

August 25, 2023

Dear JFK Families,

On behalf of the JFK School faculty, we wish to extend warm greetings to you and your family. Mrs. Chang and I look forward to a productive and rewarding 2023-2024 school year.

**The first full day of school for students Pre-K to Grade 5 will take place on Tuesday, September 5, 2023.** Students are requested to report to their assigned classrooms by 9:00 AM. Staff members will be available to assist children as they arrive at school by bus or by car. All students should know the name of their classroom teacher, and we encourage younger students to have a name tag.

**Class lists will be posted today at 4:00 PM, followed by a letter from the classroom teacher.** All parents will have access to see their child's classroom teacher assignment and a list of all their classmates by signing into the parent portal.

As a reminder, **Open House** is on Wednesday, September 6, 2023, Please review the following updated information:

- 6 PM Gr. 3, 4, 5
- 7 PM Pre-K & K
- 8 PM Gr. 1 & 2
  
- 6:45-7:45 PM Special Area and Support Staff - Pre-K Cafeteria

This year, we will be giving a **Digital Citizenship presentation** for all parents. Please attend one of the sessions in the auditorium at the following times:

- 5:45
- 6:30
- 7:30

Before or After Open House, please meet your **PTO** class parent and stop by the JFK PTO table located in front of the auditorium by the security desk. The first PTO meeting will be on September 20 at 9:30 AM in the JFK Auditorium.

Technology reminders:

GNPS is a **green** district - all communication is digital.

- Parent Link: receive emails from the main office, school closings, classroom happenings
- Infinite Campus Parent Portal: view report cards
- PTC Scheduling, Meet the Teacher: Sign up for Parent-Teacher conferences
- JFK website: school calendar, photos, school happenings

**GNPS Technology agreements:** All parents must log-in to the Parent Portal and acknowledge the [GNPS Technology agreements](#) (Click on the link to view the email sent out with the directions). This must be done for each individual child.

Mrs. Chang and I look forward to greeting our amazing students on the first day of school. Best wishes for a joyful and successful school year!

In unity,

Ron Gimondo  
Principal

Ai-Huei Chang-Lau  
Assistant Principal