

Summit Hill School District 161

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Dr. Julian Rogus School • Walker Intermediate School • Summit Hill Jr. High

August 1, 2023

Dear Walker Families,

Welcome to the 2023-2024 School Year!

August is here and we are ready to welcome our students and families to the 2023-2024 school year! We hope you have all enjoyed a restful and fun summer! As our many summer projects are beginning to wrap up, we are eager for our students to return to school! Please read over the information provided below so you are informed of important information, dates, and events to look forward to in the coming weeks. In keeping with our District theme, Momentum, we are looking forward to the 2023-24 school year with renewed energy and excitement for all that is to come! Let's Go!

Supply Lists

• Please find our supply lists for 5th and 6th grade linked <u>HERE</u>.

Student Schedules

Student schedules will be available in Power School on Monday, August 14th
at 9:00 AM. Unfortunately, schedule changes are not possible once schedules
are published. Our school team takes care to create schedules tailored to
student's academic needs which makes schedule changes and requests
difficult to accommodate.

Student Supply Drop-Off

We are looking forward to welcoming our students and families to Walker to drop off their school supplies and visit their classrooms on <u>Thursday</u>, <u>August 17th</u>. Our building will be open from 9:00 AM- 12:00 PM and again from 2:00 PM- 5:00 PM. Please be sure all student belongings are labeled.

First Day of School

• Our first day of school is <u>August 23, 2023!</u> Our student arrival time begins at 8:10 AM and all students should be present for homeroom by 8:20 AM. We ask that students begin arriving no earlier than 8:00 AM. The first day of school is a full day of attendance for all students.

5th Grade Curriculum Expectations Night

• Please save the date and join us on <u>September 5th, 2023</u>, from 6:30 PM-7:45 PM for 5th grade Curriculum Expectations Night! You will be able to walk through your student's class schedule and meet their teachers at this event.

6th Grade Curriculum Expectations Night

• Please save the date and join us on <u>September 6th, 2023</u>, from 6:30 PM- 7:45 PM for 6th grade Curriculum Expectations Night! You will be able to walk through your student's class schedule and meet their teachers at this event.

Fall Picture Day

• Our Fall Picture Day is scheduled for <u>September 14th, 2023</u>. Ordering information will follow shortly after the start of the school year.

Hilda Walker Traffic Plan

• Please take a few minutes to review our Arrival and Dismissal procedures before the first day of school, linked HERE.

Student Health Requirements

• A reminder that all 6th grade students must have an up-to-date school physical, complete immunization record, and up-to-date dental exam. Our school health office will be open during supply drop off on August 17th to receive health records, medication and answer any questions you may have about our student health requirements. Our school nurse and health clerk will be in the office daily beginning August 21st if you need to contact them for more information or assistance.

We hope you enjoy the remaining weeks of summer, and we are looking forward to welcoming everyone back in just a few short weeks! If we can be of assistance, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Kindly,

Ms. Maura K. Carroll, Principal

Ms. Marianne Hourihan, Assistant Principal