

Creekside Elementary School – Alice Tumilty, Principal

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Dear Creekside Comet Families:

It is with great excitement that I welcome you to the **2023-2024 school year**! Whether you are a returning family or a new family to Creekside, we are all about to embark on a wonderful school year!

My name is Alice Tumilty and I am the proud principal of Creekside Elementary School. As I start my 5th year leading this incredible school with Sheri Bennett by my side as our Assistant Principal, I am beyond grateful for the support from our parents/caregivers, the dedication of our talented and ambitious staff, and of course the joy of watching your incredible children grow through their elementary school years!

Whether your child enjoys learning to read and write, to tackle a challenging math problem, to create a bridge in our STEAM lab or to participate in our grade level Interest groups, there is a place at Creekside where your child will connect and feel a part of our inclusive community. Throughout the year we engage in rigorous academics, however, we also take time to tap into each student's interests, strengths and passions. More importantly we take time to identify the needs of each student in the following areas: academics, social emotional needs and behaviors.

I look forward to seeing all of our Comet Community at our **In-Person Registration event on August 8th from 4:00-7:00 in our MPR**. In addition, please plan to attend our upcoming Back-to-School-Nights to learn more about our incredible school and community.

The first day of school is on **Thursday, August 10, 2023**. In order to prepare for this memorable day, we want you to be aware of some important dates and activities at Creekside before the first day of school.

	Complete Creekside Online Registration for the 2023-2024 School Year -
_	https://ces.futurefund.com
	Complete the District Online Annual Update using your Parent Portal in Infinite Campus
	https://srvusd.infinitecampus.org If you need help with the Annual Update, please email
	portalhelp@srvusd.net. Only one Annual Update is required for each family at a primary
	address. You will receive a confirmation email following completion of the Annual
	Update process.
	Class assignments will be available on August 7th at noon . Visit your Parent Portal in
	Infinite Campus to find out the name of your child's teacher.
	https://srvusd.infinitecampus.org

Attend On-Site Registration and School Picture Day on Tuesday, August 8th between the
hours of 4pm-7pm) – Creekside Multi-Purpose Room (MPR). School pictures will be taken
by APVisions. Visit https://vando.imagequix.com/g1001032232 to preorder your school
pictures. Make up day is scheduled for September 29th.
Visit the Volunteer Management System to update your information or to register to
volunteer -
https://www.srvusd.net/Students-and-Families/Volunteer-Requirements/index.html
Please note, new mandatory requirements have been added to the Volunteer System, so
please If you need help with Be A Mentor, please email help@beamentor.org. SRVUSD
has partnered with Be A Mentor, Inc., to support the on-line registration and screening
process of school volunteers. All adults must be cleared through Be A Mentor to come
onto campus during school hours. Make sure to complete this process ASAP.

Other important dates in August, please mark your calendars with these important dates and times:

- August 1st August 18th-Online Registration Open, access it at ces.futurefund.com
- August 7th 12:00 pm-Class Assignments available via Parent Portal
- August 8th 4:00-7:00 pm, "Comets Blast Off" Registration and Picture Day
- August 10th First Day of School
- August 10th 8:00-9:00 am, Tears and Cheers, welcome back coffee for parents
- August 10th 5:30-7:00pm TK, Kinder, 1st gr Back-to-School-Night (parents only)
 - o Parent Meeting in MPR 5:30-6:00 pm
 - TK, K & 1st 6:00-7:00 pm in classrooms
- August 15th Grades 2-5 Back to School Night (parents only)
 - o Gr 4-5 5:30-6:30pm in classrooms
 - o Parent Meeting in MPR 6:30-7:00 pm
 - o Gr 2-3 7:00-8:00pm in classrooms

Please refer to this adjusted <u>schedule</u> for the first few weeks of school. This <u>schedule</u> should help families navigate minimum days, assessment days and regular days in August. Kindergarten and First grade families, please be on the lookout for your Early/Late schedule assignment on August 18th. Here are links to the <u>Instructional Calendar-2023-2024 Instructional Calendar</u> and a link to our <u>Bell Schedule</u>.

Please bookmark our school website https://cres.srvusd.net/ for important dates and upcoming events. We look forward to working with you as a team to help each student at Creekside meet their goals and have a successful school year!

Sincerely,

Alice Tumilty
Mrs. Tumilty
Principal, Creekside Elementary School