

Dulles Elementary Student Information

2025-2026 School Year



JFD- Be Respectful, Be Responsible, Be Safe!

Since 2011, JF Dulles Elementary School has been fully implementing Positive Behavior Interventions Support Systems. The three big ideas of being "respectful, responsible and safe" are embedded in all common areas of the school and in classrooms. Clear expectations of behaviors in the hallway, lunchroom, playground, arrivals/dismissal areas, restroom and classrooms are outlined in the matrix below.

Power PAWS are awarded to students for making successful choices in following the expectations throughout the school day. If a student receives a POWER PAW, they are able to place their name on the Johnny Bear Bingo Board! Once a month, random names are drawn of students whose names are on the Bingo Board.

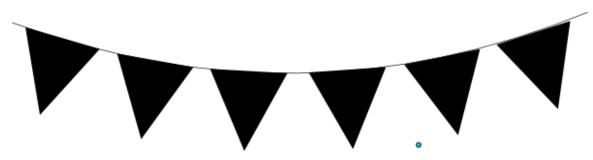
At JFD we are always respectful, responsible and safe in all that we say and do. We look forward to a year of learning and growing. As always, JFD will continue to work hard at ensuring the physical and emotional well being of our students.



PBIS MATRIX of EXPECTATIONS IN COMMON AREAS:

	Be Respectful	Be Responsible	Be Safe
Hallway	Walk silentlyKeep your body in your own space	 Walk with hands folded Go directly to where you are supposed to be 	 Walk on the right side of the hallway Face forward Walk in a single file line on the stairs with right on the rail
Play ground	 Take turns and share Use appropriate language Be a good sport 	 Promptly line up when signaled Use and return equipment correctly 	 Stay in designated playground areas Play safely Report all injuries or dangerous behaviors to teacher on duty
Carpool	 Keep your body in your own space No 	Wait patiently and watch for your ride to arrive	Walk at all timesStand in designated areas
Bus Dismissal Multipurpose Room	 Talk softly in your bus line Keep your body in your own space 	 Listen for your bus to be called Take all belongings with you to the bus 	 Walk at all times Stay seated unless you have permission to get up Keep backpacks in your own personal space
Restroom	 Respect the privacy of others Use the restroom silently 	 Use supplies and equipment properly Use time wisely (use the restroom, wash hands, and return to class immediately) 	 Wash your hands with soap and water in the sink Walk at all times Keep feet on floor

Cafeteria	 Speak politely Wait in line politely and quietly Use your table manners Talk softly at the table where you are sitting- 	 Have money out and ready Clean up after yourself Walk directly to the door when dismissed 	 Stay in line along the wall as you enter Stay at the table unless you have permission to leave Walk at all times Eat only your food
		Wait in line silently to leave the lunchroom	



Expectations for Technology Behavior:

Be Respectful

- Carry your Chromebook with both hands, or hug it to your body.
- Use your Chromebook in an area that is free from food and drinks.
- I only type what I would want someone to hear out loud.

Be Responsible

- Keep your name and barcodes on your Chromebook.
- Wash or sanitize your hands before using your Chromebook.
- Wipe your keyboard and screen with a damp disinfecting wipe when you are finished with your Chromebook for the day.

Be Safe

 Your login information belongs only to you. This is private information and should not be shared with others.

- Communicate only with people you know. The other person on the other end of communication may be unsafe
- Keep all personal information private, including your image and location.
- Use safe, school-approved websites.



IMPORTANT DATES 2025-26

25-26 PTA School Calendar

August 2025:

4th- Surfin Into KDG 5-7pm

11th and 12th - Teacher inservice Days

12th- PTA Back 2 School Bash 3:30-5 (on JFD calendar)

12th- PTA Teacher Lunch

14th- A-L 1st Day of School

15th- M-Z 1st Day of School

18th- All Attend School

27th- Grade 1 (5:30-6:15) and Grade 2 (6:15-7pm) Curriculum Nights (on JFD

Calendar)

28th- Grade 3 (5:30-6:15 pm) and Grade 4 and 5 (both at 6:15-7pm) Curriculum Nights

September 2025:

Hispanic Heritage Month
Vision and Hearing Screenings
9/1 Labor Day- NO SCHOOL
9/2 PTA Meeting
9/10 PTA Family Global Night 5-7pm
9/12 PTA Walkathon Kick OFF
9/26 PTA Walkathon

October 2025:

Fall Grade 3 OST Reading Test third week of the month Fall Photos TBD
Grade 3 Musical/Grandparents Night TBD
10/2- Custodian Appreciation Day
10/7 PTA Meeting
10/13 Inservice Day 10/14 PTA Trunk or Treat
10/23 & 28th- Parent/ Teacher Conferences

November 2025:

Indigenous Peoples Month
PTA Caring & Sharing
PTA Reflections Entries
11/4 Election Day
11/4 Professional Learning Day
11/4 PTA VIRTUAL Meeting
11/5 Parent Teacher Conferences
11/11 Veterans Day - No School
11/12 PTA Family Global Night 5-7pm

December 2025:

PTA Giving Tree throughout the month
12/2 PTA Meeting
12/1-5 PTA Inclusive Schools Week
12/8-12/13 Book Fair
12/ 9- Band and STRINGS TBD
12/16 Grade 2 Musical/Grandparents Night TBD
12/13 PTA Winter Wonderland
12/22 Staff Inservice Day
12/22-1/4/26 Winter Break for students

January 2026:

1/6 PTA Meeting

1/14 Winter Parent Teacher Conferences (only based on teacher/family request)

1/19 MLK Day- No SCHOOL

1/27 PTA Mom/Special Person Night 6-8 pm

February 2026:

Black History Month

2/3 PTA Mtg

2/9 Staff Professional Learning Day- No SCHOOL for students

2/11 PTA Family Global Night 5-7pm

2/16 Presidents Day - NO SCHOOL

2/23-2/27 Public Schools Week

26th- PTA STEM Day

March 2026:

PTA After School Enrichment (Dates TBD)

3/3 PTA Meeting

3/13 Inservice Day - NO SCHOOL for STUDENTS

3/14 Global Fair

3/16-3/20 Book Fair

3/24 PTA Dad/ Special Person Night

CHOIR MUSICAL-- TBD???

3/28- April 5 SPRING BREAK -- NO SCHOOL

April 2026:

GRANDPARENTS NIGHT- Grade 1 TBD

STATE TESTING MONTH- Grades 3,4, 5 Dates TBD

4/7 PTA Meeting

4/14 PTA Family Game Night 5:30-7:30pm

May 2026:

Asian American Pacific Islanders Month

STATE TESTING first two weeks of May Grades 3,4, 5 Dates TBD

5/5 PTA Meeting

5/13 PTA Family Global Night 5-7pm

5/15 PTA Enrichment Day 5/21 5th Grade Farewell 5/22 Last Day of School

June 2026:

End of Year Celebration at Stricker's Grove (TBD)

Attached is a link to the official Oak Hills Local School District board approved handbook.
Please read over JFD General Information and also review the link to the OHLSD Student Handbook. This is VERY IMPORTANT to read OHLSD HANDBOOK!

District Student Handbooks 2025-2026



JFD GENERAL INFORMATION

SCHOOL HOURS

Morning Preschool 8:50 AM- 11:35 AM Afternoon Preschool 12:45 PM- 3:30 PM

Morning Kindergarten
Afternoon Kindergarten
Grades 1 - 5

8:50 AM - 11:35 AM
12:45 PM - 3:30 PM
9:00 AM - 3:30 PM

EUGENE L. KRAMER LIBRARY

Checkouts: Students will check out one book each class visit. Books must be returned before

checking out a new book. Lost and damaged books must be replaced with a hardback copy or pay a replacement fee.

STUDENT ABSENT- PHONE CALL!

When a student is absent, it is the responsibility of the parent to call 347-2970 or 574-3443 before 9:15 a.m. to leave a message on the absentee line. For afternoon preschool and kindergarten, please leave a message by 1:15pm. Please read District Student Handbooks 2025-2026 to understand the Attendance Policy.

BACKGROUND VERIFICATION CHECK

All of our parents and community members are required to undergo a background verification check prior to volunteering at JF Dulles. These will need to be completed each school year. Forms are available in the office and our website. There is a google form for easy access. Volunteer Background Check Google Form

PARENT-TEACHER ASSOCIATION

The PTA at Dulles is an integral part of the success of our school. Active participation in this organization is encouraged and appreciated. Membership fees are \$6.00 per person.

PTA Sponsored Classroom parties are the Winter Holiday Party and the Classroom Valentines Party. Any other celebratory event in the classroom is up to teacher discretion with permission from the principal. All volunteers MUST complete a background check prior to volunteering in the classroom.

DULLES WEBSITE/ JFD STATESMAN

You may visit the Dulles Website at www.oakhills.k12.oh.us. The Dulles Statesman, weekly newsletter for the parents, is sent home electronically each Friday. It contains the school lunch menu, listing of volunteers, and shares community related announcements. Please look for this publication each week and read it!

PROGRESS BOOK/PARENT ACCESS, follow these steps:

- 1. Go to the Oak Hills portal http://ohlsd.us
- 2. Click on the parent portal
- 3. Select the Progress Book link.

You can find instructions to help you create your account located on the Parent Portal by selecting the Create Progress Book Accounts icon. Grades and comments must be accurate, objective and honest indications of a student's progress.

BUS ASSIGNMENTS

Oak Hills' buses will transport students within the JF Dulles attendance area who reside more than two miles from the school. Students must ride the assigned bus unless permission is granted by the school or Transportation Department. Students who are not eligible for Oak Hills transportation are not permitted to ride an Oak Hills bus. Occasionally, there are valid reasons when a student needs to depart from a school bus at other than his/her normal stop or ride a different Oak Hills bus. Whenever this is to be done, it is mandatory that a request be written by the parent and countersigned by the office. Requests of this nature are only accepted from assigned Oak Hills bus riders. For any questions regarding transportation, please contact (513) 574-2161.



CARPOOL PROCEDURES

Carpool gates are open from 8:30 a.m. to 8:59 a.m. for morning drop off. They open for end of day pick up at 3:30 pm and close at 3:47 pm.

THE CARPOOL FLOW is described below. Please read carefully.

- 1. Carpool traffic will ENTER the first grade playground.
- At the first grade playground, there will be two gates. Cars turn right into the playground at Gate 1. Staff will be there to direct traffic and it will be noted.
- Cars loop around and drop their students off to the teacher and staff on duty. Students walk directly into the building.
- Afternoon pick up will be at the same location in the first grade playground area.
- Cars will exit at Gate 2. This will be marked and also patrolled by a staff member.

SEE PICTURE BELOW!



6. Upon exiting the playground drop off /pick up area, all cars exit out the lane closest to ARCHES.

Please note --- PRESCHOOL DROP OFF AT THE SIDE OF THE BUILDING closest to the Annex. Door by Blue Ribbon insignia.

WALKER PROCEDURES

AT THE END OF THE DAY, WALKERS EXIT OUT THE BACK DOORS OF THE FIRST GRADE PLAYGROUND, STAYING ON THE WALKING PATH DESIGNATED FOR THEIR DEPARTURE BY RED PAINTED LANES AND TALL ORANGE CONES. A STAFF MEMBER WILL LEAD THEM OUT OF SCHOOL ONTO THE WALKING PATH.

WHEN WALKERS COME INTO SCHOOL IN THE MORNING, THEY WILL ENTER AT THE GATE CLOSEST TO SHIP STORAGE BINS. There is a small gate for them to enter and the students will proceed to first grade doors.

COUNTRY WALK and BRIDGETOWN ROAD WALKERS

Students are to exit the kindergarten doors, use the sidewalk by the marquee and wait for the crossing guard to cross Bridgetown Road. If students are walking to a home on Bridgetown Road, they are to remain on the sidewalks.

****NOTE PRESCHOOL & KINDERGARTEN 11:30 AM CARPOOL PROCEDURE!

This will occur on the first grade playground as noted above. The preschool and kindergarten teachers will walk students to the playground. Parents will enter Gate 1, directly across from ARCHES. Cars will loop around and teachers will walk students to their vehicles.

******KINDERGARTEN 3:30 PM PICK UP will be with grades 1-5 in the first grade playground area.

The Green Township Public Library

The public library parking lot is off limits to JFD families during arrival and dismissal. Please ensure that the Dulles parking lot is utilized for pick up and that the library parking lot is left for library patrons only.

FREE AND REDUCED LUNCH FEE APPLICATION

If a family is experiencing financial hardship, please check to see if there is eligibility for students to be enrolled in Free and Reduced Lunch.

The application can be completed at www.lunchapplication.com.

Any information about fees, etc, please refer to **District Student Handbooks 2025-2026**

PARENT VISITS TO CAFETERIA

- If parents are providing a birthday treat they can do so by bringing the treat to the homeroom teacher in the morning. Treats should not be taken to the cafeteria by the parent.
- All birthday treats should be pre-packaged and should clearly display the ingredients. This is necessary so that we can attend to issues related to student allergies.
- Parents are allowed to visit students and have lunch with them but these visits should be limited to special occasions and should be no more than 1-2 times per school year.

MEDICATION at School

Please refer to:

District Student Handbooks 2025-2026

If you have any questions about medication, please contact the school nurse, Mrs. Jenny Boling to receive guidance on how to administer medication at school and the necessary steps. Mrs. Boling's email is boling e@ohld.org

For any questions, please contact J.F Dulles Elementary School 6481 Bridgetown Road

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