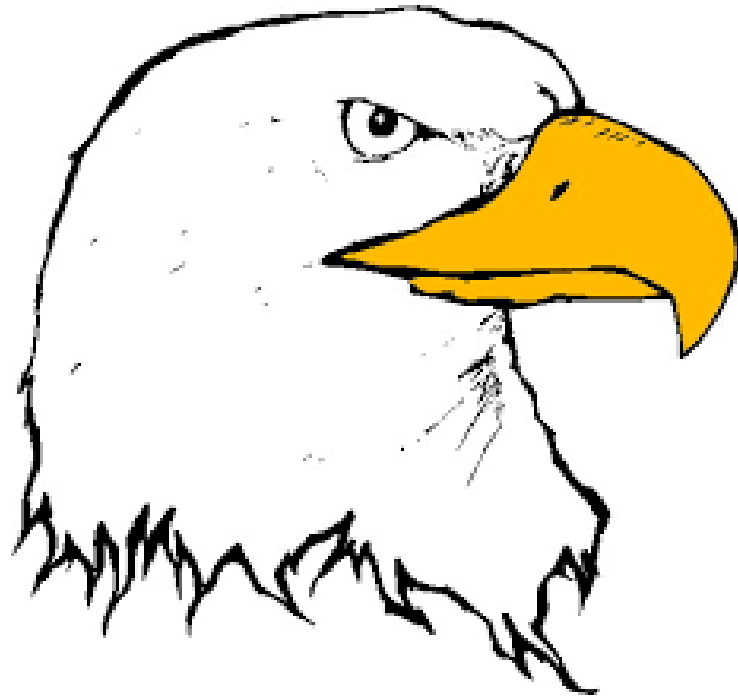


OPEN HOUSE



**Cedar Hills Elementary
2020-2021**

Meet the Principal

Marva McKinney



Meet the Assistant Principal

Megan Ray



Safety

- ★ We are implementing a combination of social distancing and use of face coverings to ensure safety of the students and staff.
- ★ Safety procedures for students at Cedar Hills:
 - ☆ Temperature checks
 - ☆ Wearing face coverings when social distancing isn't feasible.
 - ☆ Hand washing upon entering class, prior to transitions, and returning to class.



Face Coverings

- ★ Students will need to wear face coverings when...
 - ☆ Boarding bus - parent provided
 - ☆ Entering building - parent provided
 - ☆ Dismissal - parent provided
 - ☆ During classroom time - school provided
 - ☆ Hallway transitions - school provided
 - ☆ Cafeteria line - school provided



Face Coverings



- ★ The district will provide students with face coverings that will be kept at school.
 - ☆ K-2 students will receive a face shield
 - ☆ 3-5 students will receive a face mask
- ★ Parents can provide students with a preferred face covering to replace the one district has provided.
 - ☆ Must provide coverage of students mouth and nose
- ★ Suggest to parents to provide students with a 5-day supply to wear during arrival and dismissal



Bus Transportation

- ★ Parents **MUST** sign into FOCUS and register their children to ride the bus.
- ★ After August 4, parents can sign back into FOCUS to see the specific bus number, bus stop, and bus time.



School Apps

ALL parents will need the following (3) apps in order to effectively communicate throughout the year:

- ★ FOCUS
- ★ DCPS
- ★ Class Dojo (for teachers who use



Focus

★ You can...

- ☆ Check student grades and assignments
- ☆ Check student attendance
- ☆ Register for bus transportation



Morning Arrival

Students can not be dropped off prior to 8:00 a.m.

Every Student must have their temperature checked prior to entering the school

Car Riders will enter through the front entrance of the school

Walkers and Bike Riders will enter through the walker gate

Bus riders will enter from the bus loading zone



Lunch

- ★ All students will receive a healthy lunch
- ★ All Cedar Hills students receive FREE breakfast and FREE lunch
- ★ Each Student will choose their lunch items, lunch will be eaten in the classroom

Student Wellness

- ★ Students will participate in daily and monthly wellness programs which include:
 - ★ *Calm Classroom*
 - ★ *Sanford Harmony*
 - ★ *Wellness Wednesday*



Calm Classroom

- ★ Calm Classroom provides students with mediation activities that are individualized and promotes self-awareness
- ★ Click on the link to watch a short video clip explaining Calm Classroom:
 - ☆ <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=4g6X0nny7JA>
- ★ Explain how Calm Classroom will be implemented in your classroom.

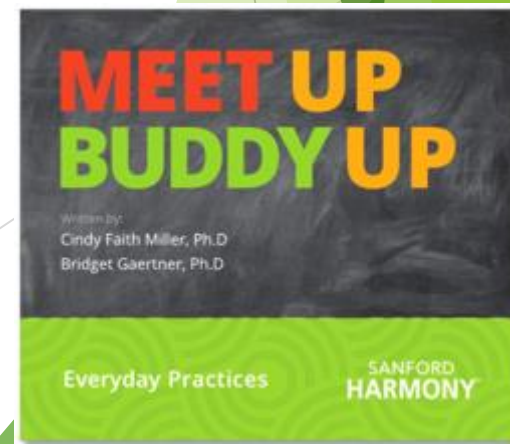
We are a Calm Classroom school



Sanford Harmony

- ★ Sanford Harmony was implemented in 2018 Duval County and focuses on collaboration, community, and relationships.
- ★ The students know this as “Meet Up” “Buddy Up”
- ★ Click on the link to watch a short video clip explaining Sanford Harmony:

☆ <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=pJCzlkqSXUI>



Wellness Wednesday

- ★ Students participate in Wellness Wednesday each Early Release Day.
- ★ The district provides lesson plans and videos



Communication

- ★ Parent conferences will take place in Teams
- ★ All students will be receiving student agendas and a Tuesday Folder
- ★ Emergency Contacts - Please list the name and numbers of any individuals you may need to rely on in the event of an emergency. We will not release students to adults not listed on the information card.
- ★ Email -Emails and voicemail messages are checked throughout the day. All calls and emails are returned within 24 hours.

Volunteer

Cedar Hills is currently unable to allow any volunteers or parents in the building to ensure the safety of our students and staff.

- ★ Screening Requirements - Please visit www.duvalschools.org and click on the Volunteer link under the Parent tab. Clearance is good for 2 years and required to attend field trips.



Field Trips

Field trips are suspended until further notice.

- ★ We will keep students and parents updated as we receive information from the district.
- ★ Younger siblings, students from other grade levels and students from other schools **MAY NOT** attend field trips.

Afternoon Dismissal

- ★ EARLY PICKUPS - No early pickups after 2:15.
- ★ Changes to a student's dismissal method must be made by 12:00 NOON in WRITING to the teacher FIRST (email, planner, faxed). Parents can email the following personnel:
 - ★ mckinneym3@duvalschools.org Marva McKinney (Principal)
 - ★ byerleym@duvalschools.org Megan Ray (Assistant Principal)
 - ★ jamesc6@duvalschools.org Chaunece James (Data Entry Clerk)
 - ★ wynkoopr@duvalschools.org Robin Wynkoop (Office Assistant)
- ★ Explain the process of car riders, front walkers, park and pick up, back walkers, and bus/daycare van riders on the following slides.

Afternoon Dismissal

- ★ **Car Riders** - Students will be released from their designated area within the school, parents should drive through the car line, and state their child's name to be called over the radio.
- ★ **Bus/Daycare Van Riders** - Students will be released from their designated area within the school
- ★ **Parking and Pick-Up** - Explain the process for your grade level...and Rainy Day Dismissal
- ★ **Walkers** - Students will be released from their designated area within the school
- ★ **After School Program** - Students will be released from their designated area within the school

PTA Membership

Sign up today for
\$5 per member
at the PTA booth

PLEASE NOTE

- Purchasing a membership does not mean you have to volunteer or serve in an official board position.
- Memberships dues will should be turned in to the front office:

Thank you!



Watch for the membership form in the Tuesday folder *everychild.one voice.®*

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S.A.C.

School Advisory Council



- ★ SAC is the behind the scenes work of the school
- ★ We value and need parent input
- ★ Our first meeting is TBA and will be held, virtually in (Zoom)

Please help us reach our goal of one parent representative per class.