

Ms. Mari K. Doyle, Principal  
Waverly School



Summer 2019

Dear Parent or Guardian,

Welcome and Welcome Back to Waverly School!

It is my great hope that you and your family are as excited to be a part of the Waverly Community as we are to have you! I look forward to working with your family as your child grows and develops as a learner, experiencing the magic of Waverly.

The next couple of weeks will be exciting ones, as you all prepare for school, and eagerly await word of who your child's teacher will be for the fall. Please note the following:

- **Summer packets** containing important school information will be delivered to you via School Messenger on **August 19<sup>th</sup>**. If you do not already have an account, you will need to set up access beginning on 8/20. Not to worry, the summer packet will also contain step-by-step directions to assist you in the process. **We must have a valid email address on file since this is what opens your Home Access Center account. New accounts cannot be set up prior to 8/20.**
- **Class placement** for the next school year will be visible via "Home Access Center" only, as indicated above, **starting on August 20<sup>th</sup>**. Upon learning the name of your child's teacher via Home Access on 8/20, please visit our website <https://wv.eastchesterschools.org/m2/mod/folder/view.php?id=106> to read a welcome letter from the teacher. This letter will also contain any additional supplies requested from your child's teacher.
- **Busing information:**
  - **KINDERGARTEN**
    - Incoming Kindergarten parents will receive a **letter** from the Transportation Department indicating your **child's bus number**. You should receive this prior to bus orientation. (Stop assignments will be available on Home Access on August 23<sup>rd</sup>.)
    - **Bus Orientation** will be held at Waverly for **incoming Kindergarten students** on Tuesday, August 27<sup>th</sup>, from 9-10:15 a.m. Please be prompt! ***The buses depart Waverly shortly after 9 a.m. Parents remain behind to hear a special presentation in the cafeteria. (It will be important to know your child's bus number for this orientation.)***
  - **FIRST GRADE**
    - First grade parents will be able to get their child's bus number and stop assignment via Home Access on August 23<sup>rd</sup>.

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As indicated in the letter you received from the Transportation Department, there will be a transportation policy meeting held at Anne Hutchinson and Greenvale for all parents. Waverly parents are asked to attend the meeting of **their child's future school**. The meetings are scheduled as follows:

- Greenvale School- Tuesday, August 20th, at 7 p.m.
- Anne Hutchinson School- Wednesday, August 21<sup>st</sup>, at 7 p.m.
- Waverly School hours will remain the same for the new school year:
  - Our "walker entrance" will open for student arrival at 8:20 a.m. and close at 8:38 a.m.
  - Instruction will begin at 8:38 a.m. Students arriving after that time will need to enter through the main entrance, and will be marked late.
  - The "walker entrance" (by the cafeteria) will reopen for dismissal at 3:10 p.m. and close at 3:20 p.m. (Parking is very difficult around Waverly, so please plan to arrive early!)
  - **See the chart below for the first week of school schedule.**

KINDERGARTEN	
First Day of School Tues, Sept. 3rd	Parents accompany children at the following times:  <div style="text-align: center;">  9:30-10:00 a.m. Last Names A-L   10:30-11:00 a.m. Last Names M-Z         </div>
Wed & Thus, Sept. 4-5th	11:40 a.m. dismissal for kindergarten students <i>Send a nut free healthy snack to be eaten in the classroom.</i>
Fri, Sept. 6th	First Full Day of School! Dismissal begins at 3:10 p.m.
SMALL CLASSES K/1	
First Day of School Tues, Sept. 3rd	11:40 a.m. dismissal for K/1 students- (Cavalli, Myers, Zanzano-Arita) <i>Send a nut free healthy snack to be eaten in the classroom.</i>
Wed – Fri, Sept. 4-6	Full days of school! Dismissal begins at 3:10 p.m.
FIRST GRADE	
First Day of School Tues, Sept. 3rd	Full Day of School! Dismissal begins at 3:10 p.m. <i>Lunch and snack will be eaten in school.</i>



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To make the first day of school an easy transition for your child, we recommend that you establish a morning routine prior to the start of school. I'd encourage you to talk as a family about the great experiences they will have at Waverly, making new friends, learning new things, and having fun!

We have transitioned to Gmail. Kindly make note of my new email address below. **All school employees will use "first initial last name@eufsdk12.org" beginning this year.**

Looking forward to a magical school year!

Regards,

Ms. Mari K. Doyle