



E. E. Knight News

September 2022

Greetings E. E. Knight Families,

Welcome Back! We have had a GREAT beginning to our school year! The energy and excitement that has been filling our hallways and classrooms has been incredible. This year, our school theme is “Kindness is our Superpower”. We will continue to encourage and recognize students for being kind to one another. Take a moment to ask your student what it means to be a bucket filler. We will recognize students weekly for filling one another's buckets.

Each year, our classroom teachers read the book Only One You by Linda Krantz. The message in this book conveys "There is only one you in this great big world...make it a better place." Your child then painted the rock that they brought in at the beginning of the school year. This tradition has carried on for the past three years, and now the rock pathway at the front of the school has continued to grow and each child is able to leave their “footprint” at E. E. Knight.

As a district, we will be implementing our P.B.I.S. program. Teachers and staff have been reviewing student expectations in each area of the building this past week, including the playground, cafeteria, hallways, bathrooms and classrooms. We are encouraging students to:

- Be Respectful
- Be Responsible
- Be Your Best!

They have done an excellent job demonstrating the expectations in all areas of the school.

Teachers will be sending home regular communications about what is happening in their classrooms and around the school throughout the year. Please be sure we have the most up to date contact information for you.

Please feel free to reach out with any questions or concerns. We are looking forward to an amazing school year!

Sincerely,

Alicia Ormsbee, principal



Elementary Handbook

View the Elementary Handbook for the 2022-2023 School Year [here](#).

Important Dates

No School - Labor Day: September 2-5

Picture Day: September 7

S. O. S. Meeting: September 14

Early Release Day: September 21

Picture Day at EEK September 7

ALL ORDERS MUST BE SUBMITTED ONLINE. There will be no order forms sent home. If you would rather not submit an online order, please call the studio at 989-227-8441 and an order will be taken over the phone.

Ordering information was sent as an email. If you have any questions please call the studio or email Andrew@Canfieldjenkins.com

Important Reminders

- Please have your child stay home from school if they are sick and call the front office at 989-862-5170.
- Please do not drop students off prior to 7:30 am. There is no adult supervision prior to this time.
- Please remember to bring your child into the front office and sign them in if they are arriving at school late.

Breakfast and Lunch

Breakfast and lunch are free this year for E. E. Knight students.

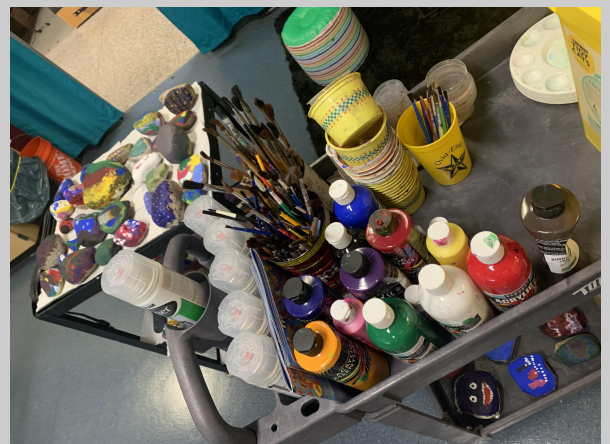
Lunch choices will begin for students on

Tuesday, September 6.

See the following [link](#) for our lunch menu.

“Only One You” Project

See our painted rock pathway grow at E.E.K.



Supporting Our Schools

Interested in joining our Supporting Our Schools parent group? Our next meeting will be:

Wednesday, September 14 at 6:00pm
in the EEK Library!

Popcorn Fridays



We will begin selling popcorn on Fridays beginning Friday, September 9. The cost of popcorn will be \$1.00 this year. If you are interested in volunteering to help with popcorn, please contact the front office at 989-862-5170. Thank you!

**Be Respectful
Be Responsible
Be Your Best!**



Attendance

Regular attendance in school is vital to a child's education. According to the guidelines for Clinton County Public Schools, attendance letters will be sent home to families at the following time increments:

- 5 Absences
- 10 Absences
- 15 absences

Please refer to page 7 of our [Elementary Handbook](#) for further information on attendance.

If your child needs to be out of school due to illness, etc., please contact the front office at 989-862-5170.

Our Super School!

