

TAFT EARLY LEARNING CENTER

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TAFT UPDATE - 9/26

This week at Taft:

- Wednesday, September 29th - Construction - Please pay attention to the important message below
- Thursday, September 30th - Meet the Teacher Night (Virtual) 5:30-7 pm.
- Friday, October 1st - World Smile Day - Wear Yellow or Smiles or Black and Orange Day

Upcoming Events:

- October 13th and October 14th - Picture Days
- October 14th - PTO Meeting at 6 pm

IMPORTANT MESSAGE FOR WED. 9/29 ONLY - DROP OFF AND DISMISSAL:

Roofers will be working on the outside of Taft on Wednesday only and we need to reroute our drop off and arrival.

For arrival: All Walkers coming from McCloskey will need to enter through the front doors. This is the main entrance of the building.

For dismissal: All letters of the alphabet will be dismissed by the Music room - this is door 14.

We will have three stations on the playground and you will be directed to where you need to pick your child up.

Access to the main entrance will be limited from 9 a.m. - 2 p.m. so please call the main office if you need to drop off or pick up your child during the school day during these hours.

We apologize for the inconvenience!

Meet the Teacher Night:

Below is the schedule for Meet the Teacher Night - All zoom links will be sent on Thursday morning. Classroom teachers and coaches will have 2 time slots and will be presenting the same material twice to help accommodate families with multiple children.

5:30 - 5:40 p.m. - Welcome with Administration

5:40-6:00 p.m. - Coaches Presentation on New Curriculum Programs

Grade 1 Teachers

Specialists

Grade 2 Teachers

6:20-6:40 p.m. - Kindergarten Teachers

Grade 3 Teachers
Counselors
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School Council

If you are interested in joining the Taft School Council this year. Please email Principal Bellville, jbelle@uxbridge.k12.ma.us by Wednesday, September 29th. The School Council typically meets monthly. This year meetings will be held from 5:30-6:30 pm.

Message from our Counselors (Mrs. Buel and Mrs. Waterhouse)

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nine ways to support emotion management

@_missbehavior



provide a calm space



teach a variety of coping skills



listen



problem solve together



allow for water and snack breaks



incorporate movement



support executive functioning skills



offer tangible tools



keep the team on the same page

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Message from the PTO - FUN RUN:

We are excited to kick off our Taft Early Learning Center Fun Run on 10/20. Our goal is to raise \$25,000 for community building events, field trips, and other educational experiences and to strengthen our school community.

Our school has always relied on fundraising to provide exceptional opportunities to enhance student learning. And this year, we have more needs than we've ever had before, which means we need your support more than ever.

We completely understand if your family is not in a position to financially support the school right now. You can still be involved by simply SHARING about our fundraiser with friends and extended family online at mybooster.com. Sharing IS supporting!

Just as we worked to safely begin school this year, we are also safely hosting this essential fundraiser based on our school's current guidelines. We'll send more details, as we get closer to our kick off.

We are grateful for our Taft family! Thank you for your support this year. We all need it!

My door is always open and I welcome your input. Please feel free to call or email, jbelleville@uxbridge.k12.ma.us, to discuss any concerns throughout the year or stop by to say hello. I am looking forward to working with you as a team to help each student at Taft Early Learning Center meet their goals and have a successful school year!

Have a great week!

Principal Bellville

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