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Dear GES Parents,

A new school year is here. We hope that you had a good summer break. It is going to be an amazing school year. Enrollment is set for **Wednesday, August 3rd, 6-9pm and Thursday, Aug. 4th, 8am-noon**. We are offering mail-in or walk-in enrollment. In an effort to conserve paper, we are emailing most of the forms. Upon request, we will send out paper copies.

**Textbook fees waived:** The USD 411 BOE approved for all USD 411 families to "opt out" of paying these annual fees if each family will simply fill out a confidential "Free and Reduced Meal Application."

**Clarification on class list (directory information):** We use class lists for several school purposes. PTO also uses these lists. Room parents prefer cell numbers for group text purposes. The class list contains your child's name, your address, and at least one phone number. If you do not want GES to disclose directory information, you must notify the GES office in writing within two weeks of enrolling your child. If you prefer just your phone number to be kept confidential, please let us know in the same manner.

**Payment of school fees:** Separate checks are needed for school fees and meals.

**Pay for breakfast and lunch:** All school meals will be charged this year, alongside, if your child would like "seconds" (extra entrée, bread, or milk) they must have money in their account. GES 2022-2023 GES meal pricing will be charged at \$1.85 per breakfast and \$3.00 per Lunch. You can follow your account balance on EZ School Pay. Kindergarten milk for their extra break is \$.30 each. In addition, "seconds" will be offered at \$.50 for extra bread and \$1.50 for an extra entrée. Cash and check payments can be made to the office.

**Please return the documents in this mailing by mail or at enrollment:**

1. Enrollment form; make corrections and sign the back of the enrollment form
2. Transportation form for Kindergarten, first or second grade student
3. On-line Services Permission
4. Annual Authorized Notice of Student Data
5. Google Workspace for Education Notice to Parents and Guardians - must be signed separately from a sheet permission
6. Ethnicity Form for new students only
7. Birth Certificate for new students only
8. SSN Card for new students only
9. Health Assessment
10. Home Language Form for new students only
11. Immunization Records

Finally, we have duplicates of all enrollment related forms on the USD411 web site and/or through a parent e-mail. You may use the mail-in or walk in enrollment option. To expedite enrollment please fill out the above listed forms before you come.

**School Fees**

*Note: \*PreK – 5<sup>th</sup> grade textbook fees can be waived with completed Free/Reduced Application*

**Textbook Fees and classroom resources:**

- \$30.00\* - PreK 3 & 4
- \$30.00\* - Kindergarten
- \$40.00\* - Grades 1<sup>st</sup> - 5<sup>th</sup>

**Other Fees:**

- \$ 7.00 - Skate Fee (*K - 5<sup>th</sup> only*)
- \$ 5.00 - Planner (*4<sup>th</sup> only*)
- \$14.00 - Yearbook Fee (*Available to all students and adults if paid at enrollment*)

**Total Fee including Skate & Yearbook Fees:**

- \$44.00/\$14.00\* - PreK 3 & 4
- \$51.00/\$21.00\* - Kindergarten
- \$61.00/\$21.00\* - Grades 1<sup>st</sup> - 3<sup>rd</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup>
- \$66.00/\$26.00\* - Grade 4<sup>th</sup>

**Lunch Fees - Aug. through December:**

Gr. K-5 Lunches	\$249.00
Reduced Lunches	\$33.20
Breakfast	\$153.55
Reduced Breakfast	\$24.90
Kind. Milk	\$58.10

**Lunch Fees Jan. through May:**

Gr. 1-5 Lunches	\$255.00	\$504.00
Reduced Lunches	\$34.00	\$67.20
Breakfast	\$157.25	\$310.80
Reduced Breakfast	\$25.50	\$50.40
Kind. Milk	\$59.50	\$117.60

Please write separate checks for Fees and Meals.

Make checks payable to USD #411

*ACH – We will not be debiting ACH this year due to free lunches. Please follow your lunch account using the EZSchoolPay. Cash and checks are accepted in the office.*

Sincerely,



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