

COLUMBIA ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

10142 OLD OREGON TRAIL REDDING, CA 96003 CORTNEY PRATT--PRINCIPAL

Kindergarten enrollment timeline:

<u>February/March</u>: Pick up an enrollment packet from the school office.

April: KINDERGARTEN ROUND UP-Check website for date.

<u>March/April:</u> Return completed packet with proof of age and current immunizations for student. Some students may still need their last set of immunizations over the summer, it's ok turn in what you have.

May/June: Schedule your student for a kindergarten assessment with the school office.

June/July: ENJOY YOUR SUMMER

August: You will receive a welcome letter by mail or e-mail and/or phone call from Principal Pratt.

<u>August:</u> The day before school starts bring your student to the annual "MEET AND GREET". Students will meet their teacher, find their seat, and see their playground. Let the teacher and office know if your student will be riding the bus or will be picked up after school.

Other things to know:

- On the first day of school you are welcome to stay with your student on the playground, but when the bell rings students go to class and parents leave.
- Parent volunteers are always welcome, but first you must get your LiveScan completed. (See Deanna at the District Office)
- TK/K students can ride the bus, but a parent <u>MUST</u> be present for the student to be dropped off at the bus stop.
- If your student has any medical issues or needs any medication please see the school office for the required School Medication Authorization Form.
- Columbia School has a very active parent activities committee (P.A.C.) and would love your participation. Please see the website for contact information. (https://www.columbiasd.com/)
- Teacher's ask students in the morning if they are having hot or cold lunch.
 Hot lunch is from our cafeteria and cold lunch is brought from home. We ask that ALL families complete the Free and Reduced lunch application even if you don't think you will qualify.

Please feel free to call the school office at (530) 223-4070 if you have any other questions or concerns.

WELCOME TO THE COLUMBIA ELEMENTARY SCHOOL FAMILY!