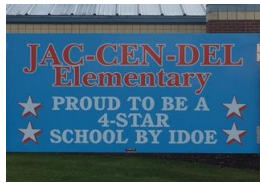


Jac-Cen-Del Elementary School Newsletter

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Principal's News

Welcome to a new school year! I am pleased to begin a new school year with your child. Together we will make this school year the best school year yet.

- I would like to welcome you to our Open House tomorrow night from 5:30 to 7:30. This will be a time for you to come to the school and meet your teacher. In the past we have done this the day before school, but we thought we would try this out and see how it goes. There will be light refreshments that evening. Please feel free to come in and see our school and to meet our teachers. This will also be the distribution night for the iPads.
- In order to pick up your child's iPad at Open House you will need to have the Acceptable Use Policy and Accidental Protection Plan on file. These documents **MUST** be on file before the iPad is passed out to students.
- Picture Day is August 11th. Information about pictures should come home this week. Please be on the lookout for this information.

Once again, thank you for sending your child to us. We will make it our goal to have the best year yet!

LATE ARRIVAL DAYS

We will have our first late arrival day on Wednesday, August 10. School will begin two hours later than usual. We will have free childcare beginning at 7:30am. Please call the office with questions or concerns.

PARENT CONNECTION

Are you looking for a way to be connected to your child's education? There are several ways that you can become involved in the education of your child. I am going to list a couple of opportunities that the school can provide in where you can get involved.

- ✓ PTO: This is an organization that consists of parents, teachers, and community members who want to provide opportunities for teachers, students, and the school. They have been very influential in funding field trips, educational software, and decorative items for the school.
- ✓ Communication: Feel free to communicate with your child's teacher for ways to enhance your child's learning. Each week you will receive a newsletter from the teacher. Expect them to show up and if you have questions or could offer assistance, please contact the teacher.

Upcoming Events

August 3: First Student Day (No Kindergarten Students)
August 4: Open House 5:30-7:30/ First Day with Kindergarten students
August 10: Late Arrival Day
August 11: Picture Day
August 15: Lions Club Screening 8:30 K,1,3,5,&8/Think Smart-Stay Safe 5th grade/School Board Meeting 7:00
August 22: Think Smart-Stay Safe

New to JCDE?

Are you new to JCDE? Here is a quick overview of some helpful tips and tricks to the school.

- School Phone Number 689-4144
- School Website www.jaccendel.k12.in.us
- Each Monday you will receive two newsletters. One from the teacher and one from the administration. The teacher newsletter will have the lunch balance for the week.

Attention Parents:

Here are several ways to be connected to JCDE. Some are communication methods and some are sites that can be beneficial for you and your child.

Text Wire : Sign Up for textwire "JCD Closing and Delays" and "JCD Elementary"

<http://goo.gl/VeFxOa>

Twitter: Follow the elementary school at @JCDElementary . Several classroom teachers also have Twitter accounts.

JCD Parents Facebook Page: This page is used to post many relevant forms of information for the school. Mr. Rohrig posts updates and weekly newsletters on this page.

JCDE Website: <http://www.jaccendel.k12.in.us/> The school district website that houses content specific to the school district. The elementary page is accessible from this website.

Renaissance Home Connect: <https://hosted90.renlearn.com/121928/Homeconnect/>

Renaissance Home Connect allows parents and students to log in to a website and view the student's reading and math practice and progress towards goals.

Information NOW: <https://inforow.jaccendel.k12.in.us/InformationNow/Login.aspx> Website that will allow students and parents to get current grades online

School Lunches: The site <http://www.jaccendel.k12.in.us/EL/Cafeteria.htm> has instructions to access EZ Schoolpay to check the balances of your child's lunch account.

JCDE Quote of the Week:

"Education is the most powerful tool that you can use to change the world"

-Nelson Mandela

Helpful Vocabulary

Accountable

Being able to be counted on to complete a task or job

Example: *I expect you to be accountable for your actions.*

ISTEP+ SCORES FOR 2015-2016

If you have a fourth, fifth, or sixth grade student and have not seen your child's ISTEP+ scores, please contact Mr. Rohrig. You would want to contact Mr. Rohrig if you would like to have a test rescored.

We Need Your Help!!

The school collects many items throughout the school year that can help us out. Here are some items that we can use.

- Hand Sanitizer, gently used clothes, facial tissues, and 13 gallon trash bags

We also collect the following labels:

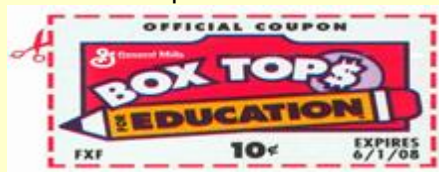


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Box Tops for Education



Campbell's Soup Labels Label For Education Program

