

CARROLLWOOD **ELEMENTARY SCHOOL READY FOR KINDERGARTEN FEBRUARY 24, 2022**

Mrs. Stover PRINCIPAL

WELCOME!

WE ARE THRILLED YOU ARE HERE TODAY !

Mr. Testoni Assistant principal

<u>Vision –</u>

Carrollwood Elementary School will prepare students for life. <u>Mission –</u>

Carrollwood Elementary School will be a leader in developing high performing students who are prepared for life.

OUR SCHOOL TEAM:

Kyla Burd: ESE Specialist Veronica Kreisher: Guidance Counselor Amanda Rios: Social Worker Selina Llewellyn: ELL Resource Teacher Jennifer Garibaldi: Reading Coach Anne Radomski: Math Coach Keryn King: Speech Therapist Melissa Irvin: Media Specialist Stephanie Sanborn: Data Processing Clerk Alan Brandes: Student Nutrition Manager Ashley Wilson: PTA President

<u>MEET OUR</u> <u>KINDERGARTEN</u> <u>TEAM</u>

MRS. TURCO



MRS. ASMUS



MRS. SCOTT



MS. MAGUSCHAK



MR. WAGNER





- Uniforms are Mandatory.
- -Tops are White, Gold or Navy Blue.
- -Navy or Khaki Jumpers, Pants, Shorts, Skirts or Skorts.
- -Appropriate closed toe shoes daily.
- -Spirit Shirt on Fridays

PLEASE MAKE SURE TO LABEL ALL JACKETS AND ACCESSORIES WITH YOUR CHILD'S NAME.







WHAT IS EXPECTED FROM YOUR CHILD...

• Students entering kindergarten should be able to identify all letter names when they see them visually.

- Students should know how to write their first name (using upper and lower case letters) independently prior to the first day of school.
- Student will need to be able to use the bathroom independently without any assistance.
- Students are expected to enter their classrooms independently and put away their own things without assistance.
- Students should be able to open lunch and snack items independently.
- Please send nonperishable lunches that do not require reheating.
- Students are expected to know both letter names <u>and sounds</u> by the end of September and be in the process of reading simple words.
- Students are expected to be able to read by the 3rd quarter.
- Begin practicing mask wearing for longer periods of time now.
- A sense of wonder and excitement for learning new things. ☺

WHAT IS EXPECTED FROM YOU...

- Encourage positive behavior
- Make sure your child has a change of clothes in their bookbags each day. On cold days please make sure they have a jacket.
- Check/sign agenda binder daily
- Read with or to your child every night
- Have current volunteer form completed online.
- Make sure office has current phone numbers, address, emergency contact, and email address <u>at all times</u>
- Have your child to school on time.

School Opens at 7:10, students are tardy at 7:40 AM.

 Be on time for pick-up or arrange for after care for your child.

- Monday Early Release Dismissal is at <u>12:55 PM</u>.
- Tuesday Friday Dismissal is at <u>1:55 PM.</u>

Keep the **same** dismissal <u>every day</u> for safety and consistency.

WHAT WILL YOUR CHILD BE LEARNING IN KINDERGARTEN?

Standards based curriculum for each subject area including:

- Reading- Reading by the 3rd quarter with comprehension. Students will learn how to use the school library and check out books each week.
- Writing- Writing complete sentences with correct spacing, punctuation and capital and lower case letters.
- Math- number sense, addition, subtraction, numbers to 100.
- Science- Motions of objects, Properties of Matter, Nature of Science, Earth in Space and Time and Forms of Energy.
- Social Studies-Being a Good Citizen, Holidays Around the World, Calendar, Civics, Geography and Economics

READING AND WRITING















MATH AND SCIENCE

STEAM FUN!











SOCIAL STUDIES AND MINDFUL LEARNING TIME



KINDERGARTEN FUN! FIELD TRIPS AND MORE!











TEACHER DIRECTED P.E. AND RECESS

- Students will have 30 minutes of Teacher Directed PE daily in addition to a 20 minute recess.
- Students will participate in a variety of activities during these times: Free time on the outdoor play sets, basketball, catch, "Duck, Duck, Goose", Frisbee, Hula Hoop and more.



TECHNOLOGY

- Students will have access to a variety of devices, such as, desktops, touch-screen laptops and tablets top practice iReady.
- Students will need to be able to use a computer mouse and eventually need to know their lunch numbers to log into the iReady Program.
- A great way to prepare your child is to utilize the free online website <u>www.Starfall.com</u>. This will help them navigate the computer with the mouse , learn their letter names and sounds in a fun and engaging way.

DATA PROCESSING CLERK Stephanie Sanborn

- Registration Requirements
- You **MUST** have all of the following for your registration to be complete:
- □ Child must be 5 on or before September 1st, 2022
- Original Birth Certificate
- Social Security Card (if available)
- Current Physical with Current Shot Record
 - □ Cannot expire prior to August 10, 2022
- 2 Proofs of Address
 - □ See reference sheet in your folder for acceptable forms
- □ Small picture of child, or family photo
- Any testing information, evaluations for special services, or court documents

<u>School Nurse</u>

Immunizations: Physical and Shot Records.

- Allergies and Illness
- School Administered Medicine Requirements



Carrollwood Elementary

OUTSTANDING CITIZENS

WORK TOGETHER

LOVE LEARNING

Self-Control



PBIS

PBIS is a school-wide behavior system.

The goal is to build a positive school environment that prevents/reduces problem behavior and reinforces positive behavior.

Hootie Bucks:

Hootie Bucks
Classroom rewards
Hootie Blast



Volunteering and PTA:

- Volunteers must complete the "HCPS Volunteer Application" online every school year <u>beginning</u> in August. More volunteer information can be found on our school website.
- Joining PTA is an amazing way to support our school. PTA will have more information about how to join and how you can help, at our "meet the teacher" even in August.

LUNCHROOM

<u>Alan Brandes- Lunchroom Manager</u>

<u>Universal Breakfast</u>

-Free for all students

-Served between 7:10-7:35 a.m.

<u>Lunch</u>

- Free and Reduced Price Lunch Forms available in First Day Packets, and on-line (the on-line version is processed much faster)
- -Current lunch price is \$2.25 (2021-2022 prices are subject to change)
- Online Payment is available
- Meal Viewer APP
- Parents, please practice with your child: opening their own lunch items, eating within 30 minutes, staying seated while eating, cleaning up and throwing away their own trash.

Carrollwood Contact Info.



Office Phone: 813-975-7640 https://www.hillsboroughschools.org/carrollwood

> Data Processor: Stephanie Sanborn Ex: 227 Stephanie.sanborn@hcps.net

Virtual Meeting Question & Answers

Q: My child is already enrolled in Carrollwood's VPK program, will I have to register them for Kindergarten?

A: Yes, you will have to reregister your child for Kindergarten.

Q: Will there be a chance for students to come on to the school campus prior to the first day of school so they can get to know the campus?

A: Yes, prior to the first day of school we will host a kindergarten "meet the teacher." Registered students will be able to visit their assigned teachers' classroom, drop off their supplies and get to tour the campus on this day. Information about "Meet the Teacher" will be sent out to registered students prior to the start of the school year.

Q: Where can I print or pick up a registration packet?

A: You can pick up a registration packet from our front office Monday-Friday any time between 8:00 and 3:30. Or you can print the packet offline from our school's website.

Q: My child will be attending Carrollwood as School Choice student, does the school have a list of those students so I am able to register him?

A: Yes, you can either bring in your acceptance letter or we can look up the approval in the front office.

Question & Answers Continued

Q: My child speaks limited English, are there teachers that can help her with English acquisition?

A: Yes, we have a great ELL (English Language Learner) program at Carrollwood! On the student enrollment form you will indicate if there is a different language that is spoken at home and if English is the primary or secondary language spoken. Based on those answers, our ELL department will assess student English Language proficiency and if the student qualifies for the program they will be able to get additional support in class and small group instruction.

Q: For student uniforms, can student wear plain t-shirts or do they need a collared shirt?

A: Students must wear a collared shirt or polo style top.

Q: When will I be able to get the supply list for next year?

A: Our kindergarten supply list for 2022-2023 can be found on our school website in the registration packet under the "Ready of Kindergarten" Icon. You will also receive one if you pick up a registration packet from our front office.

Q: Where can I order embroidered uniform shirts?

A: Our PTA will send out ordering information prior to the start of the school year and they will also have ordering information available at "Meet the Teacher."