

**WOODFORD COUNTY SPECIAL EDUCATION ASSOCIATION
BRIGHT BEGINNINGS PRESCHOOL CLASSROOM PROGRAM
RIVERVIEW GRADE SCHOOL
2024-2025**

FALL WELCOME LETTER

Hello and welcome to the 24-25 school year at Riverview Grade School. I am Mrs. Susan Messer, your child's teacher. We are blessed to have Mrs. Tiffany Staples as our classroom paraprofessional.

Paperwork All families will receive an email from Ameer Meinhold at WCSEA with a link to register.

New families - You will drop off the courthouse copy of your child's birth certificate, income verification, and recent physical with immunization record at Riverview Grade School (see Mindy Webster in the office) anytime before August 7th. Mindy will give the paperwork to me.

Meet the Teacher Required Meet the Teacher is on **August 12th**. Come anytime between 3:00-5:00pm to the Bright Beginnings classroom at the grade school. Please bring school supplies with you.

First day of class August 14th

Class times The morning class meets 8:10-10:40am and the afternoon meets 12:30-3:00pm

Transportation Morning - Please wait in the front of the building at 8:10 am when dropping your child off. We enter/exit from the main doors. Bussing home is provided at 10:40am. We walk students to the bus. Afternoon - The bus will pick up your child and bring them to school. Your child will be able to ride one of the big buses home. *We will reserve the right to ask parents to transport if there are behavior concerns on the bus.* Car riders will be taken to the main door for pick up. All children being picked up will need to be signed out with a staff member.

Backpack- Children need to bring their backpack and folder on a daily basis. I ask that any notes or correspondence from you be placed in your child's folder. Riverview provides the folder with a school calendar.

Class Website - Our class website is Riverview Bright Beginnings (<https://sites.google.com/wcsea.us/mrs-messers-class/home>). I will also email a Seesaw (class social media site) registration to new families. Please download the apps (both student and family). You then scan the code that I send you to log your child in. It should work on any tablet, computer or phone. Please let me know if you have any trouble.

About the Classroom- Mrs. Staples (teacher assistant) and I look forward to another new school year with lots of new and exciting things planned. One of our classroom highlights is the integration of science and nature activities to promote critical thinking and an appreciation of nature. We also have a fondness for literature and dive into books every day! We have an amazing class website and will post pictures and info about our daily activities. We will see you very soon!

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