

TEMPLETON ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

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Important Items You Need to Know:

- Doors open at 8:45 am and school begins at 9:00 am this school year. Dismissal will begin at 3:45 pm.
- No dismissal changes will be taken over the phone unless it is an emergency. In case of an emergency you will need to contact the front office. However, requests must be made by e-mail or faxing a letter. We will follow up with you that your request has been received by a phone call. Thank you for your understanding!



Tiger Talk

Date	Time	Location	Events and Details
8/15/2016	5:30-6:30 pm	Templeton	Open House/PTO Picnic
8/18/2016	7:00 pm	Media Center	PTO Meeting
8/23/2016		Orange Leaf	PTO Dine and Donate
8/26/2016	6:00-8:00 pm	Cafetorium	PTO Movie Night

Templeton Website and Twitter

Templeton has a comprehensive website with many resources for parents. It has many helpful links, pictures and information.

<http://www.mccsc.edu/templeton> Also, follow Templeton on Twitter at @Templeton_MCCSC

Drop off and pick up

With our new arrival and dismissal times it is imperative that everyone follows the drop off and pick up procedures. Buses will not be allowed to drop students off until 8:45 am. With that there is now a fifteen minute window for students arriving and school starting. We want to make sure we keep students and families safe distances from buses and cars. This is also imperative at dismissal where buses will be arriving at dismissal. While we know some procedures are inconvenient for certain folks our goal is to make sure every student is safe.

First Week of School

I cannot believe this is my fourth year as principal at Templeton Elementary. Time flies by. I am as honored as ever to be your principal. I take great joy in working with the best staff, parents and students in the business. Helping your students realize their potential is something I do not take lightly and I will continue to advocate along with the TE staff so that your students have the best opportunities available.

With that this first week has been amazing! We have had fantastic attendance. Students have been excited and doing a fantastic job from the get go. I have never had a more successful and exciting start to a school year in my career and I cannot wait to see what the year holds. Thank you for all you do in supporting and preparing your students. They are a fantastic group of Templeton Tigers!



Templeton PTO Upcoming Events

First, thank you to our fantastic PTO for the ice cream social and boo hoo breakfast! Below are some more exciting upcoming events the PTO is hosting.

8/15—TE Picnic and Open House from 5:30 – 6:30 pm. Hot dogs and paperware will be provided. Families are encouraged to bring their favorite side dish or dessert.

8/18—PTO Mtg. @ 7 pm in the media center

8/23—Dine and Donate at Orange Leaf. Just say, “Templeton” When ordering and Templeton gets a percentage of your total bill.

8/26—PTO Family Movie Night from 6-8 pm in the cafetorium.

International Baccalaureate Update

Templeton is entering its third year as a candidate school. At this time each grade level has all of their units of inquiry finished. This year all six units will be taught and students will start setting up their portfolios with their artifacts from each unit. These are cumulative portfolios that they will then present at the end of their sixth grade year at our IB Exposition. We have also hired Ms. Arrate Lopez de Equilaz for Spanish this year. Each class K-6 will be getting Spanish twice a year. The big update is this Spring we will be applying for acceptance as a full fledged International Baccalaureate school. We encourage you to continue to ask your students about their inquiry, Spanish, culture lessons and the biggest part of all the Learner Profile. Thank you for your support through this journey.

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