




RCES Chronicle

for the week of 9/4/17

Day/ Date	Monday 9/4/17	Tuesday 9/5/17	Wednesday 9/6/17	Thursday 9/7/17	Friday 9/8/17
Event(s)	Holiday - School closed	 Kindergarten Parent Coffee, 9:15-10:15 a.m.			

Hello! All of the Sneak Peek events were well attended! It was great to meet so many of your families. Tuesday, September 5, 2017 is the first day of school. This is going to be a fabulous year! Enjoy the long weekend. – Mrs. Hammond ☺

A Look Ahead:

- 9/13/17 Back to School Night, Kindergarten-Grade 2, 6:30 p.m.
- 9/14/17 Back to School Picnic
- 9/19/17 Instrumental music Parent Meeting, 5:45 p.
- 9/19/17 Back to School Night, Grades 3-5, 6:30 p.m.
- **9/21/17 No School for Students or Teachers**
- 10/3/17 PTA Meeting, 7:00 p.m.
- **10/6/17 Early Release for students at 12:55 p.m.**
- 10/13/17 Dads and Donuts
- 10/16/17-10/20/17 Fall Book Fair

Additional Information:

- Please click [HERE](#) to view the RCES **bus routes** for the 2017-2018 school year.
- **Arrival:** Bus riders and walkers will arrive and enter our school through the front entrance. Car riders will be dropped off at the Kiss and Ride loop in the side parking lot and will walk around the building to the front door. Staff will be stationed around the building (inside and outside) to ensure that all students get to where they need to be. All students will go straight to their classrooms when they enter the building, with the exception of kindergarten students. Kindergarten students will be walked to the gym by patrols to wait with their classes. Teachers will pick up Kindergarten students from the

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gym for the first few days of school. Once routines and familiarity with the school are established, Kindergarten students will eventually walk straight to their classrooms with the guidance of patrols in the morning.

- **Dismissal:** Bus riders, car riders, and walkers will exit our school through the front entrance, with the exception of Kindergarten walkers and car riders, who are dismissed from their exterior classroom doors by the front playground. Car riders will be picked off at the Kiss and Ride loop in the side parking lot. Staff will be stationed around the building (inside and outside) to assist students.
- **Lunch and Recess Visitors/Volunteers:** Due to space and safety issues, the staff has decided that we will not have visitors during lunch and recess this year. We are looking for some people to help us out, however, during the first week with kindergarten lunch and recess. If you are interested in volunteering to help during kindergarten lunch/recess, please click [HERE](#) to sign up. Please note: We will only allow those who sign up to join us at lunch and recess, however we will have plenty of opportunities to volunteer in classrooms and around the school throughout the year. Thank you for all that you do to help our school community!
- **Would you like to volunteer in your child's classroom or in other areas of the school? :** We love volunteers, and we will be looking for help in our classrooms after both September Back-to-School nights. All volunteers are asked to attend a brief training session to learn more about using our equipment and our guidelines for volunteering. More details about these sessions will be forthcoming, as dates are established. Keep an eye on the Chronicle for more information!

