Dear Riverview Families,

Welcome back to Riverview Elementary School! We are excited to begin another wonderful year here. We have been busy planning new and exciting programs and events for this coming year. We were pleased with the success of the 4-H After School Clubs last year and appreciate all of you for your support of this great program. We will be offering after school clubs again this year. We feel lucky to be part of the grant that makes this program possible. We also feel lucky to be a part of the Gold Medal School Program. This program focuses on fitness and nutrition education. We received our gold medal status last year and will work toward our Platinum status this year.

My vision for Riverview Elementary School is to help create a climate where students and staff love to learn, where they are respected and will strive for excellence. Our academic focus this year is Math. We were fortunate to be selected to be part of a grant sponsored by BYU. As part of this grant, all of our teachers will participate in graduate level math classes for elementary teachers. At the end of the two year grant, all our teachers will earn a math endorsement. We know this focus on best practices in math education will benefit every student at Riverview. We will also continue our focus on continual student assessment. With on-going student assessment in reading and math, teachers can develop instruction to meet the individual needs of their students. We will discuss student data and develop appropriate curriculum during the ‘early out’ Wednesday collaboration time.

I love the students here! They are truly the best. I also appreciate the wonderful parental support we have. I know that educating children is a group effort, and we cannot do it without you! If you have any questions, concerns, or suggestions, please feel free to call me anytime.

Sincerely,

Sandra Jarvis
Principal
798-4050 School
319-4573 Cell
Riverview Elementary School
Schedules

Please take Note of the Changes!
Please help your child be here on time!!

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday
8:40..................................................................First Bell
8:45.................................................................. School Begins
3:00.................................................................School is Dismissed

Wednesday
8:40..................................................................First Bell
8:45.................................................................. School Begins
2:15.................................................................School is Dismissed
(Teachers will meet each week to discuss student progress and plan for re-teaching and enrichment as a grade level team during early out.)

Recess
Morning break will be at the teachers’ discretion.
1:30-1:45..............................................................Kinder, 1st, 2nd, Grades
1:45-2:00..............................................................3rd, 4th, 5th, 6th Grades

Lunch
11:30-12:05 First
11:35-12:10 Second
11:45-12:20 Third
11:50-12:25 Fourth
11:55-12:30 Fifth
12:00-12:35 Sixth

AM Kindergarten Schedule Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday
8:40-11:20

PM Kindergarten Schedule Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday
12:25-3:00

Wednesday Kindergarten
8:40-11:00 AM Kindergarten
12:00-2:15 PM Kindergarten
REMEMBER!!

OPEN HOUSE WILL BE AUGUST 23RD, 1:00-3:00. STUDENTS AND PARENTS MAY MEET THEIR TEACHERS AND SEE THEIR CLASSROOM!

WEDNESDAYS WILL BE ‘EARLY OUT’ DAYS! STUDENTS WILL BE DISMISSED AT 2:15 (NOT 3:00)

SCHOOL PHONE: (801) 798-4050

LUNCH PHONE: (801) 798-4088
**Riverview Safe Route to School Plan**

**Riverview Safe Route Instructions:**

- Riverview Elementary has a combination of bus students and walking students. It is recommended that students who walk to school follow the safe walking route plan as indicated on the map enclosed in this packet.
- It is recommended those students who walk to school will walk in groups.
- It is recommended that parents walk the safest route with their children before school begins.
- Parents and school employees will help students understand the importance of using crosswalks and crossing at intersections designated with a crossing guard when possible. The crossing guards will be at:
  - Crosswalk on Volunteer Way, east of Riverview School
  - Crosswalk on West Park Drive in front of Riverview School

**Parents transporting students to school must comply with the following:**

- Parents must drop off and pick up students in the designated areas in the front of the building.
- Parents must stop on the right hand side of the lane and leave the left side of the lane open for traffic flow.
- Parents must NOT leave their car parked in the drop off lanes (they must pull in a parking stall if they need to leave their vehicle).
- Parents must NOT block the crosswalk in front of the building.

**Bus Students:**

- Buses will be waiting at the school most days to transport eligible students home. Our buses will pick up secondary students first and then come to Riverview to pick up the elementary students.
- Riverview students will sit at the front of the bus and secondary students will sit at the back of the bus.
- Bus students must follow all rules of the bus or the privilege of bussing could be removed.
- **We are changing the bus lane to the EAST of the building. Both front driveways will be used for parent drop off and pick up!**

**Changes From Last Year:**

- All parents will drop off and pick up their students in the front of the building.
- The walking trail through Spanish Trails subdivision has been completed by the city. This will now mean that our safe walking route will be on the trail and NOT on 100 South. This is a huge safety improvement for our students.

***Bus lane is now on the EAST side of the school. Both lanes in the front of the building will be for drop-off and pick up!!!!***
JOIN PTA!

PTA is a great organization which provides wonderful programs such as book fairs, parent/child activities, health and safety education, birthday recognition, room mother volunteers, and many more activities that will enhance our students’ educational experiences. It costs $5.00 to join. You can join at registration or just send money in an envelope labeled ‘PTA’ and include your child’s name on the envelope. If you would like to volunteer time by serving on the board or helping with activities, call Jessica Balser, or call the office.

UPCOMING PTA SPONSORED EVENTS:

- Aug. 23         PTA General Meeting 2:00 in the Gym
- Sept. 2          PTA Meeting 3:15
- Sept. 7-10       Box Top Week
- Sept. 20-24      Green Ribbon Week