

Eustis School Department

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Dear Families:

A friendly reminder that students can **arrive at school at 7:45 am.** Breakfast begins being served at this time as well. **Breakfast ends at 8:00**, when students head to their classrooms to begin the day.

If students arrive at **8:00 am or beyond, they will be offered cereal, juice and milk** that they will take back to their classroom to eat.

As a reminder, the **final bell** to start the day rings at **8:10.** **If students arrive after that time, they are considered tardy.** Please keep in mind this disrupts the classroom and routines that everyone has set. We recognize that people have a rough morning on occasion, but please do not make it a habit.

On another note, **please refrain from texting your student during the school day**, messages can be relayed to students through the office. Smart watches and cell phones should not be used as a form of communication during school hours, for students in any grade. **The policy is that students should have their cellphones turned off and in their backpacks during school, unless allowed by a teacher to retrieve something. The smart watches can be used to tell time and count steps, but should not be used to communicate bus plans, play dates or other information within the school day.** If it is used in this manner, students will be asked to place it in their backpack. Continued infractions will result in having the cell phone or watch placed at the office and picked up by the parent at the end of the day.

This helps us to keep everyone safe and accounted for. Changes made without letting the office know makes busses and dismissal confusing for teachers and students. Please reach out with any questions or concerns.

Thank you so much for your cooperation.

Yours in Education,

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