

Garrett Primary

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Welcome to Garrett Primary School, Lufkin ISD's Pre-K 4 Center for Excellence! The first day of school is Wednesday, August 16, 2017 and our staff is ready to welcome you and your child to the campus. I look forward to meeting each of you, as we are expecting the year to be successful, rewarding, and exciting for you and your child. Our doors open each day at 7:15 a.m. and classroom instruction begins promptly at 7:45 a.m.

Each year before school starts, parents have an opportunity to tour the school and meet their child's teacher. Your child may wear cowboy/cowgirl clothes for "Meet the Teacher" (no toy guns, please) on Thursday, August 10, from 12:00 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. It is very important that you and your child come to "Meet the Teacher" because your child's teacher will have important information you will need for the first day of school. To ensure your child gets home safely, please be prepared to make us aware of how your child will go home each day (car/day care van/school bus/walk with parent). If you have questions about bus transportation, please contact the transportation department at 936-634-6516. They will open for bus sign up on July 24 through August 8, 7:00 a.m. until 4:00 p.m. You must take valid identification and proof of residency with you. For the safety of our students, any time you are visiting district campuses, signing a student out, or bringing a student to school late, have your valid ID.

All students must be registered online, using the InfoSnap link found at www.lufkinisd.org. If your child attended Hackney Primary, you will need a snap code to update their registration as a returning student. Letters with these codes were given to you at Hackney during your end of year parent conference. If you need your code, call the office and we will be happy to help. To register online, you will need an email address to complete the process. Our computer lab will be open August 10 if you need assistance with registration.

Enclosed is a copy of the District's Standardized Dress Code, a school supply list, and directions for completing the mandatory nutrition form. Complete this form online or you may ask for a paper copy. If you are interested in the afterschool child care program held on our campus by a private daycare (New Generations Learning Academy), please contact Mrs. Shante Moreland at 936.632.KIDZ (5439). If you are interested in the afterschool child care program located at Hackney Primary, notify their school secretary.

I look forward to meeting you on August 10. Please feel free to contact our office at 936.634.8418 if we can be of assistance to you.

Your partner in education,

Garrett Primary Principal

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Lufkin ISD mission: to educate and equip all students for success through exceptional learning experiences.

Receiving this letter means that you have submitted an application and additional information to be reviewed for your child's enrollment in the Pre-Kindergarten program. However, enrollment eligibility is based on status in several areas: age, Limited English Proficiency, active military duty, educationally disadvantaged, in conservatorship of DFPS and/or homeless. Upon the completed review of documents and status, if your child does not qualify, you will be notified of your option to pay for your child to continue in the program.