



HYLEN SOUDERS ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

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UPCOMING IMPORTANT DATES

- August 21:
Meet and Greet Videos Posted
- August 24-28:
Staggered Start
- August 24: VLP students (Grades 1-4)
- August 25: Students with last names A-F
- August 26: Students with last names G-L
- August 27: Students with last names M-R
- August 28: Students with last names S-Z

Dear Souders Parents:

I thought the quote below was quite appropriate. I can assure you we have not mastered the day, but we are remaining flexible. We will continue to adjust as needed to meet your needs. We appreciate your flexibility as well. We won't be seeing a lot of you face to face, but we are here for you. Please reach out via phone, email or Schoology.

Our Souders building leadership team met last week. We discussed a focus for the year. A goal. Something we could accomplish whether we are learning in person or remotely. We chose:

Care. Grow. Connect.

We will work to do those 3 things every week, with every student. Look for more information in newsletters and let us know how we are doing.

Thanks,
Mr. Cox

School Supply List

We're teachers and we know how exciting it is to get all the school supplies ready to go! Please do not stress to get all of the school supplies by the staggered start day! It would be helpful if they had supplies ready to go by the 31st, but again, if not, no worries!

Are you looking for a way that you can make a positive impact in Big Walnut Schools? The district is in high need of substitute custodians and bus drivers. If interested, please visit the job postings at www.bwls.net/EmploymentOpportunities.aspx.

Training will be provided to all substitutes - potential drivers will receive all training necessary to meet licensing requirements for drivers. If you have any questions, please contact Ron McClure at 740-965-8967.

STEM Update:
Due to budget constraints, our elementary specials will unfortunately not include STEM this year. The specials classes will be art, music, and physical education. With the necessary addition of our Virtual Learning Program, we were forced to make the difficult decision to eliminate STEM for this year and use those teachers in our VLP. It is our hope that as our financial situation improves, we will be able to bring this valued program back.

Quote of the Week:
"He who is flexible masters the day."
Todd Stocker

Do to current health concerns, we will NOT have a meet and greet or a curriculum night. Rather teachers will be posting information through Schoology. Please contact our office if you have questions. We welcome feedback on our new format.

SCHOOL EXPENSES

- * School Fees \$55.00/year
- * Full Day Kindergarten Tuition: \$200/month
- * Preschool Tuition: \$180/month
- * Breakfast Cost: Full Price- \$1.50 Reduced Price- \$.30
- * Lunch Cost: Full Price- \$2.75 Reduced Price- \$.40

