A Note from the Principal

Inbox

School Office

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to bcc: me

Good morning, Upper Campus parents and students.

We are counting down the weeks, and now days, until we kick off another wonderful school year at Free Will. This is my second email of the year. If you did not receive the first one, please let me know. We are adding more contacts every day.

Dress Code

Please look carefully at the school's <u>dress code and grooming standards</u>. Be sure you have well-fitting and appropriate uniforms for the first day of school. Remember, shorts and skirts must be <u>knee-length</u>. Last year's shorts and skirts may no longer work. Be sure you have a white polo with our school emblem which can be purchased in our Business Office. Everyone in grades 6-10 will need a PE uniform (also purchased in the Business Office). If you are interested in wearing a hoodie at school, you must order one from our <u>Spirit Wear website</u>. No other hoodie may be worn.

COVID-19 Protocol Update

- Masks are no longer required.
- We will no longer perform screening at drop off each morning.
- Contact tracing will be conducted by DOH for each positive case.
- Desk dividers have been removed.
- Hand washing and social distancing will still be encouraged.
- Regular cleaning and disinfecting will continue.
- Students should continue to stay home when sick.
 - Students who come to school with COVID symptoms or develop symptoms at school will still be sent home until symptoms subside (even with a negative test).
 - If a student becomes ill at school, but symptoms do not suggest COVID-19, the parent will be notified, and it will be determined whether the student should be sent home.
 - Students who vomit while at school or have a fever will be sent home regardless of any other factors.
 - When a student has regular allergies or something else that can present
 with symptoms similar to COVID, it is recommended that the parents
 work out a plan with their pediatrician to manage symptoms while at
 school. (See our policy on medications at school below).

Medications at school

Prescribed Medications - Students who must take prescribed medication at school must turn the medication into the office along with a dated note and instructions signed by the child's parent.

Over-the-Counter Medications - Over-the-counter medication, such as Tylenol, that has been provided by the parent/guardian will be stored in the school office and administered to a student with specific instructions provided.

Students are not to keep any form of medication on them personally in the classroom, purses, book bags, cubbies, etc.

Keep watching for more reminders and updates. And, of course, reach out to me for any questions you may have.

Open House - Friday, August 19, 6:30-8:00 PM Teacher meet and greet, drop-in style New Student Orientation 6:00

Enjoy your last weeks of summer!

Mrs. Wooton7

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