

Newman Elementary

"A Community United in Learning, Living, and Loving"

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As we start the month of August, our entire Newman School Family hopes that you all have had an incredible summer. Each year the break seems to go faster, but our excitement to welcome you all to the 2022-23 school year is greater than ever. We are so grateful for the opportunity to work with each of you and want you to know that your support, patience and partnership, especially over the last two years, is appreciated and not forgotten.

With smiles on our faces and a renewed sense of hope, our Team is eager to begin what is sure to be an "Out of this World" school year. Please look at the information below and reach out with any questions or concerns. We are so excited to see you all and hope you have a fabulous rest of your summer.

- ★ Enrollment: If you know anyone who needs to enroll their student or have an incoming kindergarten student, please have them contact us right away for assistance with enrollment.
- ★ Classlists: We will be posting classlist on the front doors on Wednesday, August 17th at 4:00 p.m.
- ★ Open House / Supply Drop off / Title 1 Meeting: On Thursday, <u>August 18th from 4:30 6:00</u> we invite all students and families to come to school, drop off their supplies, meet their teachers, and reconnect with our Newman School Family. We will provide Ice-cream treats for everyone who comes and can't wait to see you. If families would like to attend our Annual Title 1 meeting to learn more about different resources and plans, please join us in the Library at <u>4:00 p.m.</u>
- ★ New Team Members: This year we are excited to have another 4th grade teacher and ask that you help us in welcoming George Lehman to Newman. He has 11 years of teaching experience and will be a great addition to our team. We also are privileged to welcome Candi Korf, who will be with us two days a week as our new librarian. She is an incredible resource with great experience and we are so excited to have her as part of our school family. Additionally, we are so lucky to have Amber Dimich as our new art teacher. She has great experience, wonderful art knowledge and is an overall rock star. Thank you for making these new team members feel at home.
- ★ First Day of School: Our first day of the 2022-2023 School year will be Monday, August 22nd. Breakfast is available and free for all students, starting at 7:30 a.m. School starts at 8:00 a.m. and we kindly request that all students be here, ready to learn, by 8:00 a.m. Once again this year, we are asking all 2nd 5th grade students to be dropped off in the morning behind the school at Newman Lane, walk up the path and enter into entrance # 2. Kindergarten and 1st grade students, along with their siblings, can be dropped off in the front of the school. Families please pull SLOWLY into the bus lane, pull up as far as you can, STOP your vehicle, and have your child exit directly onto the sidewalk. Once your child is safely away, please slowly exit the bus lane. Please do NOT park in the bus lane and come into the building. Families are welcomed into the building, we just ask that you park across the street and use the crosswalk to come into the front. Once you enter the building, please check in and sign in at the office. Thank you so much for your support with all of this. The theme this school year is "Out of this World", a space theme, and we invite all students to dress up on the first day in their favorite outer space, planet or star outfits.