



NEW PARENT ORIENTATION Q & A:

Carpool: Pickup/Dropoff –

- Please see the carpool map located on the RHPTA website (www.RHPTA.com) for drop off and pickup.
- PreK, Kinder & 1st will be dropped off/ picked up in the back
 - Dropoff for all students is at 7:50am. The building will not open until 7:40 am unless your child will be eating breakfast which will open to them at 7:30am
 - PreK pickup is at 2:30pm
 - Kinder & 1st pickup is at 3:20pm
- PreK-1st - When dropping off/ picking up in the back, please loop around the cul-de-sac on Angus instead of turning left into the back teacher's parking lot.
- 2nd – 5th will be dropped off/ picked up in the front at designated locations.
- Mustang Muscle, our awesome dad's group, will be helping direct traffic the first week of school. After that, 5th Grade Safety Patrol will take over.
- You may walk your child to their class each morning, but please use their designated grade entrance.
- Teachers and staff will be at every entrance to help facilitate easy transition from carpool drop off outside of the school to their classrooms.
- You may walk up to your designated entrance for pickup.
- Please do not park and get out of your car on Angus, and please do not block driveways.
- **DON'T FORGET.... DO NOT STOP AND GET OUT OF YOUR CAR IN THE CARPOOL LINE!**

After School Child Care –

- On campus after school program provided by Benbrook YMCA (ymcafw.org)
- \$85/ member, \$105/non-member weekly fee
- Must register online under Programs> Education: After School Childcare> Register Now
- Snacks are provided for each day along with help with homework, outdoor play time and arts/ craft time.

Breakfast/ Lunch –

- Thanks to the Community Eligibility Provision, all breakfast and lunch meals are provided free of charge for all students. No free & reduced lunch applications will be required.

School Supplies –

- FWISD has provided general school supplies this year through ESSER funds.

- Teachers have requested additional items. See the Supplemental School Supply List by grade on our RHPTA website under RHE Info – 2023-2024 School Supplies tab.

Calendar –

- See the RHPTA website for a list of RHE and PTA-sponsored events.
- There are a few TBD dates for events. We will provide information as we receive it. Also, all dates and times are subject to change.

Uniforms –

- See FWISD website (<https://www.fwisd.org/page/5532>)
- Navy/ White/Red Collared shirts
- Dark Denim, Navy, Khaki, or Black shorts, pants, jeans, skirts, jumpers
- RHE plaid is also accepted
 - In Store at Flynn O'Hara – Plaid #66
 - Donaldsuniform.com
- For families in need, please contact our school counselor, Mrs. Tracie Harris, for donated uniforms.

Communications –

- Pony Post - Weekly email sent every Sunday
 - Email Kelly Wooley at RHEPonyPost@gmail.com to be added to the distribution list
- Facebook/ IG
 - Ridglea Hills Elementary PTA (official page)
 - Ridglea Hills Elementary (official school page)
 - Ridglea Hills Elementary's School Counselor
 - Ridglea Hills Elementary Parents
 - Mustang Muscle (RHE dads)
- Websites
 - www.RHPTA.com
 - www.fwisd.org/RidgleaHills
 - www.fwisd.org
- Please make sure you sign up for your teacher's communication platform. Each grade is different. This information will be sent home with your child on the first day.
- School Information
 - 6817 Cumberland, Fort Worth, Texas 76116
 - 817-815-1700
 - Start time 7:50am
 - End time – PreK-2:30pm; K-5th-3:20pm