

Zach Elementary School

School Motto: Together We Inspire

School Mission: We commit to do our best to encourage, inspire and meet each child's needs.

School Vision: Ensure high levels of learning for all students.

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Please "LIKE" us on Facebook! We make positive and celebratory posts and comments. It's a fun way to learn about the awesome happenings at your child's school.

Go to <https://zac.psd.schools.org/> for up-to-date information on all aspects of our school!

July 29th-31st

School Start Info

Our first day of school will be August 24, 2020. For two weeks, in-person school will be half days, 8:15am-11:53am. Your child will attend on the assigned A/B day. No remote learning will take place during these two weeks. This time is dedicated just to re-orienting students to school culture, and baseline assessments.

Masks

All students, staff, and school visitors are required to wear masks inside the building. Students can bring their own, we also will have enough for each student.

Schedule

Please stay tuned for upcoming information about our schedule. AM drop off and PM pickup will look a little different than in previous years. No parents are allowed on campus inside the gates at any time before, during, or after school. Your child will be assigned an entry door based on their grade level. The playground and fields will be closed before and after school.

Special Events and Meetings

For first semester, Zach will not be holding any field trips, large group meetings or activities. Eco Week is cancelled, Family Festival is cancelled, and PTO/SAC meetings/Back to School Nights will be virtual.

A/B Days

We are compiling all A/B group change requests at this time and will notify parents of changes we are able to accommodate as we get closer to the start of school. As we consider requests, we have to ensure moving a student's group does not compromise health requirements and class size limits for students and any siblings at other schools as well. Families with older siblings on different schedules, will be given top priority in the review process. We will communicate final group assignments as soon as we are able. If you have a request of change the A/B day of your child, please email taisha@psdschools.org by August 6 by 6pm. No late requests will be reviewed.

Grade Retainment

Zach is not accepting any requests for students to be retained in their prior grade level. We understand this may not align with some families wishes, but we are confident in our ability to provided documented interventions that work. After last spring, all our students need catchup we assume, and we are re-aligning our curriculum sequence to adjust and meet student needs. We will not retain any child that wasn't scheduled to be retained prior to March 13, 2020.

SAC

If you would like to serve on our school's School Accountability Committee, please email taisha@psdschools.org by Aug 12. Our SAC is a group of parents and staff that review school data, State plan, finances, and operating policies. We meet 4-5 times a year. The first semester meetings will be virtual.