



## KENSINGTON PARKWOOD ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

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September 4, 2022

Dear Families,

One week is in the books and it was a very successful opening to the school year. A much improved opening compared to last year. It took only two days for kids to get the hang of our school routines from arrival to lunch and dismissal. We ended the week with our first fire drill.

Your child will come home with a yellow card -emergency document. Please make changes in your Parent Vue account. It is important for the school to be able to reach families and to keep you connected with the school. Also, attached to the message is the annual directory notice where you can indicate if you want your information to be included in the PTA directory, photos taken for yearbook etc. If you need a hard copy please email Mrs. Friedman or Mrs. Allen.

### **A few reminders,**

- *Lunch-* Breakfast and lunch are no longer free so all students will need to use their student ID. The lunch account can also be used for individual special items such as ice cream and cookies. There will also be frozen fruit cups. These will be on sale September 15. Set up your account online for school lunch this process ensures that checks or cash do not get lost.

- [MySchoolBucks](#) .

Menus can be found here:

[https://www.montgomeryschoolsmd.org/uploadedFiles/departments/food-and-nutrition/menus/5191.23\\_MENU\\_ES\\_AugSept%20\(002\).pdf](https://www.montgomeryschoolsmd.org/uploadedFiles/departments/food-and-nutrition/menus/5191.23_MENU_ES_AugSept%20(002).pdf)

- If you need any help applying for free or reduced meals please call the school office.
- *Water bottles-* do not send your most favorite one but something that can be replaced easily. (We already have a few from this week including a very nice dark gray Hydro Flask with no name)
- Volunteers for lunch and recess will begin **Sep 12, 2022**
- *Outdoor* lunch will begin **Sep 12, 2022**
- *Back to School Night-* Grades 1-5 is September 13th. More information will be shared.

Sincerely,  
Principal Ross