



## Friendly Reminders:

### Absences:

- Please call in (641-5470) or send a note EVERY day your child is absent, **for any reason**. Provide name, specific reason for absence and a contact phone number.
- You have three days to clear an absence. Absences that are not called in within three days are considered truanancies.
- If your child is absent, please try to attend one of our Saturday Academies.
- Students should be in school unless they are sick. Please schedule vacations, trips and non essential appointments outside of school time to ensure your child receives the best education possible.

### Traffic:

- Do not drop or pick up your children on Martha's Vineyard Ct.
- Please pull around to the yellow drop off zone on New Bedford Ct.
- Help everyone have a safe experience by not blocking the roads and following the traffic guidelines.

### Health:

- Please keep your children home if they have a fever. They need to be kept home until they are fever free for 24 hours without fever reducing medications.
- Please report any cases of lice to the office—reporting lice helps us confidentially track cases and notify families in the event we have multiple cases in a classroom. Our health staff will provide instruction on how to properly treat lice.

**Saturday Academies:** Join us for extra curricular activities if your student has missed 1 or more day.

- 2/27/16—G.A.T.E
- 3/12/16 @ Pierpont
- 4/16/16@ Pierpont
- 5/14/16—G.A.T.E.

Letters will be send home for each academy to eligible students.

## Kinder Registration:

Kindergarten registration will occur, for children who are 5 years old on September 1st 2016, on Wednesday March 16th from 8:30-11am in the Pierpont Cafeteria. Families who live in our boundary area may come to register then. To register, please bring the following (originals):

- Birth Certificate
- Social Security Card
- Immunization record
- 2 proofs of residence

Proofs of residence include: Residential utility bills, mortgage documents, County/Federal/State correspondence, Real estate documents, rental agreements (if with rental agency), or pay-stub. All proofs must be for a residence, in original form, with parent / guardian name (not a relative).

Proofs may not include: Auto/DMV documents or id, business mail, auto insurance / loans, bank statements, credit card statements or cell phone statements.

Outside of boundaries: Families who live outside of Pierpont boundaries, and within VUSD, may request to be placed on a waiting list for next year, starting on March 11th. These families will be notified as soon as possible, though likely the week prior to school, if there is space.

