



## ROSARYVILLE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

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Principal

Dear Parent(s) and Guardian(s),

Welcome to the 2016-2017 school year! We look forward to partnering with you in order to ensure that your child receives a high quality education. The Rosaryville Elementary School (RES) staff is recharged, energized and excited to welcome back all students. Please review the following announcements in preparation for the first day of school.

**School Vision-** Please join us in supporting our school vision: *The Rosaryville Elementary School vision is to build a community of excellence where 100% of Rosaryville Elementary School students exceed proficiency standards while gaining the knowledge, skills, and character traits that will lead to college readiness, life-long learning and civic engagement.*

**Pre-K Orientation:** We are excited to announce that RES now offers full-day Pre-K. We will hold orientation on August 18, 2016 at 12:00 pm. Parents and students are strongly encouraged to attend.

**Kindergarten Orientation:** Kindergarten Orientation will take place on August 18<sup>th</sup> at 1:00pm. Parents and students are strongly encouraged to attend.

**Autism Program Orientation:** RES will hold an orientation for students in our Autism Program on Monday, August 22<sup>nd</sup> from 1:00-2:00 pm. New and returning families are strongly encouraged to attend.

**New Student Orientation (Grades 1-5):** RES will welcome all new students (grades 1-5) on Monday, August 22<sup>nd</sup> from 12:00-1:00 pm.

**Family Portal:** Family Portal is an online system that allows parents to monitor grades throughout the school year. Family Portal will be available beginning August 23<sup>rd</sup>. If you need assistance accessing this system after August 23<sup>rd</sup>, please contact our main office at (301) 599-2490.

### **Back to School Night:**

We will hold Back to School Night for PreK- 2<sup>nd</sup> grades on August 31<sup>st</sup> from 6:00pm-8:00pm. We will hold Back to School Night for 3<sup>rd</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> grades on September 1<sup>st</sup> from 6:00pm-8:00pm. Please take advantage of this opportunity to meet your child's teacher(s) and to learn about the curriculum and grade level expectations.

**Class Lists:** Teacher assignments will be mailed home in August. They will also be available electronically in Schoolmax Family Portal beginning on August 23<sup>rd</sup>. Please keep in mind that teacher assignments are subject to change throughout the course of the year.

**Transportation:** Bus arrival and departure times will be sent to parents from the PGCPS Department of Transportation. If you have questions regarding transportation, please contact their office directly at (301) 952-6570.

**Supply List:** The 2016-2017 supply list is available on our school website and is also available for pick up in the main office.

**Uniform Policy:** The 2016-2017 uniform policy is available on our school website and is also available for pick up in the main office.

Your child's future starts today! With your support, the 2016-2017 school year will be a great success. Thank you in advance for being our partner in achieving our school vision.

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Sincerely,

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