



Pioneer Union Elementary School Distri  
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Dear Parent/Guardian,

It is my great privilege to welcome your family to Frontier Elementary School for the 2021-2022 School Year! Elementary school is an important time in a student’s life where students meet friends, learn to read, write, engage in mathematics, and most importantly learn what routines, schedules, and rules are all about. At Frontier Elementary School we believe in working together in partnership with our families and community to support the academic and personal success of all our students during this pivotal time in their lives. PBIS (Positive Behavior Intervention System) plays an important role in the support system we have created for your students. We will work together to ensure your child demonstrates their “ABCs” (Always Be Respectful, Be Your Best, and Choose to be Safe) each and every day! In addition, I encourage you and your student to review the Student/Parent Handbook which further outlines the expectations and structures established to further support our students, and includes several updates this year. Please click [HERE](#) to view the Student/Parent Handbook or visit the Frontier Website.

Just as a reminder, students MAY NOT have their cell phone out during the school day. Students who bring a cell phone to school are expected to leave it in their backpack. Students MAY NOT carry them in their pockets on their person. This policy models the policies of both Pioneer Middle School and Pioneer Elementary, and I believe will help us promote a positive learning environment for all students. Should you need to contact your student during the school day, please contact the office.

**Wednesday, August 11, 2021** is the first day of school. This year there have been changes to our bell schedule and start times. Campus will open at 7:30 AM, students MAY NOT be dropped off prior to this time as there will not be supervision. The first bell will ring at 8:05 AM, with the tardy bell ringing at 8:10 AM. It is recommended students arrive on campus by 8:00 AM daily. **Dismissal Times are as follows:**

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday

TK/Kindergarten	2:00 pm
Grades 1 <sup>st</sup> – 3 <sup>rd</sup>	2:05 pm
Grades 4 <sup>th</sup> & 5 <sup>th</sup>	2:45 pm

**\*\*Wednesday – EARLY OUT \*\***

TK/Kindergarten	1:15 pm
Grades 1-3	1:20 pm
Grades 4-5	2:00 pm

In preparation for the upcoming school year, all 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> grade students need to check out their chromebook prior to the first day of school. Below is the information for this event:

### 4th & 5th Frontier Chromebook Checkout Event



*Tuesday, August 3, 2021*

*8:00 am-3:00 pm*

*Frontier Elementary Cafeteria*

Please click [HERE](#) to schedule an appointment. An appointment is required to attend. 4th/5th students only.

Prior to the school year starting, please complete the Annual Update, which must be completed via your Infinite Campus Parent Portal Account. The online Annual Update must be completed prior to attending school. There IS NOT a paper option, meaning ALL PARENTS MUST COMPLETE THE FORMS VIA INFINITE CAMPUS PARENT PORTAL. If you do not have internet access, you can complete the forms in the Frontier office or in the district office. The district office is currently open and our site office will reopen on **Wednesday, August 4<sup>th</sup>**. You may access your Infinite Campus Portal Account at: [Infinite Campus Portal](#)

If you do not have an Infinite Campus Portal Account, please email [kallein@puesd.net](mailto:kallein@puesd.net) to get an activation key. Please include your name, the name of your student(s) and their grade and school site in the email message.

If you have forgotten your password, click on Forgot Password on the Infinite Campus Parent Portal login page.

**TK, K, 1st, 2nd and 3rd grade parents:** Please complete your Annual Update before the first day of school (August 11, 2021).

**4th and 5th Grade Parents:** Since you will be coming to the school site during the first week of August to pick up your child's chromebook, please make sure to complete your Annual Update before you arrive, as this must be completed before you can pick up the chromebook. We will have chromebooks available at the event, if you need assistance.

**TK/Kindergarten Parents:** The Frontier Elementary TK/Kindergarten team would like to invite you to their annual TK/Kindergarten Walk-Through. This event will be held on **Monday, August 9<sup>th</sup>** from **12:30-2:30pm** on campus. This is a time for your child to visit their classroom and meet their teacher prior to the school year starting.

Finally, the guidance from the California Department of Public Health ***requires students to wear face masks while indoors***. While wearing a mask indoors may be an inconvenience, it will allow more students to stay in school because they may not be quarantined if they are wearing a mask. Ultimately, our goal is to keep students in school where they learn best. Thank you for your understanding.

Please mark your calendars, **Back to School Night** will be held on **Wednesday, September 1, 2021**.

We look forward to seeing all of our Mustangs back on campus!

Sincerely,

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