

Welcome Back!!!

We are excited to start a new year at Fox Hills for all students! Our teachers are fantastic and have worked hard for the beginning of this **UNIQUE** school year. Teachers have spent many extra hours on behalf of our students to keep them safe and to prepare them for their future. I really appreciate their professionalism and dedication to education and the safety of all students.

Please have your students arrive in the morning between 8:25-8:35. For students eating breakfast, arrive between 8:15-8:25. Also, **please park in the parking lot across the street** if you are walking your student to the school building. This keeps the drop off zone clear; the crossing guard will help you cross the road safely.

Sick children need to remain at home. Please check your child daily for symptoms, such as: fever, cough, sore throat, shortness of breath, muscle aches and pains, loss of sense of taste or smell. If they are sick or have symptoms of illness they should not come to school.

The students attending face to face have done a **fantastic** job keeping their masks on, social distancing, and washing their hands and desks regularly. Parents, you can be PROUD of your children; they have exceeded our expectations. Our distance learners have also done a great job logging into their Chromebooks and engaging in their education daily. We appreciate parents and their patience guiding their children through this process.

PTA and Community Council

Chantel Olsen is our wonderful PTA president and we are excited to have her back! Go to the PTA website: <https://foxhillselementary.new.memberhub.store/store> to join PTA and to purchase T-shirts. PTA will notify you when your order arrives. **Kylie Jones** is our Community Council Chair and she does an amazing job in guiding the committee. We have three parent openings on the council this year. Declaration of Candidacy forms are due in the office on September 8th. Elections will be held later in the month. Please consider getting involved. Contact the school or Kylie at: doterrakylie@gmail.com.

Fox Hills Website

Check out our website at: <https://schools.graniteschools.org/foxhills/> You will find important information for: Calendars, Schedules, Lunch Menus, Covid Plans, Community Council, as well as links to our Trustland Plan.

New Teachers

We would like to give a warm welcome to our new teachers and our assistant principal:

Nicole Herrera: First Grade

Jessica Sellers: Third Grade

Becky West: Literacy Coach

Shanna Pearce: Resource Teacher

Kathy Hommes: Assistant Principal

Thank you for joining the Fox Hills Foxes! You will love the Fox Hills community.

Safety Before and After School

We have had some safety concerns reported from our crossing guards. Please be mindful of the guards as you drive down Vixen Way and watch for them to stop traffic. They have had several instances of drivers not stopping, resulting in the guards and children being in danger. Vixen will back up with traffic, but please do not endanger yourself or others by going around cars illegally. Safety is our number one priority. Drivers who use the drop off zone in the morning, have your children exit the car quickly and pull forward. After school while picking up your children, please be mindful of students' safety and do not double park and wave your child into your car. This is very dangerous and could cause an accident that could result in a child being hurt. I appreciate your help in watching out for the safety of all our students.