

Crocker/Riverside Elementary School



Friday, December 20th
Ugly Sweater Day!

It's the season...
**TO ROCK
UGLY
SWEATERS**



Parent Newsletter

Dear Parents/Guardians,

Wishing you and your family a new year of peace, prosperity and wellness. The following information is for your January calendar and planning.

2020/2021 Kindergarten Registration

Tuesday, January 14th – Tuesday, January 28, 2020

(For more info. registration requirements see attached flyers)

MARTIN
LUTHER
KING JR.

Day



Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Day

NO SCHOOL

Monday, January 20, 2020



Kindergarten Tours

February 5th & February 13th 9:30 am

February 3rd & February 11th 1:30 pm

No appointment necessary, just check into the school office. We ask that you do not bring children.



SCHOOL YEARBOOK

We Need Your Pictures for the School Yearbook!



Have you been taking pictures this school year of class projects, activities, parties, field trips, etc.? **Mrs. Kang (aka Debbie) in the school office needs your pictures!** Pictures can be given to Mrs. Kang on a CD or flash drive. Just bring your pictures to the school office and she will download the pictures and return your CD or flash drive. The yearbook is due at the end of March, so please send in your pictures ASAP as she needs to start working on the yearbook. The more pictures we have the better the yearbook will turn out. Thank you.



The parking lot is for **STAFF ONLY!!**

- Do not drive, bike or walk through the parking lot.
- Walk on sidewalks *not* through the parking lot.
- Use the crosswalk. **DO NOT JAYWALK.**
- Drop and Go zone in front of school. **Keep moving!**
No parked cars: you can be ticketed.



- **PLEASE BE COURTEOUS TO OUR NEIGHBOR'S. DON'T PULL INTO/BLOCK DRIVEWAYS OR MOVE THEIR GARBAGE CANS, FIND ANOTHER PLACE TO PARK!!**
- Red zone for school buses only!



Thank you for setting a good example for all our students by being considerate and thoughtful of others and keeping our neighborhood and school safe for everyone.

School Lunch Menus



The lunch menu can be found on our school webpage www.crockerriverside.org. You can also go to the District's website at www.scusd.edu. Click on the following: Parent/Student, Student Online Tools and scroll down to Nutrition & Menus and then Menus.



FREE Breakfast Program

Our school provides a FREE Breakfast Program for all students. Our school cafeteria serves FREE breakfast every morning starting at 8:15 a.m. You do not need to sign your student up for the program, just send your student to the cafeteria to eat a healthy breakfast to get a good jump on the start of their day!



24-Hour Absence Recording Line 916-395-4535, press 1

It's flu season! If your child is sick, please keep them at home. Anytime your child will not be at school for any reason, please and call our 24-hour Absence Recording Line at 916-395-4535, press 1 to leave a message with your child's name, teacher, the reason for the absence and how many days they will be out of school.

If your child has a fever (100 degrees or higher), please keep them at home. No one should return to school until they have had no fever for 24 hours without the use of a fever-reducing medicine, even if they feel better. Thank you.

Crocker/Riverside 2019-2020 School Calendar of Events
Please check web page for updates www.crockerriverside.org.



Principal's Corner (December 2019/January 2020):

This time of the school year always seems to pass much too quickly. With holiday parties, gift exchanging, anticipation for Winter Break, and cooling weather, it can be a challenge to focus on school. We appreciate everyone's efforts and generosity and like our students, we are looking forward to a long Winter Break. We are also looking forward to a return from Winter Break, the start of a new decade, and the promise of a new year that includes incredible academic and physical growth in our students.



Many thanks for the students and family involvement in our Book Fair last week, and especially to our parents who coordinated this event. It was incredibly successful, adding books to the school and classroom libraries and continuing to help foster a love for books in our students.

As our 6th graders continue their preparations for a March 2020 trip to Alliance Redwoods, we want to remind their families to get their payments in if they haven't already done so. Thank you to those who have indicated their desire to serve as a chaperone on the trip. Your willingness to allow us to disrupt your week for the trip makes this adventure possible.

Kindergarten registration begins shortly after we return from Winter Break. It is being handled on a first come, first served basis, in the auditorium beginning at 9:30am on Tuesday, January 14th. Those who prefer can do their registration at the District's Enrollment Center, beginning at 8am on January 14th.

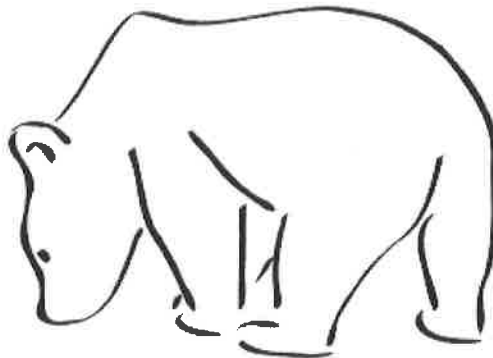
The Open Enrollment period for grades K-7, which includes our 6th graders looking to open enroll for middle school, is February 4th-February 18th. This is handled completely online through the school district website (www.scusd.edu).

We will also be considering permits for those who reside outside our school's attendance boundary area for next year's 4th and 5th grade classes. If you know of any interested families, please have them contact me at their convenience.

Here's wishing your family a Happy Holidays and a Happy New Year! Go Cubs!

All the best,

Mr. McCord





Crocker/Riverside

ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

Dear Parents,

First, *thank you* for your support of Crocker/Riverside in 2019. In the first four months of the school year, the Fall Carnival and Jog-a-Thon both met or exceeded their goals, Mixed Bag raised over \$5,000, and the Annual Fund is well on its way to our \$30,000 target. PTO finances are healthy and we have already deployed more than \$50,000 to support classroom enrichment, field trips, and significant purchases like the new hydration station and new A/V equipment in the classrooms. We will be uploading the most recent financial update to our website at www.crockerriverside.org/pto. Our goal is to put every dollar raised back into the Crocker/Riverside community in support of our students, teachers and families. We are deeply grateful for your financial support.

Additionally, our many volunteers are crucial to putting on school events, fundraisers and docent programs. We can't thank you enough. To make your lives easier, we have made an effort this year to improve our disbursements and reimbursement process so vendors are paid promptly and parents and teachers do not have to go out of pocket (at least for very long) to support PTO initiatives. Following are a few tips for event leaders and volunteers regarding reimbursements:

- The check request / reimbursement online form can be found at: www.crockerriverside.org/post/check-requestreimbursement-information (or just search for "reimbursements").
- Please fill out the form completely, including the amount, use of funds, payment deadline, mailing address, and when possible reference the appropriate budget item.
- When uploading receipts, it is *much* more convenient if these can be included in a single document. (We realize this is not always possible.) PDFs are best, but we can also review photos of receipts.
- If you need vendor checks sent, please get invoices in as early as possible ahead of the event. Especially if timing is tight, it is also helpful to give us a heads up by email at PTOreimbursements@gmail.com or just send me a text at 415-867-2968.

We are always looking to improve, so please feel free to send any suggestions and comments by email, or reach out a PTO Board member. As Bryan and Anna have noted in the past, everyone in the Crocker/Riverside community is a member of the PTO, so we work for you and your students.

Best wishes for a happy and healthy 2020!

Sincerely,

Jeff Marks
PTO Treasurer





Crocker/Riverside Elementary School

2020/2021



Kindergarten Registration Information

Registration Packets can be picked up in the school office beginning January 9th between the hours of 8:00 am and 3:30 pm



CROCKER/RIVERSIDE ELEMENTARY WILL ONLY BE REGISTERING NEIGHBORHOOD STUDENTS

*The District Enrollment Center will be processing kindergarten registrations packets if the school site registration hours do not work with your schedule, beginning at **8:00 a.m. on Tuesday, January 14, 2020.***

Their hours of operation are M-W (8am-3pm), Th (11am-6pm) & F (8am-11am).

REGISTRATION PACKETS WILL BE PROCESSED IN THE SCHOOL OFFICE BETWEEN THE HOURS OF 9:30 A.M. - 12:00 P.M. ONLY MONDAY - FRIDAY DURING JANUARY 14TH - JANUARY 28TH.

Please do not come early as the office is very busy before 9:30 a.m. Thank you.

Please note that Crocker/Riverside and the District Enrollment Center will be CLOSED on Monday, January 20th in observance of the Martin Luther King Jr. Holiday.

- In accordance with SCUSD policy, a student must be born on or before September 1, 2015 to qualify for kindergarten enrollment for the fall of 2020. (Your child must be 5 years old by September 1, 2020.)
- ****Registration will take place on a first come, first served basis. Each completed registration packet is date and time stamped, regardless of where the registration occurs at the school site or at the Enrollment Center. While we do not anticipate being overenrolled, though it is a possibility.**
- Students registering after the 10-day window (January 28, 2020) will have to register their child at the Enrollment Center located at 5601 47th Avenue, Sacramento, CA 95824.
- Please note that only a parent or legal guardian can register a child for school.

Kindergarten Visitation Days:

February 5th & 13th at 9:30 am and February 3rd & 11th at 1:30 pm.

No appointment necessary, check into the school office. You will be provided information and visit the Kindergarten Classrooms on the above dates and times only (no children please).



GRADE	NUMBER OF DOSES REQUIRED OF EACH IMMUNIZATION ^{1, 2, 3}				
K-12 Admission	4 Polio⁴	5 DTaP⁵	3 Hep B⁶	2 MMR⁷	2 Varicella
(7th-12th)⁸		1 Tdap			
7th Grade Advancement^{9,10}		1 Tdap⁸			2 Varicella¹⁰

- Requirements for K-12 admission also apply to transfer pupils.
- Combination vaccines (e.g., MMRV) meet the requirements for individual component vaccines. Doses of DTP count towards the DTaP requirement.
- Any vaccine administered four or fewer days prior to the minimum required age is valid.
- Three doses of polio vaccine meet the requirement if one dose was given on or after the fourth birthday.
- Four doses of DTaP meet the requirement if at least one dose was given on or after the fourth birthday. Three doses meet the requirement if at least one dose of Tdap, DTaP, or DTP vaccine was given on or after the 7th birthday. One or two doses of Td vaccine given on or after the seventh birthday count towards the requirement.
- For seventh grade admission, refer to Health and Safety Code section 120335, subdivision (c).
- Two doses of measles, two doses of mumps, and one dose of rubella vaccine meet the requirement, separately or combined. Only doses administered on or after the first birthday meet the requirement.
- For 7th-12th graders, at least one dose of pertussis-containing vaccine is required on or after the seventh birthday.
- For children in ungraded schools, pupils 12 years and older are subject to the seventh grade advancement requirements.
- The varicella requirement for seventh grade advancement expires after June 30, 2025.

DTaP/Tdap = diphtheria toxoid, tetanus toxoid, and acellular pertussis vaccine

Hep B = hepatitis B vaccine

MMR = measles, mumps, and rubella vaccine

Varicella = chickenpox vaccine

INSTRUCTIONS:

California schools are required to check immunization records for all new student admissions at TK /Kindergarten through 12th grade and all students advancing to 7th grade before entry.

UNCONDITIONALLY ADMIT a pupil whose parent or guardian has provided documentation of any of the following for each immunization required for the pupil's age or grade as defined in table above:

- Receipt of immunization.
- A permanent medical exemption in accordance with 17 CCR section 6051.
- A personal beliefs exemption (filed prior to 2016) in accordance with Health and Safety Code section 120335.

CONDITIONALLY ADMIT any pupil who lacks documentation for unconditional admission if the pupil has:

- Commenced receiving doses of all the vaccines required for the pupil's grade (table above) and is not currently due for any doses at the time of admission (as determined by intervals listed in Conditional Admission Schedule, column entitled "EXCLUDE IF NOT GIVEN BY"), or
- A temporary medical exemption from some or all required immunizations (17 CCR section 6050).

CONDITIONAL ADMISSION SCHEDULE FOR GRADES K-12

Before admission a child must obtain the first dose of each required vaccine and any subsequent doses that are due because the period of time allowed before exclusion has elapsed.

DOSE	EARLIEST DOSE MAY BE GIVEN	EXCLUDE IF NOT GIVEN BY
Polio #2	4 weeks after 1st dose	8 weeks after 1st dose
Polio #3	4 weeks after 2nd dose	12 months after 2nd dose
Polio #4¹	6 months after 3rd dose	12 months after 3rd dose
DTaP #2	4 weeks after 1st dose	8 weeks after 1st dose
DTaP #3²	4 weeks after 2nd dose	8 weeks after 2nd dose
DTaP #4	6 months after 3rd dose	12 months after 3rd dose
DTaP #5	6 months after 4th dose	12 months after 4th dose
Hep B #2	4 weeks after 1st dose	8 weeks after 1st dose
Hep B #3	8 weeks after 2nd dose	12 months after 2nd dose and at least 4 months after 1st dose
MMR #2	4 weeks after 1st dose	4 months after 1st dose
Varicella #2	Age less than 13 years: 3 months after 1st dose	4 months after 1st dose
	Age 13 years and older: 4 weeks after 1st dose	8 weeks after 1st dose

1. Three doses of polio vaccine meet the requirement if one dose was given on or after the fourth birthday.
2. If DTaP #3 is the final required dose, DTaP #3 should be given at least six months after DTaP #2, and pupils should be excluded if not given by 12 months after second dose. Three doses meet the requirement if at least one dose of Tdap, DTaP, or DTP vaccine was given on or after the seventh birthday. One or two doses of Td vaccine given on or after the seventh birthday count towards the requirement.

Continued attendance after conditional admission is contingent upon documentation of receipt of the remaining required immunizations. The school shall:

- review records of any pupil admitted conditionally to a school at least every 30 days from the date of admission,
- inform the parent or guardian of the remaining required vaccine doses until all required immunizations are received or an exemption is filed, and
- update the immunization information in the pupil's record.

For a pupil **transferring** from another school in the United States whose immunization record has not been received by the new school at the time of admission, the school may admit the child for up to 30 school days. If the immunization record has not been received at the end of this period, the school shall exclude the pupil until the parent or guardian provides documentation of compliance with the requirements.

