



University Elementary
Monday Minute - August 10, 2020

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1. Mr. Hopkins will be sending a Back to School Letter out to everyone via email and US Mail tomorrow. There will be some important information about how online instruction will work as well as some thoughts as we begin down this new journey together. Check your email and your mailbox!
2. The first student day is this Wednesday, August 12th. All students will begin school online. MCCSC will revisit this on or around September 11th. Families will be given at least one week's notice before any changes are made to the plan for instructional delivery.
3. If you have not had the chance to check out specific grade level online schedules, [you can access that information here](#). Please note that teachers may make minor adjustments as we get going. They will communicate any changes with you.
4. You should have or will receive an email from your child's teacher today. If you don't get an email, please let us know tomorrow. In the email, the teacher will briefly introduce themselves and give you information about how they will handle tomorrow's Meet and Greet.
5. Tomorrow's Meet and Greet cannot take place in-person, as we have done in the past. Some teachers may be hosting a virtual meeting via a link they will share with you via email or they may be sending you and your child a video that they



made to welcome you to school. The focus on this welcome is to allow a face to go with the name, to help settle some nerves, and to give your child a heads up on how to access CANVAS for Wednesday's first Morning Meeting. Please note that we are currently planning to hold our Parent Night towards the end of August, as we have done in the past, where you will be able to meet with your child's teacher virtually to learn more about how the classroom will run this year.

6. If you have not had the chance to come to school to pick up your child's iPad or additional learning materials (handwriting book, social studies book, math binder, etc), swing by the school between 9:00-3:30 and someone from the office will be happy to help.
7. Our PTO is taking orders for UES shirts online until the end of the month. [You can place your order using this link.](#)
8. We use Facebook and Twitter, along with email and automated phone calls, to communicate with families. Facebook and Twitter have been a bit light over the summer, but now that we are getting back into the swing of things, Mr. Hopkins will work to communicate using these platforms as best he can. He really likes to post about the great things that your children are doing while learning, so he may have to think outside of the box a little more to accomplish this while we are online! You can find our contact information in the logos below.



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