

West Mifflin Area School District



August, 4, 2022

Dear Parents/Guardians and Students,

Welcome to the start of the 2022-2023 school year. I hope that you and your family had an enjoyable and safe summer break. I am looking forward to having the children back in the building. Our staff of highly qualified professional educators and support personnel are committed to providing the students a wonderful year of engaging, meaningful and rigorous work in our classrooms along with some fun and special times throughout the school year.

The first day of school will be on Wednesday, August 24, 2022. Our school day hours for 4th and 5th grade are 8:50-3:30. The cafeteria doors will open at 8:30 for car riders and private transportation. Students that ride the bus will begin to enter the building at 8:30. Our school day hours for 6th thru 8th grade are 7:40-2:52. The cafeteria doors will open at 7:20 for car riders and private transportation. Students that ride the bus will begin to enter the building at 7:20. Remote learning will not be offered this school year. However, you may still continue remote instruction through our Titan Cyber Academy (TCA). If you have any questions regarding TCA, please contact Dr. Plichta at (412) 466-9131 x1041 or email at plichtab@wmasd.org. We are happy to announce that all children in grades 4-5 will continue to receive a free breakfast and lunch at school on a daily basis for the 2022-2023 school year. Snacks are available for purchase.

As we begin the school year, let us all re-commit ourselves to student learning. Thank you, in advance, for all the support that you have demonstrated for your child, teachers, and the entire 4th and 5th grade staff. We truly appreciate everything you are doing and have done to assist in the education of your child. Please feel free to contact me with any questions or concerns. Thank you and welcome back. Let's make 2022-2023 and awesome school year!

Yours in education,

Dr. Harold Minford

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Middle School Principal