



Just the Facts

Dwight-Englewood Lower School

September 18, 2020

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

September

Mon., September 21	Preschool 3 – Phase-In Schedule Preschool 4 – Grade 5 – Full day on Campus
Tues., September 22	Preschool 3 – Phase-In Schedule Preschool 4, Kindergarten, Grades 2,3,4,&5 – Full Day on Campus Grade 1 – Online Classes
Weds., September 23	Preschool 3 – Phase-In Schedule Preschool 4 – Grade 5 – Full day on Campus
Thurs., September 24	Preschool 3 – Phase-In Schedule Preschool 4 – Grade 5 – Full day on Campus
Fri., September 25	NO SCHOOL - LOWER SCHOOL ONLY
Mon., September 28	NO SCHOOL - YOM KIPPUR

NEW:

ON-CAMPUS OR VIRTUAL DECISION FORM

All families were sent an email this morning to complete the On-Campus or Virtual Decision Form. Thank you for responding at your earliest convenience.

If you have any clarifying questions about this process, Ms. Lewis will be holding Information Sessions via Zoom next week. The dates are as follows:

Monday, September 21 - 10:30 a.m. and 6:00 p.m.
Tuesday, September 22 - 4:00 p.m.

Please use this link for the Information Sessions: <https://d-e.zoom.us/j/9532591329>

IMPORTANT DISMISSAL INFORMATION FOR PARENTS...

To avoid long car lines at dismissal, it is very important for parents to enter the queue only five minutes before the dismissal time for their child. Early arrivals slow dismissal to a stop. We will make sure that your child is available at the designated dismissal times. Parents who arrive significantly before their child's dismissal time may be asked to leave the line and return at the correct time. Please also remember to use your car visor name sign.

Below are the **UPDATED** dismissal times for each grade.

Early Childhood (Preschool 3, 4 and Kindergarten)	2:30 p.m.
Grades 1 through 3 (Drapkin Hall)	3:00 p.m.
Grades 4 and 5 (Umpleby Hall)	2:45 p.m.

For Families with Multiple Children on Campus that have Different Dismissal Times, See Below:

- **Families with a student in Early Childhood and a child in first – third grade:** If you are picking up a child from early childhood (preschool 3, 4, and kindergarten) and a child in first through third, please come at the later **3:00 p.m.** time. Early childhood students will be supervised in their classrooms until **3:00 p.m.**
- **Families with a student in Early Childhood Drapkin Hall and a student in Umpleby Hall:**
If you have a child in early childhood (preschool 3, 4 and kindergarten) and a fourth or fifth grader in Umpleby, pick up your **Drapkin Hall student at 2:30 p.m.** and then your **Umpleby Hall student.**
- **If you have a Drapkin Hall child in first, second or third grade and an Umpleby Hall child in fourth or fifth,** pick up at **Umpleby at 2:45 p.m.** and then travel to **Drapkin** for the **3:00 p.m. dismissal.**
- **If you have a child in Drapkin Hall and Middle/Upper School,** please pick up the Drapkin Hall student first and then travel to Umpleby Hall.
- **If you have children in Umpleby and Middle School/Upper School,** pick them up at **Umpleby** at or after **3:00 p.m.**

If you have a combination of children that is not included here, please reach out and we will advise on the safest way to pick up your children.

Dismissal changes for all students should be sent to Ms. Dorothy Bryan at bryand@d-e.org by noon each day.

And finally, if you are picking up from Umpleby please display the "Lower School/Umpleby" sign provided so that our traffic team knows where to direct your car. Thank you and drive safely!

AFTERCARE & ENRICHMENT

On September 29th, we open fully for both AfterCare (in person on campus) & Enrichment (available to students remotely at home or in school). Excited? So are we! We've got some great adventures in store for after school. You will receive under separate cover Aftercare online registration and the Enrichment Options Survey.

NURSE'S NOTES...

By Mrs. Maureen Krane RN, Lower School Nurse

As we head into fall, I would like to ask each parent to send in a change of clothes for their child. This applies to children in all grades not just the youngest. With rain comes wet playground equipment which in turn means a wet child. We also have lunch spills and paint mishaps. Kindly choose a non-favorite pair of pants, shirt, underwear and socks to be left in your child's locker.