

Good afternoon, Eisenhower Families,

Principal Tim Chipman here, and I am so excited to see you and meet you Monday night at the Meet the Teachers event here at the Eisenhower modular units on the campus of Jacksonville Middle School. You are welcome to come and go between 5:30-6:30 p.m. For this event, please park in the JMS parking lot and *not* in the parking spaces along the mods. Remember, this is the perfect time to bring in your child's school supplies, and be sure to stop for a photo opp next to your child's grade level number!

Now, in the meantime, I have to make you aware of one change to the plan of relaying teacher names. Originally, I had shared that class schedules will be made available on Skyward Family Access after 4:00 p.m. on Thursday (tomorrow); however, now the school district will make information available to families after 12:00 noon on Friday, August 11.

Let's talk now about arrival and dismissal procedures. In the morning, school doors will open at 7:30 a.m. Students will report immediately to their classrooms where breakfast will be served until about 7:50 a.m. The first bell will ring at 8:00, and morning announcements will begin, and the tardy bell will ring at 8:05. Please do what you can to ensure your child arrives between 7:30-8:00.

In the afternoon, school will dismiss for bus and daycare riders at 2:15 p.m. For all others, including riders picked up by family members, the dismissal time will be 2:20 p.m. These times are a bit earlier than usual in order to accommodate traffic patterns for both Eisenhower and Jacksonville Middle School.

In a separate correspondence, I will say more about the actual traffic patterns and plans for arrival and dismissal, but in the meantime, please feel free to peruse both the map and the aerial view posted on the Eisenhower website.

Also posted--a colorful invitation to get involved in our school through the family organization, PTAC, which will host its first meeting of the year on September 13!

Finally, if we don't have it yet, we need your registration completion and proof of residency.

Questions about anything? Call us at 217.245.5107

See you Monday evening!

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