



**CREATING LIFELONG LEARNERS - RESPECTING DIVERSITY - FOSTERING COMMUNITY**

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Dear Meadowlark Families,

On behalf of the staff at Meadowlark Elementary, I am happy to welcome you and your child back to a new and exciting school year. Our highly qualified staff believe in the power of collaboration so every student receives the best instruction possible to succeed both academically and socially within our community. To improve communication between school and home, we will be incorporating more electronic messaging with parents this year. This will allow parents immediate access to upcoming events and important announcements. I also invite all parents to visit our district website at [www.scsd2.com](http://www.scsd2.com). From the website, parents can access all contact information, district calendars, our student handbook, lunch menus, transportation and much more.

We are encouraging parents to create a parent portal account on our school website. This will allow for revision and editing of your child's registration information online, monitor and pay towards your child's lunch account and receive important messages from the school. Parent portal accounts can be created and updated by accessing the following link on our school website:

<https://scsd2.com/parents/infinite-campus-parent-portal>

This year we welcome Mrs. Strampe as our new second grade teacher, Mrs. Thurow as our new fourth grade teacher, Mrs. Barker as our new fifth grade teacher, Mrs. Smith as our new elementary orchestra teacher, Mrs. Fackrell as our new paraprofessional, Ms. Thibeault as our new second cook and Mrs. Amber Gable as our new parent liaison. Mrs. Dubberley is our new Literacy Coordinator.

Meadowlark's 21st Century After School Program for students in grades 1st-5th will begin on Monday, September 10th. Registration can be found on Meadowlark's homepage on the district website: <https://scsd2.com/schools/meadowlark-elementary>. Parents can begin registering on August 20th.

**Important Dates to Remember:**

Monday, August 20th:	After School Program Registration Begins
Thursday, August 23rd:	Kindergarten Open House from 5:00-6:30 P.M. 1st-5th Grade Open House from 5:30-6:30 P.M. (Rootbeer floats will be served outside courtesy of our PTO)
Tuesday, August 28th:	First Day of School (School begins at 8:00 A.M.)
Monday, September 3rd:	NO SCHOOL (Labor Day)
Thursday, September 6th:	Parent Information Night for School Safety 6:00 P.M.

Sincerely,

Christy Spielman  
Meadowlark Elementary Principal