

NEW SCHOOL START DATE: SEPTEMBER 8, 2020
VIRTUAL SCHOOL FOR ALL STUDENTS
THROUGH OCTOBER 31, 2020.

TECHNOLOGY/SUPPLY PICK UP
K-2 AT EARLY LEARNING CENTER
3-8 AT RPSA-CENTER ROAD

Tuesday, September 1st from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.
Wednesday, September 2nd from noon to 6:00 p.m.
Thursday, September 3rd from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Dear Richfield Families,

In good times and in challenging times, I know that you want the best for your children. You want them to be safe, healthy, happy and educated. We want the same for your children. We have struggled with the difficult decision regarding the best, safest format to return to school in light of the many uncertainties of COVID-19. We have made the choice to postpone in person education and return to virtual-school on September 8th with the goal of returning to in person education after October 31st.

Our parent survey revealed that approximately 50% of you chose virtual learning for your children. Approximately 45% of you chose in person learning for your children. Approximately 5% of you were undecided. In an effort to be as supportive as possible to our families who chose in person learning, we have created a HYBRID option for you. You must sign up for this option on our website, www.richfieldpsa.net, click the HYBRID SIGN-UP link. The hybrid option will be available Monday through Thursday, 8:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Students who use the hybrid option will be placed in a

classroom, with an adult supervisor, and will log-into their classroom teacher's lessons for their learning. Students will be served breakfast and lunch while at school. For students who need transportation, bus pick-up and drop off will be available.

The hybrid option will be on a first come-first served basis as this is dependent on the number of adult supervisors we have. The deadline to sign up for this option is THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 3RD.

Students who enroll in the hybrid option will start school as virtual students on September 8th. On September 14th hybrid students will begin their on-site at the Center Road campus.

We look forward to this year with our Richfield families.

Warmly,

Mrs. Haldy