



SHENANDOAH ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

Shenny's Tiger Talk

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All staff, students and families must Wear Masks.



From the Principal's Desk

Dear Parents and Families,

We appreciate all that you did to support our students throughout the 2020-2021 school year. Together we have worked to make sure that during these unprecedented times, we will continue our pursuit for education. As we look to start a new year under the cloud of Covid, I wanted to get you all some information to prepare.

The information below is meant to provide you with an overview of what to expect in the 2021-2022 school year. We look forward to our continued partnership and a great school year. See you soon!

School Hours and Attendance:

Daily, on-time attendance is critical for your child's academic and social development. All students are expected to attend school 95% of time or more!

Shenandoah will return to the traditional hours of **9:10 AM-4:07 PM** during the 2021-2022 school year. All students will enter the building through Door 5(Gym), beginning at 8:50 AM. Breakfast is provided for all students each day.

The school day ends at 4:07 PM. Students who are pick-up may be picked up beginning at 3:50 PM from their designated location (**Door 7= 2nd Grade- 6th Grade, Front Entrance= KG- 1st Grade, and Door 2= Pre K**). If you need to change your child's transportation on any given day, please communicate this change to the main office by 3:00 PM.

School Uniform Policy:

All students are expected to come to school, in uniform, each day. The Shenandoah uniform is as follows:

- Shirt with collar
- Pants, Shorts, Skirts, and Jumpers (Tan, black, khaki, or navy)
- Students should wear athletic shoes on PE days so that they can participate in all activities. Sandals and flip-flops are not allowed.
- **On Fridays only, students may wear jeans (may not have holes) and a uniform shirt, school/college shirt, or shirt representing an extracurricular activity.**

Please visit Shenandoah's school website — <https://www.slps.org/shenandoah>, **click on the picture of our mascot (Tiger) to see more detailed 'Back to School' information from our principal.**

In partnership,

Mr. Rooney

Character Words of the Month

AUGUST-Cooperation is working and socializing together respectfully.

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Family Support

SAVE THE DATES...

- **August 24th.. 11:30 and 2:30**
Title I Annual Parent Informational Meeting. We invite you to log on at a time that best fits your schedule.
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BIRTHDAY CELEBRATIONS

Happy Birthday...
to everyone who
celebrates their birthdays in
August.
SMILE, it's your day!

Helpful Tips

- ◆ Make sure your child gets an ample, normal amount of sleep the night before to be better prepared for learning
- ◆ If your child is sick please keep them home and contact the school
- ◆ Read with your child at night for at least 30 minutes.

List of helpful Website Resources...

STL COVID-19 community based testing locations

<https://stlcorona.com/st-louis-county-testing-locations/>

CDC Coronavirus Information

<https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/symptoms-testing/symptoms.html>

WELCOME BACK TIGERS!

READ. LEARN. EXPLORE



"We are Raising the Standards of Achievement, Attendance, and Character."

PARENT PORTAL....



Staying In Touch With Parents and Guardians...please make sure you are signed up for Parent Portal and your contact information is updated.

Have you signed up for the St. Louis Public Schools **Parent Portal**?

Sign up today to **keep track of your child's**

- Grades
- Attendance
- Homework Assignments
- Immunization records
 - Schedules
 - Discipline
- Cafeteria Menu

To sign up and for more information please contact:

School's Secretary—Ms. Morris or your OR your Family Community Specialist, Ms. Myers at 314.772.7544



Greetings from your

Family and Community Specialist

Hello! My name is Constance Myers. I am the Family and Community Specialist here at Shenandoah. As your Family and Community Specialist, I serve as a liaison between parents, families, communities, and the school. I organize, and assist with all that has to do with parental involvement and community partnerships. I commit to keep you well informed regarding district-wide school changes and updates.

Thank you for all your patience and the tireless sacrifices you continue making during these constant changing times.

Thank you for giving us the opportunity to educate your child AND partnering with us as we look forward to a successful-productive school year for all.

Best,
Ms. Myers

A gentle note from your Nurse...

Judith Fisher RN...

Parents, to assist you with turning in complete and current immunization records-You may fax any updated records or new records to 314-2444-1866 or you may e-mail same records to Judith.fisher@slps.org (school nurse).

You may also take a picture with your phone, send the records but the picture must be clear and completely readable. If you have a 3 or 4 year old child just starting school. Don't forget their physical and the results of lead, Hct, and Hgb (you may contact me at the school if you have any questions, I will be in the school each day till children start school. I will be in my office on Mondays and Fridays once school starts.

Please let me know with a doctor's note if your child has any allergies or asthma. An asthma action plan is required if your child needs to use an inhaler at school.
ALL MEDICATIONS must be brought to school by an adult with doctor's instructions.

FOR A LIST OF COMMUNITY RESOURCES

Please don't forget to check out our school's website: <https://www.slps.org/shenandoah>

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