



Welcome to...

Sedalia Elementary

Kindergarten Open House



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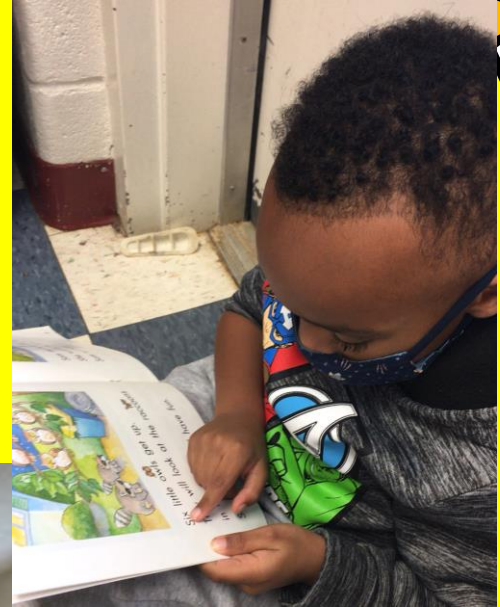
# Meet our administration, staff and Kindergarten team!

- Interim Principal – Ms. Rachel Lewis
- Curriculum Facilitator– Ms. Joy McClure
- Data Manager (Enrollment Support)- Nanette Pinnix
- Kindergarten teachers
  - ❖ Mrs. Heather Griffin
  - ❖ Mrs. Monica Ryan
  - ❖ Ms. Sierra Everette
  - ❖ Mrs. Rachel Wolford



# In Kindergarten at Sedalia, we aim...



- To provide the academic and social skills your child will need to progress in Kindergarten.
- To provide a supportive and fun classroom environment.



# A 'Typical Day' in Kindergarten

## DAILY SCHEDULE

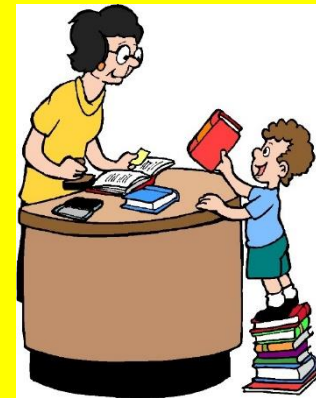
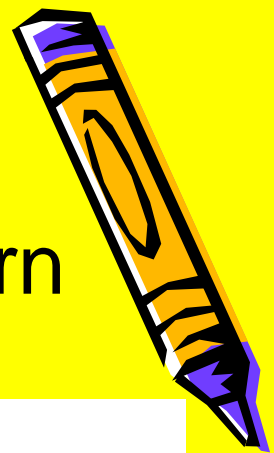
Kindergarten

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| 7:15  | Arrive/ Unpack – Breakfast - Morning Work<br>Morning Announcements and Pledges |
| 8am   | Reading  |
| 8:30  | Math   |
| 9:35  | Specials- music, art, library, guidance, PE                                    |
| 10:15 | Science/ Social Studies  |
| 10:45 | Lunch  |
| 11:15 | Structured Play -Recess  |
| 11:45 | Phonics Skills/ Writing  |
| 12:50 | Differentiated Reading Groups/ Intervention/ Enrichment                        |
| 2pm   | Pack and Dismiss   |



# Specials

- Physical Education, Mr. James Dettbarn
- Art, Ms. Ashley Gerrald
- Music, Mrs. Rushe
- Media, Mrs. Christina Foley
- Guidance, Mrs. Hannah Nelson



# Technology



- Each student will receive an iPad to use at school and for remote learning.
- Students use specific apps in school to support reading, math, and phonics skills.
- Computerized assessments are used to pinpoint where your child is excelling academically, where your child is performing on grade level and where your child still needs to make progress.



# Helpful Hints for Home...

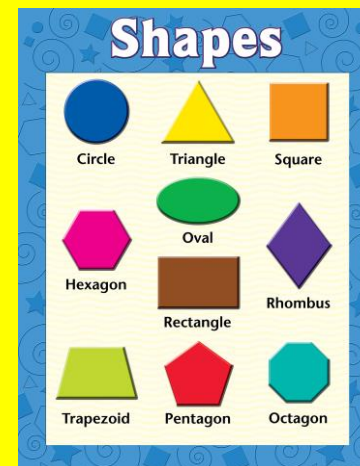


It is helpful if your child can:

- Count aloud
- Count small groups of objects to 10+
- Name simple shapes and colors

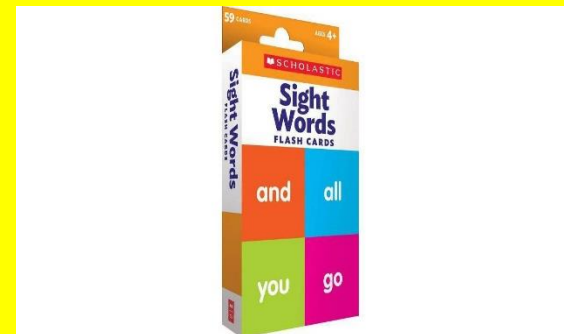
★ Numbers Chart 1-20

1 One	2 Two	3 Three	4 Four
5 Five	6 Six	7 Seven	8 Eight
9 Nine	10 Ten	11 Eleven	12 Twelve
13 Thirteen	14 Fourteen	15 Fifteen	16 Sixteen
17 Seventeen	18 Eighteen	19 Nineteen	20 Twenty



# Helpful Hints for Home

- Recognize difference between a letter and a word
- Point out letters they know on signs or in books
- Model how you read a book
- Talk about a story that you read together daily
- Identify and write their first name- Practice writing name with one uppercase letter and all others lowercase
- **ABC Mouse or Jack Hartman Youtube Videos**
- Identify (visually) most uppercase and lowercase letters- Practice writing uppercase letters, lowercase letters and numbers
- Sight word flash cards from the Dollar Tree





# Kindergarten

## Supply list

1 pair of scissors (*Tijeras*)

crayons *lápices de color*

1- Large 8-count (not Jumbo)

4 Large containers of Play-Doh

4 large pencils (“My first pencils”) *lápices*

8 glue sticks - *barras de pegamento*

1 package of Expo brand (thin) dry erase markers-  
*marcador de borrado en seco*

1 zippered (approx. 8X5 inch) pencil pouch or pencil box- *bolsa de lapices*

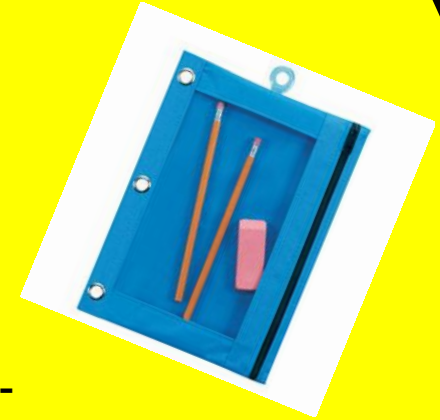
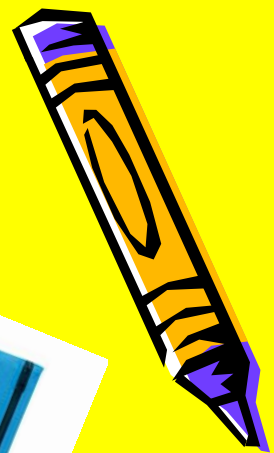
1 pack of 3X5 inch index cards- *paquete de finchas*

hand sanitizer

Optional items:

Cardstock

Colored copy paper



# Student Expectations



- Attendance & absences
  - – be on time and stay all day
- Be prepared for class DAILY, ready to learn
  - Early bedtime
  - There are No naps in kindergarten!
- Practice independence
  - Personal hygiene and self-help skills:
    - Bathroom independence (Zip and Button, wash hands)
    - Tie shoes (or Velcro)
    - Use scissors correctly
    - Hold a pencil – chosen a dominant hand



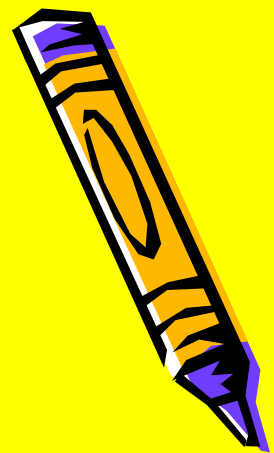
# School Handbook Topics



- School hours – our day begins at 7:35am and ends at 2:05pm
- Breakfast is served from 7:15-7:50
- School calendar- available online



# PBIS - Positive Behavior Intervention School



- Sedalia Tigers are:
  - Respectful
  - Responsible
  - Safe
- Students will earn dojo points, and will be able to use them for treasure box on Fridays and once a quarter at the PawMart.



# School Counseling & Guidance

Hannah Nelson, School Counselor



Counselor may meet with students about...

- Behavior issues
- Problems with grades
- Attendance concerns
  - Healthy peer relationships
- Helping with transitions
  - And more!



What Does A School Counselor Do?

- Individual Counseling
- Group Counseling
- Classroom Guidance
  - 504 Coordinator
  - Consultation & Collaboration
- Student Council Chair
  - And more!



Please don't hesitate to contact me!

I am here to serve all students, families, and staff here at Sedalia!

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# Cafeteria

Ms. Rhonda Tucker, Manager

- **Online:**
  - Account balances & pre-pay Alerts and restrictions
  - Free/reduced lunch forms
  - Menus
- Student number is needed- available after enrollment



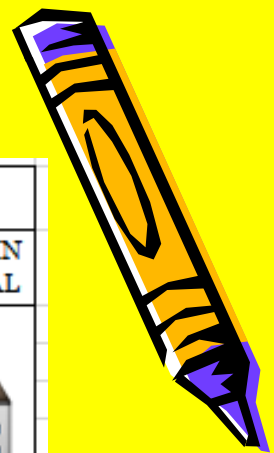
# School Nurse

- Medications
- Health requirements
  - Up-to-date Immunizations
  - Current Kindergarten Health assessment
- Chronic Conditions:

<http://www.guilfordhealth.org/>

-See School Health





## I NEED TO STAY HOME IF...

I HAVE A FEVER	I AM VOMITING	I HAVE DIARRHEA	I HAVE A RASH	I HAVE HEAD LICE	I HAVE AN EYE INFECTION	I HAVE BEEN IN THE HOSPITAL
Temperature of 100.0 or higher.	Within the past 24 hours.	Within the past 24 hours.	Body rash with itching or fever.	Itchy head, active head lice, nits close to scalp.	Redness, itching, and/or "crusty" drainage from eye.	Hospital stay and/or ER visit.

## I AM READY TO GO BACK TO SCHOOL WHEN I AM...

Fever free for 24 hours <u>without</u> the use of fever reducing medication. <i>i.e. Tylenol, Motrin.</i>	Free from vomiting for at least 24 hours.	Free from diarrhea for at least 24 hours.	Free from rash, itching, or fever. I have been evaluated by my doctor if needed.	Treated with appropriate lice treatment at home and cleared by Health Room upon returning.	Evaluated by my doctor and on prescribed medication for 24 hours.	Released by my medical provider to return to school.
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# Parent Involvement & Sedalia PTA

- Join PTA to support school programs
- Annual Events
  - United Way
  - Curriculum Night
  - Fundraisers (technology for students)
  - Restaurant Nights
  - Book Fairs
  - Spring Fling and more...



# Before we go...

- Complete enrollment NOW through Schoolmint, for the 2021-22 school year.
- Create an account and scan/upload shot records, birth certificate, proof of address, etc.
- We would like to encourage parents to register for kindergarten early!

