



Welcome to Kindergarten

TIMBER LANE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL 2021

BASIC FACTS

- FULL DAY PROGRAM
- 8:50-3:35 MONDAY-FRIDAY

THE CHILDREN ENTER THE BUILDING AT 8:30
ALL STUDENTS CAN EAT BREAKFAST IN THE
CLASSROOM

- TIMBER LANE'S WEBSITE ADDRESS:
[HTTP://WWW.FCPS.EDU/TIMBERLANEES](http://www.fcps.edu/timberlanees)



RESPONSIVE CLASSROOM

- WE ARE A RESPONSIVE CLASSROOM SCHOOL
- WE WORK TO BUILD A POSITIVE, SUPPORTIVE COMMUNITY IN EACH CLASS AND THROUGHOUT THE SCHOOL
- PARENTS ARE AN IMPORTANT PART OF OUR SCHOOL COMMUNITY



- Positivity Project helps students understand the characteristics that make them special and celebrate those characteristics
- Students are provided learning opportunities to practice these character traits in and out of the classroom

GETTING TO SCHOOL AND GOING HOME

- KINDERGARTNERS MUST ALWAYS BE UNDER THE SUPERVISION OF ADULTS

TRANSPORTATION: WALKERS

- WALKERS MUST BE DROPPED OFF AND PICKED UP AT DOOR 2 BY AN ADULT
- TEACHERS WILL WAIT WITH STUDENTS AND DISMISS EACH CHILD TO AN ADULT. ADULTS MUST BE LISTED ON EMERGENCY CARE CARDS. WE DO CHECK IDS



TRANSPORTATION: SACC

- YOU MUST WALK YOUR CHILD INTO SACC THROUGH DOOR 5 AND SIGN IN
- TEACHERS WILL WALK YOUR CHILD TO CLASS IN THE MORNING AND TO SACC AFTER SCHOOL
- PARK IN THE SIDE PARKING LOT
- REGISTRATION IS OPEN NOW- [703-449-8989](tel:703-449-8989)



TRANSPORTATION: KISS N RIDE

- PICK UP AND DROP OFF ARE AT DOOR 5 AT THE SIDE OF THE SCHOOL
- CHILDREN ARE ACCOMPANIED TO AND FROM THE SCHOOL BUILDING
- PARENTS DO NOT GET OUT OF THEIR CARS
- STUDENTS MUST EXIT CARS ON THE RIGHT



TRANSPORTATION: BUS RIDERS

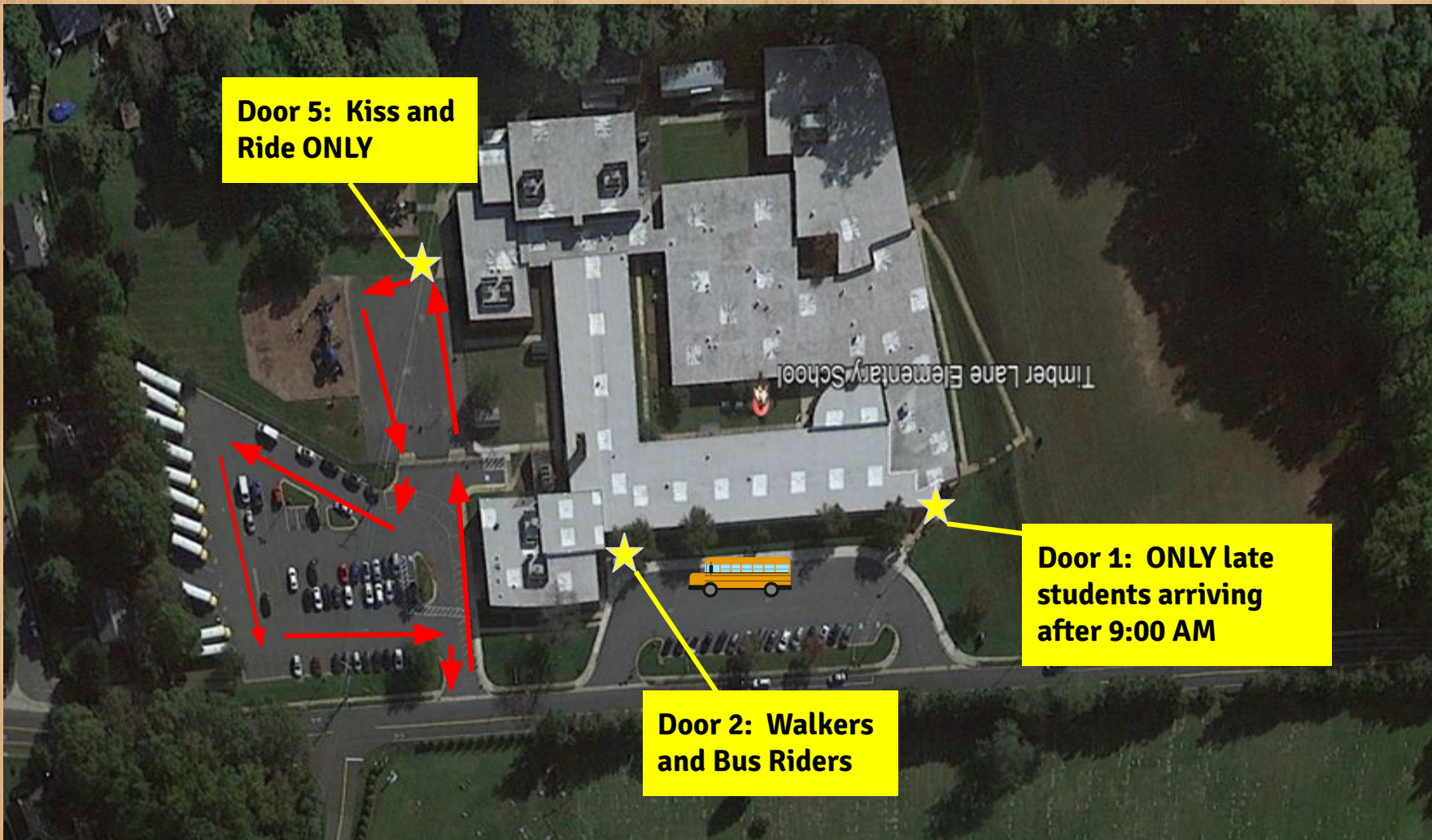
- ADULTS MUST BE AT THE BUS STOP WITH KINDERGARTNERS IN THE MORNING AND MEET THEM AFTER SCHOOL AT THE BUS STOP
- ADULTS SUPERVISE STUDENTS IN THE MORNING AND TEACHERS TAKE BUS RIDERS TO THEIR BUSES AFTER SCHOOL
- BUS ROUTES WILL BE PUBLISHED IN THE FALL
- WE ENCOURAGE BUS RIDERS TO USE THE BUS INSTEAD OF CARS



Door 5: Kiss and Ride ONLY

Door 1: ONLY late students arriving after 9:00 AM

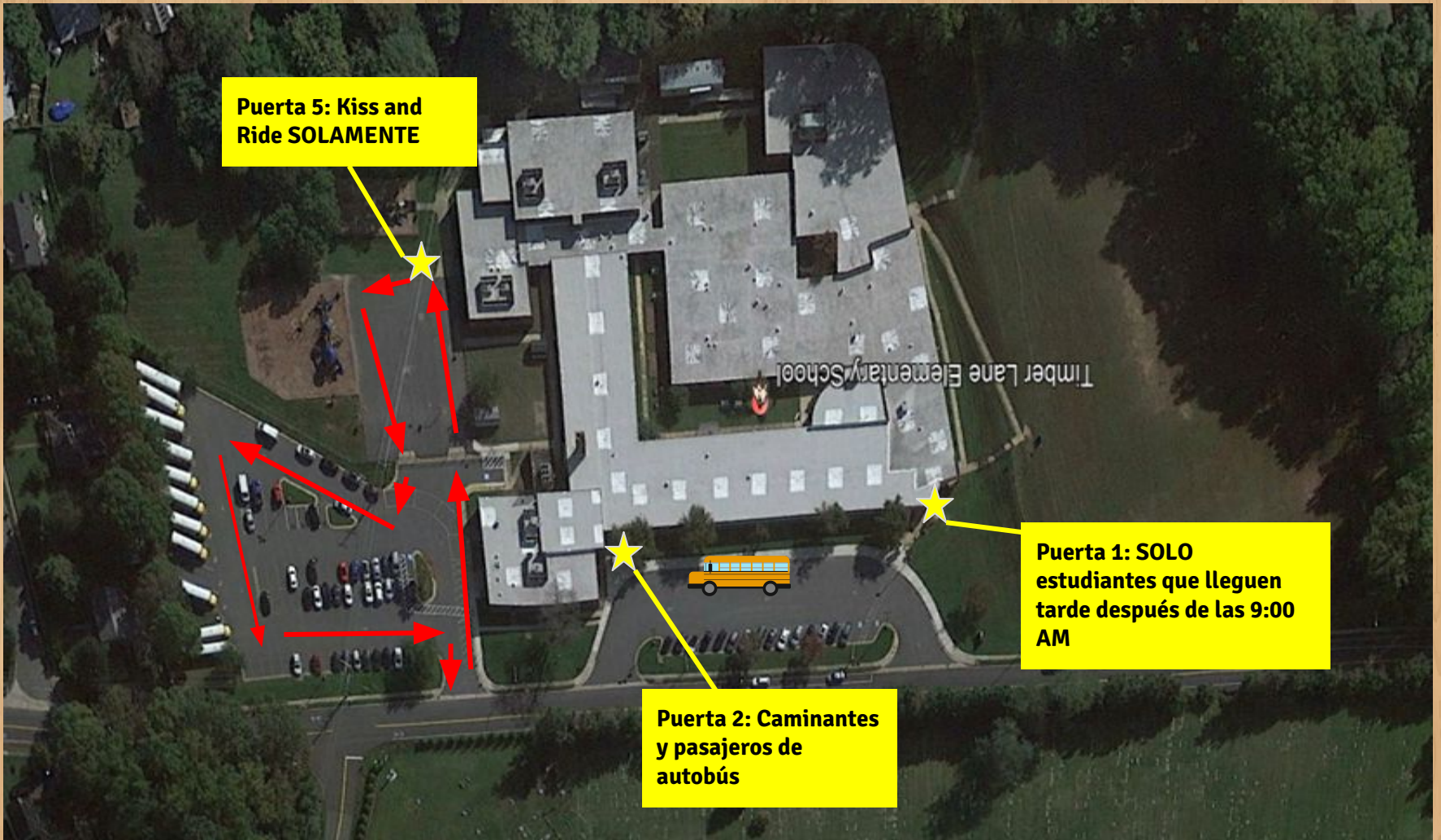
Door 2: Walkers and Bus Riders



Puerta 5: Kiss and Ride SOLAMENTE

Puerta 1: SOLO estudiantes que lleguen tarde después de las 9:00 AM

Puerta 2: Caminantes y pasajeros de autobús



EATING AT SCHOOL

- WE EAT BREAKFAST, LUNCH, AND SNACK IN KINDERGARTEN
 - WE HAVE FREE, UNIVERSAL BREAKFAST AVAILABLE TO ALL
- WE NEED TO KNOW IF YOUR CHILD HAS FOOD ALLERGIES, IS A VEGETARIAN, OR AVOIDS FOODS FOR RELIGIOUS REASONS. PUT THIS INFORMATION ON THE HEALTH CARE FORM
- CHILDREN MAY BRING LUNCH FROM HOME OR BUY A LUNCH IN THE CAFETERIA. YOU MAY PAY IN ADVANCE BY CASH, CHECK, OR ONLINE USING MY SCHOOL BUCKS

LUNCH



- ADULTS HELP THE CHILDREN THROUGH THE LUNCH LINE
- INSTRUCTIONAL ASSISTANTS STAY IN THE CAFETERIA DURING LUNCH
- WE WILL HELP YOUR CHILD LEARN THEIR PIN NUMBER
- WE HAVE A FANTASTIC SALAD BAR AVAILABLE DAILY
- A STUDENT LUNCH IS \$3.25
- GO TO www.MySchoolBucks.com TO ADD MONEY TO YOUR CHILD'S ACCOUNT
- YOU CAN APPLY FOR FREE AND REDUCED LUNCH-DO IT EARLY-IT TAKES A WHILE TO PROCESS

SNACK



- WE EAT SNACK IN THE KINDERGARTEN ROOMS
- CHILDREN MAY HAVE WATER BOTTLES
- PLEASE SEND A HEALTHY SNACK FOR YOUR CHILD
 - *ONE ITEM IS ENOUGH

KEEPING ACTIVE

- WE DO NOT NAP IN KINDERGARTEN
- WE DO BALANCE ACTIVE AND QUIET LEARNING TIMES



RECESS



- WE GO OUT EVERY DAY
UNLESS THE PLAYGROUND IS
UNSAFE DUE TO WEATHER
CONDITIONS
- WE DO GO OUT IN THE HEAT
- WE DO GO OUT IN THE COLD
- TEACHERS WATCH THE
CHILDREN

HEALTH ROOM

- IF CHILDREN DO NOT FEEL WELL WE CAN TAKE THEM TO THE HEALTH ROOM
- THIS IS ALSO WHERE ANY MEDICATION IS STORED



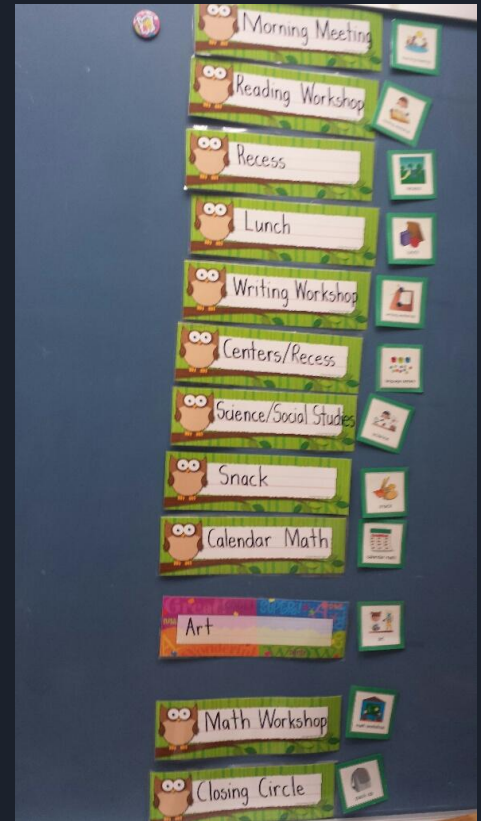
BATHROOM

- THERE ARE BATHROOMS IN EVERY KINDERGARTEN CLASSROOM
- PLEASE SEND EXTRA CLOTHES FOR YOUR CHILD TO KEEP IN HIS/HER BACKPACK
 - *PLEASE LABEL ALL OF YOUR CHILD'S ITEMS
- SEND YOUR CHILD TO SCHOOL IN CLOTHES THAT ALLOW INDEPENDENT USE OF THE BATHROOM



A TYPICAL DAY

- THE KINDERGARTEN DAY INCLUDES WHOLE GROUP INSTRUCTION, SMALL GROUP INSTRUCTION, AND INDEPENDENT WORK
- TIMBER LANE HAS A LITERACY FOCUS THAT INCLUDES OUR KINDERGARTNERS
- TASKS ARE DIFFERENTIATED TO MEET EACH CHILD'S LEARNING NEEDS



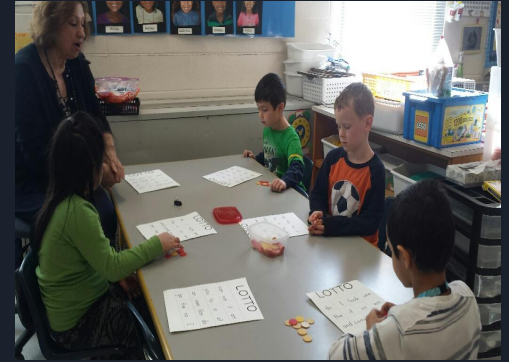
WHOLE GROUP INSTRUCTION



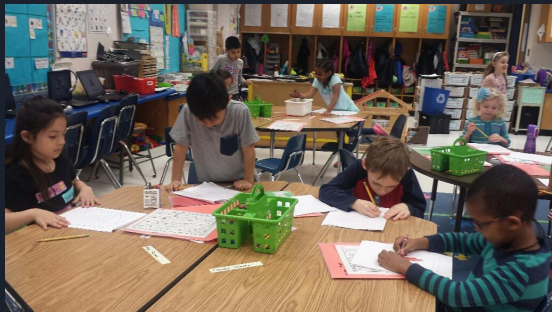
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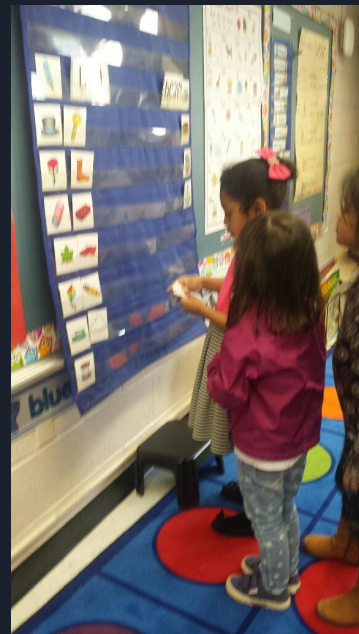
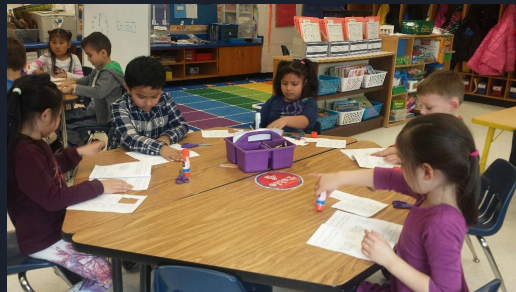
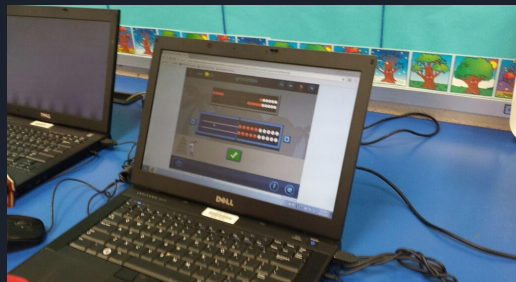
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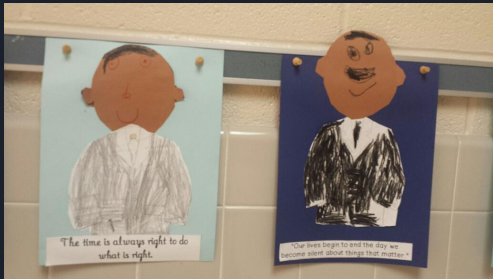
WRITER'S WORKSHOP



WORK TIME: MATH



SCIENCE AND SOCIAL STUDIES

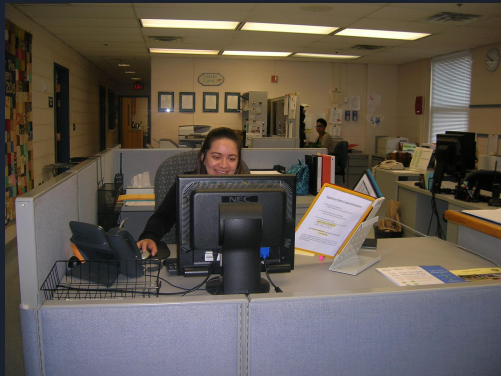


SPECIALS:

- PE
- MUSIC
- LIBRARY
- GUIDANCE
- ART
- ADVANCED ACADEMICS

VISITING SCHOOL

- YOU MAY JOIN YOUR CHILD FOR LUNCH
- WE ENCOURAGE PARENT VOLUNTEERS
- PLEASE COME IN DOOR # 1 TO THE OFFICE AND SIGN IN



HOW CAN PARENTS GET INVOLVED?

- JOIN THE PTA
- VOLUNTEER IN YOUR CHILD'S CLASSROOM
- VOLUNTEER IN SCHOOL (LIBRARY, OFFICE)
- TAKE PART IN SCHOOL ACTIVITIES
- READ TO AND WITH YOUR CHILD
- TALK WITH YOUR CHILD ABOUT THEIR DAY



THANK YOU FOR COMING!

Welcome to

KINDERGARTEN

We are so excited
you are here!



Q & A TIME

