



OPENING WEEK SEPTEMBER 2019

Tuesday, September 3rd: School begins at 8:44 am. for all students. Dismissal is at 9:30 am

- All students (grades 1-5) who are **returning** to Central should report to **last year's classes**. Please line up at your usual location.
- **Newly registered** students (grades 1-5) are asked to report to the library (upstairs). Students will be met by staff members for an introduction to Central, for a tour of the school and for an assigned classroom for week one.

New kindergarten families will attend an attendance block from 9:45 – 10:15 am in the gym where they will meet our Kindergarten teachers and hear details about opening week procedures and schedule. They will also sign up for a “Welcoming Conversation”. Welcoming Conversations will happen over the course of the first week and a half between our new Kindergarten students, their parents / caregivers and our Kindergarten teachers. All pertinent details will be emailed to Kindergarten families in early July.

Wednesday, September 4th and beyond: Full Day for students in grades 1-5 (8:44 am – 2:45 pm).

- Students will start and end their day in the same room as Tuesday, September 3rd, but will be in grade group classes throughout the day, continuing until our school receives the green light to proceed with our 2019-2020 school organization. We hope to be in our permanent classes by Monday, September 9th, but we cannot guarantee this since our ability to do this depends on School District approval of our organization.
- All students will need a recess snack and lunch (nut-free), and indoor running shoes. School supplies are not needed the first week.
- Welcoming Conversations begin with our Kindergarten students, their parents and our Kindergarten teachers. These conversations continue Thursday, September 5th – Monday, September 9th.

Friday, September 6th – Friday, September 13th: Gradual entry over the course of one week for new Kindergarteners. Schedule to be emailed to families in early July.

Monday, September 16th: First full day for new Kindergarteners (8:44 – 2:45pm)

Kindergarten-specific information regarding Welcoming Conversations and Gradual Entry to be emailed to K families in early July.

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