

CONRAD SCHOOLS

K-6 FAQ



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First Day of School:

Unfortunately, due to COVID-19, no parents will be allowed on the playground before or after school, including the first day of school. Please help us keep all children safe and healthy by following this expectation. Please drop your child off as close as you can to the commencement bell wearing a mask.

- Utterback @ 8:20

- Meadowlark @ 8:30

- Students will line up at their grade-level door when that bell rings (see map)

Meadowlark

- Kindergarten - Kinder Door (on Sept 8th)
- First Grade - Northwest Door
- Second Grade - 'Recess' Door (SW on playground)
- Third Grade - South Gate on Playground
- Fourth Grade - Main Entry
- Fifth Grade - NW Door (west of main door)
- Sixth Grade - South Door (west of library door)

Supplies:

Student supplies can be brought on the first day of school or throughout the first week to help with the large load. If your family is in need of school supplies, please call Meadowlark at 278-5620 to make an appointment.

Labeling:

PLEASE label all of your child's belongings (coats, gloves, backpack, lunchbox, supplies, even shoes!) We will NOT have a lost and found this year, any items unlabeled will be thrown away if not immediately claimed.

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Visitors/Lunch:

We will not be permitting visitors at any time, including lunch visits. Thank you again for your understanding.

Playground access:

Only students that are in attendance at Conrad Public Schools have access to the playground during the day. Students should not linger after school on the playground and must go directly home. Parents will not be allowed on playground during school hours

After School Program:

Our K-6 programs will tentatively start October 5th. Look for more details to come!

Breakfast:

- Breakfast will be served at students' individual buildings.
Utterback School - Ring in to Front door between 8:00 - 8:15
- served in Multipurpose Room
- Meadowlark School - Ring in to Front door between 8:00 - 8:20 - served in Gymnasium
- We will ask for breakfast count for the following day each morning (i.e. Tuesday morning you would indicate Wednesday morning lunch).

Snack:

Snacks brought to school must be pre-portioned. No homemade snacks can be shared with classmates. We will also be participating in the Fresh Fruit and Vegetables Snack Program three days a week for grades K-6!

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Walk to Math:

Walk to Math will continue at both Meadowlark and Utterback schools, following social-distancing protocols.

Inside Shoes:

Students should have inside shoes to be worn during inside PE and when in the classroom. They should be left at school throughout the year.

Water Bottles:

The school will provide water bottles or students may use their own, as all water fountains will be inaccessible. Students will bring home water bottles on Fridays and they should return to school on Monday clean. Students may also have their own personal water bottle if they prefer.

Face Coverings/Masks:

'Face Covering' is the language that is provided by the state for requirements, it includes gaiters, masks, face shields, etc. A face covering is like any school supply and the parents need to ensure their child comes to school with a clean face covering every day. Face coverings are also a part of the school dress code and must be school appropriate. Students will be able to take off masks when seated and in the classroom where 6ft of social distancing is observed, during physical activity, and while eating.

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Arrival:

All students k-6 must arrive at school with a face covering worn properly. We are encouraging families to drop off children as close to the bell as possible, Utterback @ 8:20 Meadowlark @ 8:30

School Individual Pictures:

- Utterback School - September 8th
- Meadowlark School - September 9th

Busses:

- There will be NO in-town bussing - this is to ensure our ability to work with the Pondera County Health Department to trace any positive Covid-19 contacts and meet the guidelines for social distancing.
- Face covering must be worn properly on the bus.
- There will be assigned seating. If you have questions, please call our transportation director, Jim Carroll, at 278-3285.

Dismissal:

- Please tell your child's teacher how your child will be going home on the FIRST day of school. The more consistent you can be as a family, the safer we can keep every child.
 - Pick up and Walking Students will be dismissed @ 3:15

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Dismissal:

- Meadowlark Pick Up locations by Last Name of
 - Family A-G - 2nd Ave on school side
 - Family H-P - Alley on East Side of Meadowlark
 - Family Q-Z - 3rd Ave on school side
 - ***Pull forward to the foremost spot, park legally, stay in car, and be mindful of pedestrians and crosswalks***
- Pick up, walking, and bus for Utterback is @ 3:20
- Bus students will be dismissed from Meadowlark @ 3:25
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Early Out Dismissal Times:

- Dates: 9/23, 10/21, 11/18, 11/25, 12/23, 1/13, 2/10, 3/17, 4/21, 6/4
- Bus Pick Up @ 12:45 for Meadowlark and Utterback
- Parent Pick up @ 12:35 for Meadowlark Parent Pick Up @ 12:45 for Utterback

We know things will come up along the way that we haven't thought of yet, so we thank you in advance for your flexibility and grace during these times. Should you still have any questions, please review student handbooks (found on the front page of the website). If you do not have the answers you need, please call the schools.

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