Good Evening Peru Elementary Families:

We are reaching out with important dates and information for the upcoming school year. The first day of school for students will be **September 7th**, **2021**. The Elementary School hours will be 9:05am - 3:05pm. Bus drivers will be contacting families with regards to scheduled bus pick-up and drop-off times.

Parent Drop-Off, Parent Pick-Up, & Student Walkers

- Parent drop-off will be from 9:05-9:10am. Intermediate student walkers may enter at 9:05am. Students who enter the building after 9:15am will be marked as a late arrival.
- Parent pick-up will start at 2:55pm. Please arrive promptly, remain in the traffic pattern, and be patient as we safely deliver students to vehicles.
- Intermediate walkers will be released at 3:00pm.
- Please see the images below for the parent drop-off and pick-up traffic patterns for the Primary and Intermediate Buildings.

Parent Pick-Up Survey and Visor System

- If your child will be a parent pick-up at dismissal every day, please complete the Parent Pick-Up survey in this ParentSquare post.
- Once parents have responded to the survey, a visor sign with a number will be generated for your family. These signs need to be visible every day at parent pick-up. Parents will remain in vehicles and staff connectors will bring your child(ren) to you. If you have multiple children in the elementary, parent pick up will be at the youngest child's building.
- Visor signs will be available for pick-up from the main office on Friday, September 3, 2021 between 8am-2pm.

Dismissal Delays

- In the first week of school it is possible that dismissal will take longer as we teach students dismissal procedures.
- Families will be notified through ParentSquare if there is a delay in excess of 10 minutes.

Breakfast & Lunch

- Primary students will receive breakfast in their classrooms and have lunch in the cafeteria.
- Intermediate students will pick up breakfast at a *Grab and Go* station to eat in the classroom. Lunch will be served in the cafeteria.

COVID Safety & Protocols

- All faculty, staff, and students will wear masks while indoors, except during designated eating times, regardless of vaccination status.
- Frequent mask breaks will be provided. If your child forgets to bring a mask, one will be provided.
- Since daily screenings are no longer required, families are asked to monitor for covid symptoms and keep symptomatic child(ren) home.
- Please visit the Peru CSD website for specific resources and NYSED guidance on reopening school for the 2021-2022 school year.

Thank you for your continued support and we look forward to seeing our students soon!



