

Grafton GOOD NEWS

Pre-K ~ Mrs. Gettings

Welcome to the 2017/2018 school year. We will have a great year! Open House is a chance to check out the classroom. Your child can also talk to their school friends! We will be having home visits for any new students also. I will set these up with you. At the home visit I will explain our Pre-K program and all its components. I am looking forward to fun learning with your children this year!



Pre-K ~ Mrs. Pohlman

Welcome to Grafton Pre-K! I look forward to a great year of learning and fun. Our first day of school will be on Monday, August 28. Prior to our first class day, we will have an Open House. It will be an opportunity for you and your child to see the classroom and school. Your child will be able to explore their new environment and get an opportunity to meet new friends. We look forward to meeting you and your child and getting to know one another. Later, we will have a Home Visit with the new families. During the Home Visit, I will continue to get to know your child to help make their transition to school easier. I will also go over important components of our Pre-K program and answer any questions you may have. I am excited for our school year to begin and I thank you for the opportunity to teach your child! Let's make it a great, awesome, rocking year!

Kindergarten ~ Mrs. Miller

I am very excited about meeting all of you during our school orientation. This enables the children to familiarize themselves with their classroom and school. You will be enjoying a scavenger hunt with your child. I will be able to answer any questions you might have. You will receive a folder containing valuable information about our year. This evening is a wonderful way to decrease "beginning of school jitters." Thank you for entrusting your child to me for this coming school year. I promise to do my very best every day to be your child's companion in learning and exploring this bright new world they will step into . . . the wonderful world of "I CAN"!

1st Grade ~ Mrs. Lumma

I would like to welcome you to the start of an awesome new school year! We will have an exciting time as we embark on new adventures together in the world of learning. It is so thrilling to watch the students grow!
I do ask 2 important tasks of you!
1. CELEBRATE your child's success, no matter how small it may seem. I want to keep your child enthusiastic about learning and proud of his/her work.
2. READ to and with your child every day for 10 to 20 minutes. I can tell you that the rewards of this daily activity are priceless!
I hope that you will be amazed when you see what your child can accomplish when we all work together! Let's get ready for a great First Grade year because every day is a great day to learn something new!

Principal's Corner – Mrs. Brown

We are sooooo excited to get this school year started. Grafton is a wonderful place to learn and grow. You will meet new friends and get acquainted with your friends from last year! Stay tuned to learn more about our experiences at Grafton Elementary!



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BACK TO SCHOOL

2nd Grade ~ Mrs. Crone

Hooray! I am eagerly looking forward to starting our year together! We will have new reading books this year which is always exciting for me! I promise to teach your child to do handwriting in "fancy" print letters and cursive. You will be amazed when you see just how talented they become in writing both ways. I hope to have students create interactive spelling and word work pages that they will glue into their composition book. Students will also create some interactive science pages to help them learn science concepts more easily. I hope to have these on display during parent/teacher conferences. Feel free to bring your supplies and leave them on the student's desk. I will do a 6:00 and 6:30 orientation meeting that will last approximately 25 minutes each. I will be delighted to review our curriculum and answer any questions you have. I can't wait to meet you and your children!

3rd Grade ~ Mrs. Rowling

Welcome to Third Grade! I am looking forward to an exciting year. Third grade is a very challenging year. It will be a year of working towards independence and becoming responsible. We will be implementing a new Literacy series this year and using Google Classroom throughout the year in order to become better readers, writers, and thinkers. Please know I will do my best to make sure that each child learns and has fun while doing it. Tonight will be a great time for you and your child to get acquainted with me and their new classroom.

4th Grade ~ Mr. Eberlin & Mrs. Beauchamp

Welcome to Mr. Eberlin's and Mrs. Beauchamp's 4th Grade Class! It's with great excitement and a degree of sadness that I (Mr. Eberlin) begin my last year of teaching at Grafton Elementary and the Jersey Community School District. With that being said I sincerely hope that this will be the best year of my career. We look forward to meeting each and every one of you. 4th grade will be a very fun and exciting year as we continue to expand our Eureka Math skills and work hard on becoming better readers and writers through the implementation of the new Wonders reading series. We will also increase our level of responsibility as well as making strides in the other character traits that will help make for a smooth transition to 5th Grade. We will see you at the Open House and answer any questions you may have. Let's have a great year!

Save the Date...

August 23rd – First Day for Kids

September 4th – No School

September 8th – Grandparents Day
(More info to come)

October 6th – 11:30 Dismissal

October 9th – No School

October 20th – 2:00 Dismissal

October 25th – Parent Teacher Conf

October 26th – Parent Teacher Conf

October 27th – No School

Watch your school calendar!!!



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