RISE Learning Center

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The Rocket Report

We are pleased to say the beginning of this school year has started out strong! Students and staff are glad to be back in school and are settling in nicely. Please keep in mind the procedures we have in place to keep everyone here healthy. We will call for you to pick up your student



from school if your student exhibits two (2) or more symptoms related to Covid-19. Our re-entry policy is stated on the back page of this newsletter. Please also see page 3 for our new procedures for pick-up and dropoff of students. See more information on our website, riselearningcenter.org.



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School fees can now be paid by credit or debit card. You can pay in person at the Front Office or call Teresa at 789-1622 to pay over the phone!

Work hard, be kind and amazing things will happen. ~ Conan O'Brien

THE MOBILE

DENTIST IS

COMING

to RISE On Nov. 2nd.

Forms will be sent home in October.



Picture Day is October 23rd!



Information will sent home at the beginning of October. FYI...Payment MUST be online this year!

Drop off/Pick-up Procedures:

If you are dropping off or picking up a student, you will need to:

- 1. Park at
- ~ Door #3 (Behavior Education Classrooms) OR
- ~ Door #9 (MOVE and Lifeskills Classrooms)

and

2. Call the front office at 317/789-1621 announcing your arrival. Stay in your car and a staff member will escort your student.

**We do not release students during the last 30 minutes of



school for safety reasons as busses are arriving. If you need to pick up early, please be sure it is before 2:00 (1:30 on Wednesdays) and follow the above procedure. We ask for every family fill out a **Perry Township lunch form**, even if your child does not currently eat lunch at RISE.

If enough of our students qualify for a free or reduced lunch, we will continue to be able to provide breakfast for our students free of charge. Please note the following is our Re-Entry Policy for coming back to school:

If your student is sent home sick with symptoms of Covid-19 or is absent due to illness, we will need one of the following three things before they are able to return to school:

1.Student needs to be physically seen by a provider who states that the child has been diagnosed with a NON-COVID illness and that the provider believes it's appropriate for the child to return to school. Notes need be faxed to 317-780-4268 or emailed to our school nurse, Tina <u>tbessenbach@riselearningcenter.org</u>.

OR

2.Student would need to be tested for Covid-19 and provide school with documentation from your provider of a negative test. Exception: a known close contact (within 6 feet of a confirmed case for more than 15 minutes) must complete a 14 day quarantine, even if test results are negative for Covid-19.

OR

3.Student needs to isolate at home for at least 10 days AND go 24 hours fever-free without the use of medication AND have a reduction in symptoms.

Note: QUARANTINE keeps someone who was in close contact with someone who has COVID-19 away from others. ISOLATION keeps someone who is sick or tested positive for COVID-19 without symptoms away from others, even in their own home.

If you or any household member are waiting for a test result, please keep your child at home and alert the school. We are required to help the Indiana State Department of Health with their contact tracing.

These are the current guidelines that have been given to schools by Indiana State Department of Health. More in depth info can be found on our website or by visiting <u>https://www.coronavirus.in.gov/</u>.

If you know your student has preexisting conditions that mimics COVID-19 symptoms (allergies, asthma, IBS, etc), please provide documentation from your provider as soon as possible to help us maintain a healthy school environment.