to raise a child. I look forward to seeing everyone again on the first day of school- Thursday, September 5th.

If you have any questions or concerns before the first day of school please call the Elementary School main office at 585-596-2104.

Yours in Education,

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