

WAYNE TOWNSHIP PUBLIC SCHOOLS



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Dear Parents and Guardians,

In order for the Wayne School District to continue to provide a safe and secure environment for your child(ren) during dismissal time, the Board of Education has established a dismissal procedure for our elementary schools. The attached permission slip will indicate your preference regarding the manner in which your child(ren) is/are dismissed from school on a daily basis. This is form is for dismissal only this is **not** the same as your Student Emergency Card. A separate form is required for each of your children.

Upon dismissal, students either take a bus, are permitted to walk home independently, or leave school accompanied by a parent or their designee. **UNLESS THE SCHOOL HAS, ON FILE, WRITTEN PERMISSION FOR YOUR CHILD TO WALK HOME BY HIMSELF, YOUR CHILD WILL NOT BE PERMITTED TO LEAVE SCHOOL AT THE REGULAR 3:20 PM DISMISSAL TIME.**

For students being picked up by any person other than the person indicated on the attached Dismissal Permission Slip, **a written, dated note from you**, identifying that individual's name must be submitted to the school by 9:00 AM. If you indicate that you or your designee will be picking up your child at the door, and you and/or your designee are not present, your child will be escorted to the school Main Office. Once in the office, a phone call will be made in an attempt to contact you, and your child will be placed in the school's "Extended Care Program." **Please be aware that, in this instance, you will be charged a fee for your child's supervision in this program. That information is included in your first day folder.** In addition, in the event of an unexpected early dismissal from school due to an emergency situation or weather related cause, the *Connect-Ed Emergency Notification System* will contact you with dismissal information. If no contact is made with you or your listed contacts, your child will not be dismissed from school.

In case of an emergency, which prevents you and/or your designee from picking up your child, you should contact the school office as soon as possible, using the telephone number provided within the specific school procedures in this letter.

At this time, I would also call your attention to the following dates on the school calendar that are designated as Early Dismissal/Minimal Days. Please note that the procedure outlined above will also be followed on these days: **November 6, 8 and 22, 2017, and June 22 & 25, 2018. Dismissal will be at 1:15 PM** on these days.

Kindly read and complete the attached "Dismissal Permission Slip" indicating your preference for dismissing your child(ren) from school. **If you are attending the PTO Ice Cream Social, please bring your form there. All parents who return a completed dismissal form at the Ice Cream Social will be entered into a raffle to win a \$50 SpiritWear voucher! Otherwise, forms are due on or before the first day of school.**

Please refer to the specific dismissal routines for your child(ren) that are outlined below. You should retain this information as a reference for yourself or your designee.

We would like to thank you for your continued support and cooperation in providing a safe and secure environment for your child(ren).

Sincerely,

Necole Jadick
Principal

PLEASE NOTE:

This Dismissal Slip that you sign shall apply for the 2017-18 academic year unless it is rescinded or amended by the parent(s), in writing. Students will be dismissed only in accordance with the terms of this Dismissal Slip unless the District is specifically notified, in writing, by the parent, that a different dismissal procedure is required on a specific day.

Theunis Dey School Dismissal Procedures

Emergency Phone – 973-633-3155

- Students in Kindergarten, Grades 4, Grade 3-Ehalt and Grade 3-Nyegaard are dismissed from their classroom exit door.
- Pre-K and Grade 1 will be dismissed from the Main Entrance.
- Grade 2 students are dismissed from Media Center with the exception of Mrs. Hoogstrate who will dismiss through the front door.
- Grade 5 and Grade 3-Stein-Ortiz students are dismissed from the door at the end of the Grade 5 wing.
- Students who attend an aftercare program leave from their classroom and walk to their designated area. Kindergarten and Grade 1 students will be taken to either aftercare or the Boys & Girls Club bus line.
- Students who are bused by the Wayne School district will be taken to their bus by either their teacher or a paraprofessional.

Elementary Parent Permission Dismissal Slip

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Dear Parent/Guardian:

Please read and indicate the procedures you would like our school to follow regarding the dismissal of your child. Please list your child's name, grade, and class below:

_____ Student's Name _____ Grade _____ Class/teacher

Kindly check (✓) ONE dismissal option for the child that you have listed above.

_____ I /designee will pick up my child at the designated dismissal door.

Designee name _____ Relationship _____ Age (if sibling) _____ Phone _____

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_____ My child is permitted to leave school building at dismissal unaccompanied.
(e.g. walk home and walk to my car that is parked)

_____ My child attends Extended/After Care. Please circle – Mon, Tues, Wed, Thurs, Fri.)
If your child does not attend every day, please check an additional option for days not attending.

_____ My child takes the bus. (e.g. Board of Ed., Kinder Care, Boys and Girls Club)

Please list the names of any other brothers/sisters in this school.

_____ Student's Name _____ Grade _____ Class

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I have read the attached "Dismissal Procedure" information.

_____ Print Parent/Guardian's Name _____ Phone

_____ Parent/Guardian _____ Date _____ Signature of