

# WOLVERINE NEWS

Winkley Wolverines Newsletter



## News from the Principal

Dear Winkley Community,

We had a great 2 day week! Dismissal is going even faster than expected. We had everyone dismissed the first day in 35 minutes and day two was 25 minutes. Hopefully on Monday we will have all 700 students connected with parents or after school care in 15-20 minutes. Please note the following procedures:

- **Front Walkers** – If your child is a front walker, you are giving them permission to walk out of the front door and walk home or meet you in the front of the school. All children are checked off before they exit the building to make sure they are in the right place. As an added measure of security and curtesy we ask all kindergarten and 1<sup>st</sup> grade students to go “to the box” in front of the school to make eye contact with you and the teacher before walking off. “The box” is the area with the window just to the left and right of the front door. Kinder goes to the box to the right just in front of the nurses window and 1<sup>st</sup> grade goes to the box right in front of Mrs. Ryon’s window. Please do not grab your child as they walk out of the front door. Allow them to go to the box and retrieve them there while making eye contact with the teacher. 2<sup>nd</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> graders may walk out the front door and head home.
- **Car Riders** – Students will wait in the MPR and will be called to a station on the sidewalk to enter your car. If at all possible please position your car seat on the passenger side of the car and teach your child to buckle themselves in. It really slows the line if you have to get out to buckle them in. Please watch the teachers at the stations and pull up, if they waive to you please move your car up. If you are almost to our station cones and your child sees your car, continue to the station cone and we will still ask them to go to the correct station in an effort to keep the line moving.

We will have our first school wide assembly on Friday morning. All students will go to the MPR at 7:35 to begin the day together at 7:45.

Please make plans to attend grade level curriculum meetings with your child’s teacher on Tuesday evening, August 28<sup>th</sup>. Then on August 30<sup>th</sup>, please join us for a campus wide PTA Welcome Back Dinner.

Best regards,

Donna K. Brady, Ed.D.

Principal

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### Upcoming Events :

- **Friday Assembly**
- **8/28 Curriculum night**

### Winkley Elementary Curriculum Night Information 8/28/18

Curriculum night will be held on Tuesday 8/28/18. View this time like an educational open house. This is a great opportunity to get highlights of what your child will be learning this year. Various topics will be covered including: Curriculum highlights, classroom and behavior expectations, grading policies, scheduling, classroom procedures, testing dates, and much more.

You don’t want to miss this opportunity. Please find your students grade level below for meeting times and location.

Grade Level	Location	Time
Kinder	classroom	6-6:30pm and 6:45-7:15pm
1st grade	classroom	6-6:30pm and 6:45-7:15pm
2nd grade	classroom	6-6:30pm and 6:45-7:15pm
3rd grade	cafeteria	7pm
4th grade	Library	7:30pm
5th grade	Library	5:15pm