



From the Principal's Desk

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Welcome to Ridgewood

School Day 7:50-3:00

Doors Open at 7:30

It is always nice to start a new school year. The beginning of a new year is the perfect time to set goals for what we hope to accomplish during 2019-2020.

I encourage an open line of communication in order for your child to reach their full potential, both academically as well as socially. We are excited to watch these children grow.

We strive to make this a fantastic school year. We aim to challenge your students, but we also want them to have fun as they learn. We can't wait to see where this year takes us!

Help Your Child Set Goals

Teaching children how to set short and long term goals help them learn the skills needed to grow up to be responsible citizens.

Talk with your child about something they hope or want to accomplish during this first six weeks, semester, etc.

- Set goals that can be easily reached at first.
- Break goals into small steps so your child can make progress in a day/week.
- Create a chart to keep up with progress made toward reaching a goal.
- Have high but reasonable expectations. Expect your child to carry through.



Principal Notes

Please consider joining and becoming involved with the Ridgewood Elementary PTA. The PTA does a great job of supporting all our administration, teachers, staff, and students throughout the year. You can receive updates on the Ridgewood Elementary PTA Facebook page and the Ridgewood PTA Remind (text @ridwoodpta to 81010).

- I also encourage all parents to follow Ridgewood Elementary on social media for announcements and updates.
 - Facebook: facebook.com/RidgewoodE
 - Twitter: @RW_Elem
 - Remind by grade level: Text @rwkinder, @rw1st, @rw2nd, or @rw3rd to 81010

Upcoming Dates

August 26th - Big Kahuna Fundraiser Begin:

August 27th- PTA Meeting 8:15

August 30th- PTA T-Shirt Orders due

September 2nd- Labor Day-No School

September 9th - Character Kick Off Week

September 16th - Constitution Day

September 20th - End of 1st 6 weeks

September 27th - Homecoming Photo Booth

"We are Building a Bright Future at Ridgewood Elementary"

