

Good Evening Rosemont Families. I hope you are enjoying your summer!

On behalf of the staff at Rosemont Elementary School, I am happy to welcome you to the 2023-24 school year! I hope you were able to spend time this summer with family and friends. We are looking forward to a productive partnership to ensure all children achieve their highest potential because we recognize that in order to be successful, our children need support from both home and school. This week's **Rosemont Community Connection** features several important messages.

Open House

Open House is on Friday, August 25 from 1:00 – 2:15 p.m. At the Open House you will have a chance to visit your child's new classroom and meet their new teacher. **Please note that information about your child's teacher will be provided on the day of Open House.**

First Day of School

The first day of school is Monday, August 31. School begins at 9:00 a.m. and ends at 3:25 p.m. Children should not arrive at school before 8:40 a.m.

School Supplies

School is fast approaching. Each grade level has a specific supply list. You may download the attachment to identify which supplies your child will need this school year.

2023- 24 Food and Nutrition Update

Breakfast and lunch will be **FREE** to all enrolled students at 57 MCPS schools year, including Rosemont Elementary.. We encourage families to check out [menus here](#) and students to eat breakfast and lunch at school, fueling them to learn each day. Households DO NOT need to complete a Free And Reduced-price Meal (FARM) application unless they have another student enrolled at a school not on [this list](#).

Rosemont ES Drinking Water Update

As part of the Montgomery County Public Schools (MCPS) Drinking Water Testing Program, testing has been completed at Rosemont Elementary. Test results indicate that all drinking water outlets were below the Maryland Department of the Environment Action Level, and no further action is required.

Attached is the drinking water testing report with results for our school, which contains information about the health effects associated with exposure to lead. The school's drinking water testing history and translated versions of the health effects of lead are available on the MCPS Drinking Water Testing Program website at the following link:

<https://www2.montgomeryschoolsmd.org/departments/facilities/sustainability/drinking-water-results/>

Back to School Night

Back-to-School Night for grades K-5 will be held on **Thursday, August 31 from 6:30 – 8:00p.m.** During the meeting, you will have a chance to hear from administration, the PTA president, and your child's teacher about their instructional program.

All information found in this email can be found on our school website. Otherwise, a hard copy may be picked up at Rosemont between the hours of 9:00am and 3:00pm, Monday – Friday.

I look forward to meeting all of you and learning about your children. I am excited about the 2023-2024 school year. It is my hope that we can all work together to form a strong partnership, calling upon the strengths of home, school, and the Gaithersburg community. Thank you and have a wonderful evening.

Attachments:



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