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LEDGEMONT ELEMENTARY

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Joy Christopher-Reed, Principal (joy.chris-reed@berkshireschools.org)

Dear Ledgemont Elementary Families,

I am excited to be taking over for Mrs. Rhinehart this year as the building principal. It is a huge responsibility planning learning during these unprecedented times. I am very dedicated to providing a positive and safe school year that fosters growth and support for every student. Your input and communication is always welcomed. Please feel free to email, call, or Dojo message me throughout the school year as ideas and/or concerns come up.

We are excited to offer both in person and virtual learning opportunities. We will work hard to provide the best possible school experience regardless of your choice (in person or virtual) and

we have a very dedicated team to support our community of learners. Please see our [school restart brochure](#) for information on our building's covid-19 safety precautions.

The student day at Ledgemont Elementary is 9:30 a.m.-3:15p.m. Breakfast will be available in the cafeteria from 9:15 to 9:30 a.m. Please refrain from dropping your child off prior to 9:15 a.m. as there is no supervision available. Please wait in the car line until we motion your car . When it is your child's turn to get out of the car please exit promptly. We will begin drop off at 9:15 a.m.

Student pick-ups will begin at 3:15 p.m. at the east side of the building via a large brown door marked with a white E. We will require written email or notes to the office indicating a pick up day and identification will be requested if staff is unfamiliar with you. A YMCA before and after school care program is also available starting at 6:30 a.m. For additional information, please see ClevelandYMCA.org/child-care.

ARRIVAL/DISMISSAL SCHEDULE:

9:15 a.m. - Doors open for students. *Please do not drop your child off prior to this as they will be unsupervised.* We will stagger entrance one bus at a time beginning at 9:15 a.m. Students will go right to their classrooms or stop and get breakfast first if applicable.

3:15 p.m. - Parents pick-up at the east end of the building.

3:20 p.m. - Bus Riders are called over the PA system to the buses.

Picture Day this year at Ledgemont Elementary is Wednesday, September 16th.



CLASS FEES FOR THE 2020-2021 SCHOOL YEAR:

Each family is encouraged to complete our online free/reduced fee/lunch form on the Berkshire Schools website.

Please make sure payment is paid by September 30, 2020. Checks can be made payable to Berkshire Board of Education. Fees can also be paid through the Infinite Campus Portal.

K- \$55.00 1 - \$55.00 2 - \$55.00 3 - \$55.00 4 - \$55.00 5 - \$55.00 6 - \$55.00

HANDBOOK/FORMS:

The On-Line Registration (OLR) program on Infinite Campus will allow you to quickly and easily update and submit many of the required 'annual' forms such as the Emergency Medical Form, FERPA, photo release, handbook acknowledgement, computer/internet usage, Free/Reduced meals, etc. Remember we need your emergency contact information current. You can do this through your IC account portal available at www.berkshireschools.org. Remember, parent login

is first initial, last name. The default password is badgers001 upon first login. For help, contact Melissa Malkus at melissa.malkus@berkshireschools.org or call 440-834-3380 ex 2101.

Thank you for your continued support and dedication to maintaining a strong partnership with us.

Sincerely,

Joy Christopher-Reed

We are excited to resume school and have our Badgers in person and virtually this year at Ledgemont Elementary!

9/14/2020