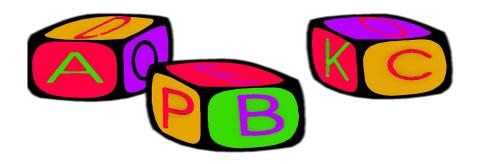


Welcome to the 2021-2022 School Year at Greystone Elementary School

Preschool Orientation

The ABC's of Preschool



Please check our school websites often! http://greystone.nprovschools.org/

Preschool at Greystone

Greystone's Returning to School Website

Reopening Greystone

Here you will find a list of resources for parents and families regarding the reopening of Greystone Elementary School. You can find health information, financial supports, social emotional resources, as well as frequently asked questions and more.

Social Emotional Resources

Health and Safety Resources

Returning Back to School

Frequently Asked Questions

Financial Supports

Resources for both children and adults in coping with COVID-19 and the return to school. Find them here.

Important Dates



September 1 - Students with special needs begin school

September 3 - No school

September 7 - Community learners start school

September 21 - Greystone Open House

September 29 - Distance learning day (no in-school instruction)

School Hours

| Arrival | 9:00 am |
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| Dismissal | 11:25 am |
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| Arrival | 12:42 pm |
| Dismissal | 3:05 pm |
| Students leaving before 11:15 or 3:00 pm will be marked for early dismissal* | |

^{*}If you have a note from a doctor's office due to an appointment, your child will be excused if they arrive late or are dismissed early.

Attendance Information

- Attendance is monitored as well as late arrivals to school
- If your child is not coming to school kindly call our office and leave a message

Schools are responsible for teaching your child. However schools cannot do their job if your child is absent. Learning builds day by day. A child who misses a day misses a day of learning.

Main Office Team

Greystone
Elementary School

Principal: Ms. Stefanie Lafleur

Secretary: Ms. Brenda Corcelli

Nurse: Mrs. Sheri Farrell

School Psychologist: Mrs. Cassandra Rozell-Alba

School Social Worker: Mrs. Ivy Kolb

Address: 100 Morgan Avenue, 02911

Phone: (401) 233-1130 Fax: (401) 232-5403

Office hours are 8:30 to 3:30



Preschool Team



Teachers:

Ms. Jennifer Carrier, Ms. Courtney Sloan and Mrs. Dannah Mallozzi

Ms. Arianna Petrocelli and Mrs. Tracy Baggesen

Mrs. Sharon McMahon and Mrs. Amy Antunes

Related Service Providers:

Mrs. Jennifer Bennell & Ms. Kristin Gilmore, Speech-Language Pathologists Mrs. Joye Santos, Occupational Therapist

Early Childhood Programs Supervisor

David Radcliff

Skyward App

You can access Skyward from:

1. The school department website: http://nprovschools.org/



2. This direct link:

https://skyward.iscorp.com/scripts/wsisa.dll/WService=wsedunorthprovidenceri/seplog01.w

3. The Skyward Mobile Access app is at:

Apple App Store https://apps.apple.com/us/app/skyward-mobile-access/id502635374

Google Play Store

https://play.google.com/store/apps/details?id=com.skyward.mobileaccess&hl=en_US

Delayed Start and Early Dismissal Information

When the North Providence School Department has a delayed starting time, the morning preschool session is canceled. When the North Providence School Department has an early dismissal, the afternoon preschool session is canceled. Please ensure your primary phone number and email are up-to-date. The Greystone (http://greystone.nprovschools.org) and North Providence School Department websites (<u>http://nprovschools.org</u>) may post notices. Additionally, you may enroll for text alerts with the RI Broadcasters Association (http://www.ribroadcasters.com).

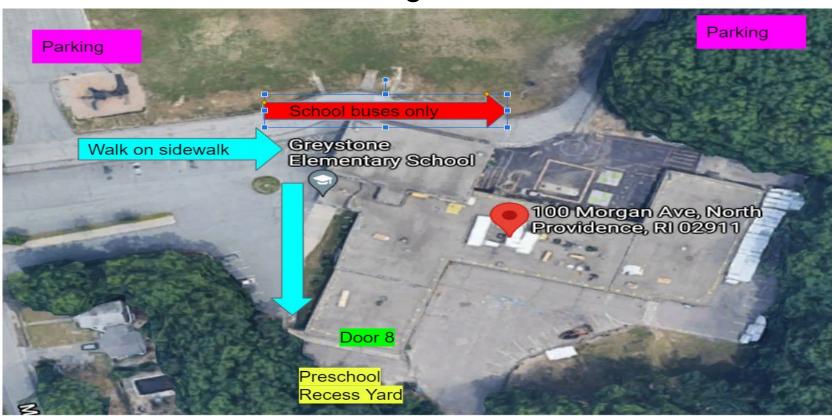
Leaving School/Dismissal

Dismissal

- Parent pick-up for preschool: students are dismissed at the door to the right of the main entrance...DOOR 8
- Parents are asked to park and walk to the side door to pick up their children
- Please bring your ID
- Only adults listed on emergency forms are able to pick up your child

**Please refrain from dismissing your child after 11:15 or 3:00
**It is important you call first thing in the morning or send a note if there is a change in your child's dismissal team

Arriving at School



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Students arrive at the recess yard when dropped off by a parent/guardian at Door #8 (to the right of the main entrance, Door #1)









Arriving & Dismissal Etiquette

- Please close the gate behind you. Please keep your child with you. We need to keep the classes separate.
- Afternoon arrival: Please do not enter the play yard until 12:35 as another class has recess until that time.
- Dismissal (morning and afternoon): Please collect your student and leave the play yard immediately. Other classes have recess and dismissal times just after preschool dismissal.

How Parents Can Help...

- Your support and involvement is essential to the success of your child.
- Communication
- Help them develop independence (important)
- Create rewards and consequences
- Practice putting on shoes, following 2- and 3-step directions, getting things together, cleaning up, etc.
- Have a nightly routine
- Read every night

P.B.I.S. - Positive Behavior Incentive System

Greystone Tigers are Ready to Show...

Respect, Responsibility and Safety towards self and others

- PAWS
- Monthly winners & celebrations
- School-wide classroom recognition
- Each teacher uses positive behavior rewards in their classroom.
- Class Student-of the Month



Unexpected Alarms/Drills

Fire Drill – Each month

Evacuation Drill (On Site/Off Site) – 2 times a year

Lockdown Drill – 2 times a year

Up to 15 Total Emergency Drills



Snacks

- Students will have a mid-morning/afternoon snack
- Healthy snacks are preferred, please refrain from sending candy in their lunch boxes
- Easy to open drinks/containers
- Peanut Free You will be notified if the classroom is peanut free.



Forms – Emergency Release



PLEASE be sure the Emergency Release Form is accurate and up to date!

This cannot be stressed enough. Include the names of the people who may pick up your child during dismissal or early dismissal.

Only those names listed on the Emergency Release Form will be able to pick up your child.

If there is a custody issue, the school must use the most recent court order on file. It is extremely important to keep the school up to date with any legal documentation.

Ongoing Communication



What should you do if you have a concern?

Call or email the teacher. Children tend to perceive things differently so if there is a concern or problem, please contact us and we will investigate.

What communication will you receive?

Your preschool teacher will keep you updated with key information. Also, newsletters from the school go home seasonally. List serve/email messages are sent periodically with updates and important information. **OUR** <u>website</u> will be used often this year!

You can also follow us on:

Facebook oqrevstoneNPSD

Twitter <u>@greystone np</u>

Birthdays!!

- Treats are not permitted for birthdays.
- Any non-food item is acceptable to pass out.
- Invitations are to be given to each student in the class.



District Website/School Website/Social Media

District webpage: http://nprovschools.org

 District information, school information, technology, district resources, parent resources, etc.

School webpage: http://greystone.nprovschools.org/

Contains pertinent school information

Facebook <u>@greystoneNPSD</u>
Twitter <u>@greystone_np</u>



Bus Information

Durham Bus Company Contact Information – 401.751.0534

Greystone PTA

President – Johna Toner
Vice President 1- Courtney Fuller
Vice President 2- Carissa Anderson
Treasurer- Susan Ragano
Recording Secretary- Amy Antone
Co-Recording Secretary- Tammy Ciancaglini

Corresponding Secretary- Amber Lemire

- Please consider joining this wonderful PTA organization
- See the PTA Facebook Page...Greystone PTA

