



Tuesday, July 27, 2021

Estrella Office Hours

Tuesday 7/27 12:00 PM - 3:00 PM, Elementary Meet the Teacher Night 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM

Wednesday 7/28 7:15 AM - 3:45 PM

Thursday 7/29 **First Day of School !!!**

Office Hours: 8:00 AM - 4:30 PM (2:30 PM on Wednesdays)

School Hours: 9:05 AM - 3:55 PM (1:55 PM on Early Release Wednesdays)

Meet Your
TEACHERS

***** TONIGHT!! *****

Estrella's Meet the Teacher Night will be by STUDENT LAST NAME:

A-L is 5:00 PM - 6:00 PM

M-Z is 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM

Meet the Teacher Night is for students and parents. We encourage you to arrive during your assigned time to accommodate parking, reduce crowds and to give more personal attention to our students and

families. We understand there might be a few families needing to attend the other time slot and that is okay, we are planning on a great night for both open house sessions.

Teacher assignments are now available in [ParentVUE](#). *Prior to arriving on campus for Meet the Teacher night, please log into your ParentVUE, to view your child's assigned teachers for this school year.* All families of a current, or previously enrolled student in Kyrene have a ParentVue account. For Kindergarten students, and newly registered students, your ParentVue username and password is the one that you used to register your child. Please view FAQ of ParentVUE here, <https://www.kyrene.org/Page/1411>.

When arriving to school, you will enter through any of our open doors. Face coverings are optional but strongly recommended for individuals who are not vaccinated.

Families will go directly to the classroom when you arrive for Meet the Teacher. Signage will be posted in the halls to direct parents toward classrooms. Some special area teachers will be helping to direct parents to their classes.

PTO will be selling refreshments and spirit wear. Enter a drawing to win a FREE Estrella Shirt....and other awesome prizes!! Thirsty... maybe you need a snack?? Stop by the library... I promise it won't disappoint! Spirit wear will also be available to purchase!! Cant wait to see you all tonight Estrella Stars! Please stop by the library when entering our school or before you leave.

Families are also welcome to bring in your child/ren's school supplies to Meet the Teacher night. The school supply list is listed on our website: www.kyrene.org/est. Bring your supplies to Meet the Teacher to help make the 1st day of school as stress-free as possible for everyone! We are so excited to see everyone!!

School Bell Hours

Before school supervision begins	8:45 a.m.
1st bell rings	9:00 a.m.
Tardy bell rings	9:05 a.m.
M, T, TH, F: dismissal time	3:55 p.m.
Every Wednesday is an Early Release Day: Dismissal time	1:55 p.m.

*First Day of School for 2021-22 School Year will be on Thursday, July 29, 2021

Kyrene Safety Measures 2021-22

Kyrene School District safety measures and mitigation strategies are based on evolving guidance from federal, state and local health agencies as well as Kyrene's direct experience delivering education in safe environments throughout the pandemic, [Kyrene Safety Measures](#).

From the Health Office

Please remember that if your student requires medications, please come to health office to fill out a Yellow Med card and a Care Plan (if Needed). Meds should be given at home if possible.

If your student requires an Epi Pen or another Emergency Med (rescue inhaler, Glucagon) please be prepared to fill out a Care Plan as well.

**As a reminder to all parents... The threshold for sickness is LOW again this year. Please do NOT send your student to school with one of the COVID like symptoms. [Home Health Screening Checklist](#). If they are sent to school, expect a phone call immediately to come and pick up your student. To enter school again, students will require a Negative COVID test, be fever free for 24 hours (with NO fever reducing

medication), and symptoms must be improving. Thank you for your understanding as we still navigate COVID in 2021-2022 school year.

Melanie L. Hadlock, RDN
Estrella Health Assistant
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Sign Up to Receive Estrella & Kyrene Important Text Reminders

Families must elect to receive text communications. Text “Y” or “yes” to 67587 to begin receiving text messages from both your child’s school and the Kyrene School District.

Transportation

Bus assignments were posted on July 24, via the Versatrans E-link Portal. Parents can visit the website, [Transportation](#). To login, the username is your student’s ID number and the password is the student’s 8-digit birthdate (example: 09102020). Parents should have received an email from Transportation with their student’s route information; this includes the bus color, stop times and stop location.

Attendance Line

Parents are required to notify the school when your child is absent or running late. You do this by calling our 24-hour attendance/tardy line at (480) 541-3001. Please make sure to call the absent line and leave a message, and not the front office main line.

If your child is late, please walk them into the Front Office and sign them in.

Label Everything

Please label all your child’s belongings, backpacks, water bottles, sweaters, etc. There are many lost items during the first month of school, and we want to make sure your child’s items are returned.

Fall School Picture Day - Mark your Calendars

School picture day will be held on Tuesday, October 26. Have your child picture ready!



[School Supply Lists HERE](#)

Kyrene de la Estrella 2021-22 Supply Lists

The following supplies are *recommended* for each student, not required.

Any extra donations of supplies on these lists are greatly appreciated. Thank you!

Kindergarten

- 1 box Crayola crayons, 24 count
- 1 box #2 **Ticonderoga** pencils
- 1 box Crayola markers
- 4 dry erase markers
- 1 pencil box
- Glue Sticks
- Scissors
- 2 composition notebooks - wide ruled
- Headphones w/microphone**



First Grade

- 1 box of **#2 Ticonderoga** pencils
- 1 box of crayons
- 1 box of markers
- 2 glue sticks
- 1 – 4oz bottle of white glue
- 1 or 2 pink pearl erasers
- Headphones w/microphone**



2nd Grade

- 1 composition book - wide ruled
- 1 dozen #2 **Ticonderoga** pencils
- Crayola crayons
- Crayola colored pencils
- Glue sticks
- 2 highlighter markers
- 4 pack dry erase markers
- 1 dry erase eraser (or clean sock)
- 1 spiral notebook
- 1 Pink Pearl eraser
- 1 plastic pencil box
- Scissors
- Headphones w/microphone**



3rd Grade

- Pencil Box
- 1 box #2 **Ticonderoga** pencils
- 1 Pink Pearl eraser
- 1 composition book - wide ruled
- 1 wide- ruled spiral notebook
- 2- plastic sturdy pocket folders
- 1 box Crayola crayons
- Crayola thin line markers
- 1 pack dry erase markers
- Glue sticks
- Scissors
- Thin highlighters
- 1 clean sock or dry erase eraser
- Headphones w/microphone**



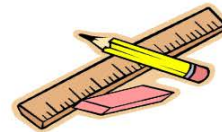
4th Grade

- #2 **Ticonderoga** Pencils, sharpened
- 2 Glue sticks
- Pink Pearl eraser
- 1 pkg Markers
- 1 box Crayons
- 2 Highlighter markers
- 1 pack of dry erase markers
- 3, spiral notebooks (1 blue, 1 yellow, 1 red)
- 3, **poly (plastic)** two-pocket folder with fasteners (1 blue, 1 yellow, 1 red)
- 1 clean sock or dry erase eraser
- Headphones w/microphone**



5th Grade

- 1 pencil pouch
- 1, ½ inch **white** 3- ring binder with **clear overlay**
- 3, spiral notebooks (1 blue, 1 green, 1 red)
- 3, **poly (plastic)** two-pocket folder (1 blue, 1 green, 1 red)
- 1 pair of student-sized scissors with pointed tip
- 1 pack glue sticks
- 1-2 packages #2 **Ticonderoga** Pencils, sharpened
- 1 pack markers
- 1 pack colored pencils
- 1 pack highlighter markers
- 1 pack of dry erase markers
- Ruler
- Headphones w/microphone**



Donations of **Kleenex**, **Hand Sanitizer**, **Ziploc Bags (various sizes)** and **Dry Erase Markers** are always welcome and appreciated in ALL classrooms.

Other classroom wishes will be communicated at Meet the Teacher and Curriculum Night by individual teachers.



Are you interested in working with the Estrella Stars? Do you know someone that would be a great addition to our team here at Estrella? Well you are in luck, because we have a couple of job opportunities to join the Estrella Family. We are looking for caring individuals to work in classrooms supporting student learning. If you or someone you know is interested go here to apply! [Come work at Estrella!](#)

2021

JUL 29: First Day of School
SEP 6: Labor Day, No School
OCT 1: Teacher Day, No School
OCT 4-8: Fall Break, No School
OCT 11: Staff Development, No School
NOV 11: Veteran's Day, No School
NOV 25-26: Thanksgiving, No School
DEC 17: Teacher Day, No School
DEC 20 - DEC 31: Winter Recess, No School

2022

JAN 3: 3rd Quarter Begins
JAN 17: MLK Day, No School
FEB 21: President's Day, No School
MAR 15: 4th Quarter Begins
MAR 7-11: Spring Break, No School
MAR 14: Teacher Day, No School
APR 15: Schools Closed
MAY 19: Last Day of School

[View Full Calendar](#)



School Breakfast and Lunch Program

Kyrene School District is pleased to share that free meal service for all children has been extended through the 2021-22 school year. [Kyrene Food Services Website](#)

Meal Service for Breakfast and Lunch will be available for all students, whether receiving in-person services or engaging in online learning at home. Students receiving on-site services will have meals provided at the school site. Free meals allow for one breakfast meal and one lunch meal per day per student to be served to them. For In-Person learning all other meals, or Al-a carte items, or additional drinks can be purchased, if the student has money to cover the cost in their meal account at the time of purchase.

Pay for Meals Online

Checks made payable to Kyrene School District and cash in a sealed envelope and labeled for the student are accepted at the school cafeteria sites for meal accounts. *We offer a new optional credit card service In-Touch to submit meal account payments starting with the 2021-2022 school year at In-Touch.* Choose meal account to apply money to your student(s) meal accounts. Payments will be applied to your students meal account at 6:45 am, 9:00AM, 11:00AM, 12:00PM and at night at 11:30PM

daily to update the meal account balance. Balances can be checked at any time at family.titank12.com. Meal account balance in Meals Plus will be transferred to our students account in the new Titan software. Negative balance notices will be emailed daily to parents during the school year. Contact Linda Stewart, NSLP Specialist for meal account issues by phone at 480-541-1350 or email at lstewa@kyrene.org

Please apply for meal benefits, so if eligible, you will receive P-EBT (food stamp benefits) and meal benefits are in place when we return the National School Lunch Program. Please visit family.titank12.com to submit an online meal application to us. You may turn in paper meal applications to any school office. We need all families to apply whether you are enrolled in our Kyrene Digital Academy, or In-person school. The Free, Reduced-price, and Paid meal information is used to qualify the school district for other student qualifications and funding. We email the notification of meal status letters to parents when the application is processed. If parents apply and are given free or reduced-price meals benefits they then are qualified for Food Stamps for the Pandemic referred to as P- EBT benefits. Thank you.

BEFORE & AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAMS
with **KYRENE COMMUNITY EDUCATION**

REGISTRATION OPEN FOR FALL 2021

KIDS CLUB Grades **K-5**
Games and sports
Homework assistance
Enrichment clubs, arts and more!

Grades 6-8 AFTER HOURS
Student-driven activities
Cooking projects
Homework assistance and service learning
Video games, sports, arts and more!

Kyrene Community Education

Are you looking for a place where your child can continue learning and exploring before and after school? Kyrene Community Education offers engaging programs where students can explore new passions, receive homework assistance and stay active! Spots fill fast, register your child for Fall 2021 today!

LEARN

Enroll Your Child Today

KyreneSchoolDistrict

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