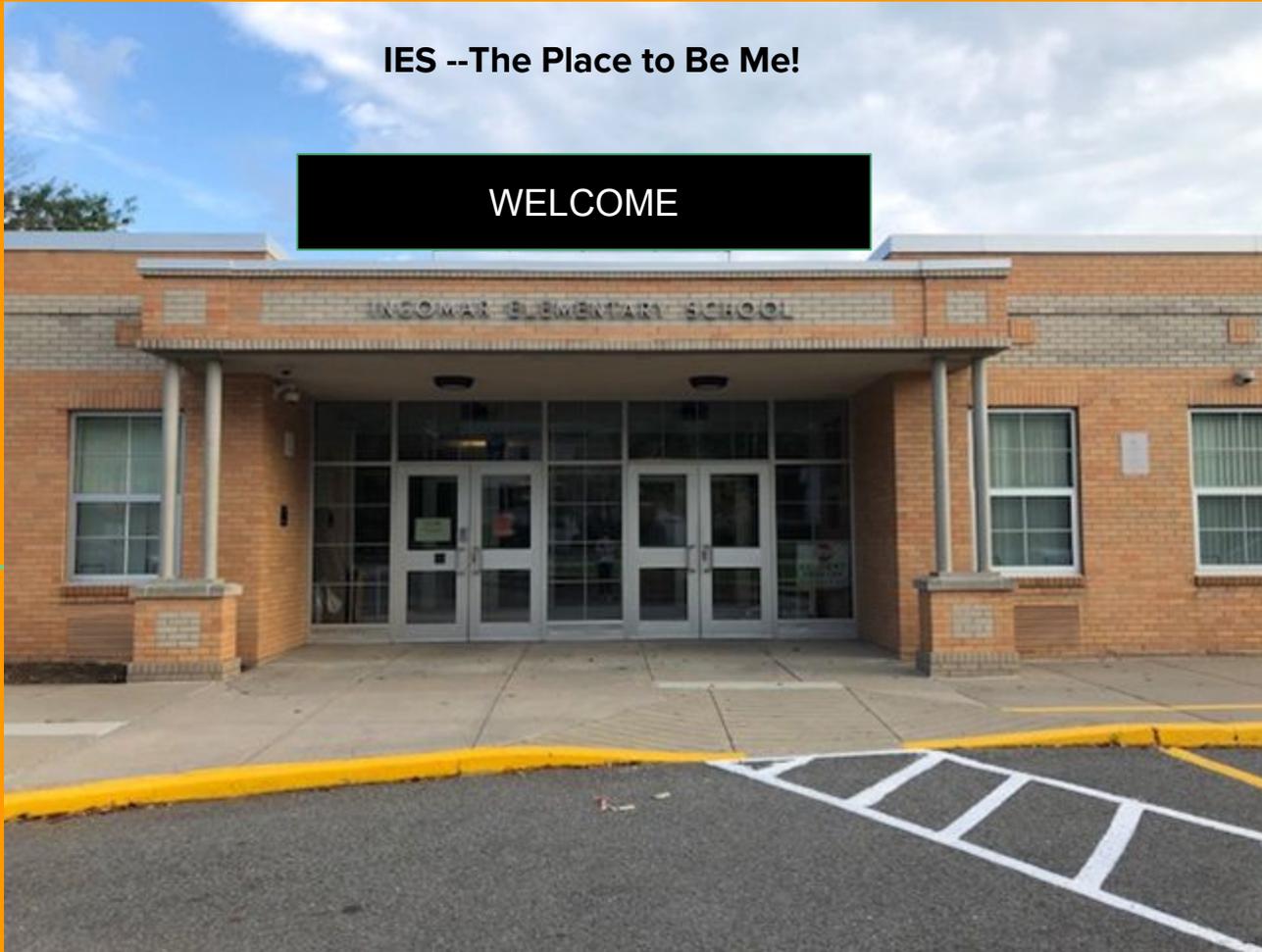


IES --The Place to Be Me!

WELCOME



Agenda

Welcome New Families!

Students and parents meet in the library from 10:00-10:15.

10:15-10:35

Students	Parents
Group 1 Student tour IES with Mrs. <u>Figan</u>	Group 2 Parents will tour IES with Mr. <u>Myler</u>
Group 2 Outside Activity with Mrs. <u>Sweeney</u>	Group 1 library with Dr. <u>Michalowski</u> /Mrs. <u>Meder</u>

10:40-11:00

Students	Parents
Group 1 Outside Activity with Mrs. <u>Sweeney</u>	Group 2 library with Dr. <u>Michalowski</u> /Mrs. <u>Meder</u>
Group 2 Students tour IES with Mrs. <u>Figan</u>	Group 1 Parents will tour IES with Mr. <u>Myler</u>

All meet on the playground at 11:00 am.

Grade Level Configurations

Grade Level	Number of Sections	Teacher's Names
Kindergarten (49)	3 2 AM and 1 PM	Mrs. Fischer Mrs. King
1st (53)	3	Mrs. Smith 1A Mrs. Lyle 1B TBD 1C
2nd (60)	3	Mrs. Kleckner 2A Mrs. Siliano 2B Mrs. Zabinski 2C
3rd (61)	2	Mr Mounts 3A Mrs. Nelson 3B Mr. Myler 3C
4th (46)	2	Mrs. Walsh 4A (ELA/SS/SC) Mrs. Szott 4B (Math/SS/SC)
5th (67)	3	Mrs. Dietz 5A (Math) Mrs. Kucyk 5B (ELA) Mrs. Scott 5C (SC/SS)

Total Enrollment=336

What Does My Day Look Like?

Get Up and Get Ready to Come to IES!!!!!!

1. Homeroom
2. ELA (Reading, Writing, Spelling, Grammar)
3. Social Studies/Science
4. Lunch/Recess (Walking Taco, Pizza, Baked Potato, Chicken Patty, Pack)
5. Math
6. Special (Art, Library, Health and PE, Music)
7. MTSS W-I-N (What I Need)

Grade 3 -Orchestra

Grade 4,5 -Band, Orchestra, or Chorus

THE BIG QUESTIONS!!!!!!!!!!!!

- 1.) **When will I get my homeroom assignment? Parents can log into Tyler on Friday, August 13.**
- 2.) **When will I know my bus#? Information should be emailed by Thursday, August 19 unless otherwise communicated by the district.**
- 3.) **How will I find my homeroom? There will be adults helping everyone the first day and everyday.**
- 4.) **What will I eat at lunch and do at recess? You can buy lunch or pack. Kids play kickball, soccer, basketball, jump rope, use chalk, play on the equipment, and walk around. Contact sports are not permitted --we want to keep everyone safe.**

Mission and Vision

“The mission of the North Allegheny School District is to prepare all students for success in a changing world.”

“The vision of the North Allegheny School District is to be a premier school district that inspires excellence in academics, athletics, arts, and activities for every student every day.

Grade Level Configurations

Math Block (60-70 minutes)

- Rocket Math/Reflex Math
- Pre-Assessments/Flexible Grouping

ELA (75-90 minutes)

- Reading, Writing, Spelling, & Grammar

MTSS

- Kindergarten/1st 30 min up to 4x a week
- Grades 2-5 30-40 min up to 4x a week

Lunch/Recess

- 30 minutes each

Science

- (30 min @ 4x/week or 45 min @ 3x/week)

Social Studies

- (30 min @ 4x/week or 45 min @ 3x/week)

Special Area Classes on Rotation

- Music, Art, Library, & Physical Education
- Integrated Art (Monday)

Musical Performance Groups

- Chorus (4th & 5th)
- Band (4th & 5th)
- Orchestra (3rd, 4th, & 5th)



School Lunches

Students will be given a student identification number, which will be used as their point of sale PIN. Students enter the ID# into a keypad (assistance is provided).

Students may pay in cash for their lunches/snacks; however, it is recommended that they add money to their account from which to deduct to prevent lost or stolen money.

- You may place in envelope with “Cafeteria” on it.
- This year lunches are free until further notice.

Elementary School Lunch Price: \$2.45

[Food Services](#)

[PaySchools Central](#)



Pawsitive Behavior Think Sheet

IES PAWS-itive Behavior Think Sheet



*Be Responsible

*Be Respectful

*Be Kind



P	Please be responsible, respectful, and kind by: following school and classroom expectations.
A	Always be responsible, respectful, and kind by: coming to school with a positive attitude, ready to learn.
W	We must be responsible, respectful, and kind by: keeping our hands and feet to ourselves.
S	Show responsible, respectful, and kind behavior by: saying positive comments to others.



NAME _____ HOMEROOM: _____ DATE: _____

1. I chose to

2. Next time I will

3. I can make things better by

*Adult at school helping me _____
Signature

*Adult at home helping me _____
Signature

Additional Notes:

Drop-Off and Dismissal

The building does not open to students until 8:45.
K-2 drop-off in the side parking lot by Bellcrest.
Dismissal

Parents coming to pick a child up prior to 3:15 for an early dismissal, MUST report to the office before 3:15 p.m. and adhere to the office policy of signing students out and waiting for their child to meet them in the main office. Under no circumstances are parents/guardians permitted to go directly to the classrooms or bus lines.

Parents, who will be picking their children up regularly or semi-regularly, will be assigned a number and provided with a corresponding school sign for their vehicle students to their vehicles. Please be patient as a monitor may check ID in cases where the monitor is unfamiliar with the person picking a student up from school.

Parents will be directed to stay in their cars and follow a traffic pattern (below) to circle around the block, pulling through the lower lot to alleviate any jams on the main roadways and prevent parents with small children from having to take them out of their vehicles. Parents will not be permitted into the foyer at the end of the day. This procedure will replace the need for individuals to be inside the school building, creating a more controlled dismissal environment.



- Cars should drive down Bellcrest Road, turn right on Ridge Road and then right on Crossick Road. Please be mindful to NOT block driveways on Crossick located by red box with XXXX.
- Wait on the corner of the road marked in blue box A. A staff member will allow cars to enter and move to the blue box with B.
- A staff member will assist your child to get to your car.
- We are hopeful to get 10 cars into the parking lot and quickly load students. Please be prepared to buckle your child/step in and pull out. We will then allow another 10 cars to enter and load.
- If your child is late, we may ask you to pull into a spot allowing other cars to move through the line.
- Walkers will be reunited with parents by the tree located by the blue box marked with an A.

[Volunteer Clearances](#) [\(click\)](#)

- Classroom
- After School Activities
- Special Events (Field Day, Library)
- Assemblies

[PTO](#) [\(click\)](#)

- Please join the PTO to stay current with IES information.

iPad and Technology

- New Students K-5 will receive a school issued iPad and attend a “Boot Camp” during school.
- Policies and procedures, expectations, parent/student sign-off, and the option to purchase insurance will be sent home via email.
- Blackboard is the platform used K-12. Students will be taught to login and use the platform. Any Remote Learning will occur in this platform.

[Blackboard](#)



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School Counseling

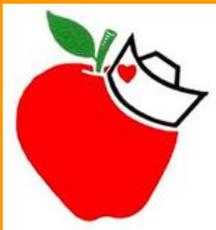


Elementary Student Assistance Program

Mrs. Sweeney oversees the program. Trained faculty members, school counselor, administrator, and the school nurse work with parents to develop goals to support a student's behavioral needs.

The purpose is to identify, refer, and support students who experience barriers to learning. Working alongside parents we create a plan of action and implement strategies to help the student meet with success.





Health Office

Mrs. Brianna Meder, CSN, BSN, EMT-B

412-369-2802

Bmeder@northallegheny.org



Support Nurse

Kirsten Nelson



Health Office

School Nurse

Briana Meder

BMeder@northalleghey.org

- Immunizations
- Dental/ Physical Forms
- Health Screenings (Hearing, Vision, Height, Weight)
- Medication Policy
- 24 Hour Rule (fever, vomiting)
- Covid Protocol

Classroom Lessons:

KG-5--Healthy Habits

1st Grade--Hand Washing

2nd Grade--Dental Talks

3rd Grade --Hygiene

4th and 5th Grade --Human Growth & Development

5th Grade--HGD & Bloodborne Pathogens

<u>Immunizations</u>	
4 doses	Tetanus, <u>Diphtheria</u> , and acellular Pertussis (1 dose on or after the 4th birthday)
4 doses	Polio (1 dose on or after 4th birthday, and 6 months after previous dose given)
2 doses	Measles
2 doses	Mumps
2 doses	Rubella
3 doses	Hepatitis B
2 doses	Varicella - **or a written statement from physician/designee indicating month and year of disease or serologic proof of immunity

Communication

- [North Allegheny Website](#)

[IES Website](#)

[Parents](#)

[Back to School](#)

[IES PTO](#)

[Inklings](#) (Weekly Email)

*Please always update email

- Email (usually quick, but it can take up to 24 hours)
- IES Phone Front Office 412-366-9665 (Mrs. Kelly Yatcko)

Dates to Remember



- Kindergarten Orientation, August 12 at 9 am and 1 pm
- First Day of School, Monday, August 23
- Curriculum Night, Thursday, August 19 --Grades K-1 starting at 6:30 pm
- Curriculum Night, Thursday, September 9 --Grades 2-3 from 6:30 pm
- IES PTO Meeting, Friday, September 10 at 9:30 am (at IES)
- IES Back to School Social, Friday, September 10 starting at 6:30 pm-8:00 pm
- Curriculum Night, Monday, September 13--Grades 4-5 starting at 6:30 pm

Return to School

Please continue to visit the website for answers to questions and updated information regarding Covid-19.

[NA Website](#)

Thank You!