

Friday Update, August 5, 2022

Good evening Sulphur Springs Union School District Families. This is Dr. Catherine Kawaguchi, your Superintendent with a Friday Update, August 5, 2022.



We are so excited to welcome your child back to school on **Thursday, August 11th**! Your child's Principal will be sending you a ParentSquare message this coming week with important information about start and end times, and directions about the valet system for drop off and pick up.

Parents/guardians, we are welcoming you to walk your child to their classroom on the first day of school, August 11th. Please know that on Friday, August 12th, we will be following normal procedures for drop-off at each of our school campuses.



Please remember that in order to see your child's teacher for the 22-23 school year, you will need to login to your Parent Portal on **August 8th at 10:00AM**. All families that have completed their information in Parent Portal will have access to their child's teacher's name.

Directions to access the Parent Portal are provided in English and Spanish and are attached to this email for your convenience. If you have any questions, please feel free to reach out to us at 661-252-5131 or contact your school's office staff.



[Bus Transportation Applications for 2022-2023 School Year](#)

The Sulphur Springs Union School District is able to provide bus transportation to and from school for a limited number of students. Students are placed on bus routes in the order in which their applications are received until the routes are full. ***Turning in your application does not guarantee your child a seat on their selected bus route.*** Students who are not placed on routes will be placed on a waitlist and added to bus routes if and when space becomes available.

Transportation is available for Canyon Springs, Fair Oaks Ranch, Leona Cox, Mint Canyon, Mitchell, Pinetree, Sulphur Springs, and Valley View Community Schools. Transportation is **not provided** to Golden Oak Community School.

Transportation [applications](#) are available on the District [website](#) or at the Transportation Office, which is located at: 27000 Weyerhaeuser Way, Santa Clarita, 91351. ***It is important to remember that any child that is riding a school bus, must have an application on file [prior to boarding](#).***

Again, all applications must be mailed, emailed at transportation@sssd.k12.ca.us or submitted to the Sulphur Springs Union School District Office or the Transportation Office.

For specific information on bus schedules and bus routes, contact the Transportation Office at (661) 252-3822.

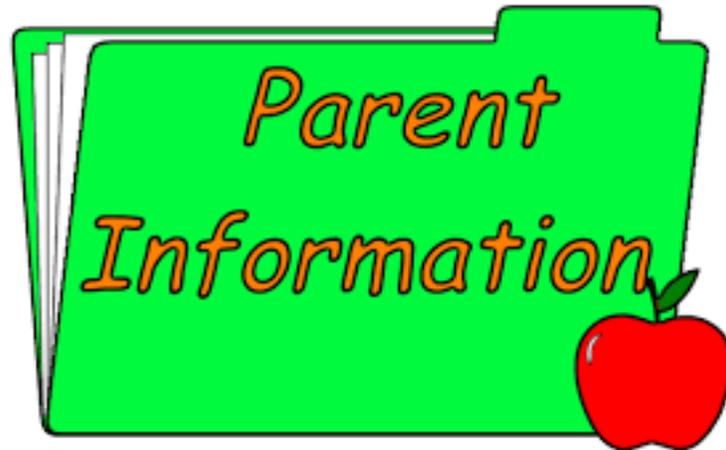


For the 2022-23 school year, two instructional programs are being offered to students:

- Full day, five days a week, TK-6, In-Person Learning
- Scholars@Home Online Independent Study

Start and End Times for All Schools- Full Day, In-Person Learning

	Regular School Hours	Wednesday Early Release	Minimum Day Release
Canyon Springs	7:45 AM – 2:15 PM	1:15 PM	11:45 AM
Fair Oaks Ranch	8:45 AM – 3:15 PM	2:15 PM	12:45 PM
Golden Oak	8:15 AM – 2:45 PM	1:45 PM	12:15 PM
Leona Cox	7:45 AM – 2:15 PM	1:15 PM	11:45 AM
Mint Canyon	8:15 AM – 2:45 PM	1:45 PM	12:15 PM
Mitchell	8:15 AM – 2:45 PM	1:45 PM	12:15 PM
Pinetree	7:45 AM – 2:15 PM	1:15 PM	11:45 AM
Sulphur Springs	8:45 AM – 3:15 PM	2:15 PM	12:45 PM
Valley View	8:45 AM – 3:15 PM	2:15 PM	12:45 PM



Every school year, the Sulphur Springs Union School District is required to provide all families a copy of the Annual Notification which is designed to notify parents, guardians, and students of their rights and responsibilities per California Education Code (Section 48982) and District Board Policies (BP) and Administrative Regulations (AR). I have attached a copy of the Annual Notification for the 2022-2023 school year. If you would like a paper copy of the Notification, please call your child's school office, and they will be happy to provide you one.



[Health and Safety](#)

Thank you families and staff, for all that they have done to continue to follow the health and safety protocols that have been put in place by the Los Angeles County Department of Public Health. For the 2022-23 school year, our District will continue to ensure that all schools are complying with all safety protocols as required by the local health department.

Following the August 10th Board meeting, I will be posting on the District's homepage, the updated Safety Plan for our School District. The Plan is called: Safe Return to In-Person Instruction and Continuity of Services Plan. The COVID-19 Prevention Program will also be part of this Plan and posted following the Board meeting. I invite you to review the Plan so that you can see all of the safety measures that have been put in place to support your child.

Wishing you and your family a wonderful weekend. Thank you.

