



K- 5 Back to School 2024-2025

Welcome back MAA K-5 families to a new school year and a special welcome to our newest moose. We can't wait to see all our students next week. Below you will find important information regarding the start of school.

Staggered Entry for September

- We will have staggered entry for the Kindergarten grade level starting September 3, 2024.
- An important reminder that K-2 students will no longer have 2:00 pm dismissal. All students K-5 will be dismissed at 3:00 pm

Kindergarten Parents!

Kindergarten parents will receive a phone call from your child's teacher during the week of August 26th. **Your child's teacher will call you to let you know which days your child will come to school during the first week of school.**

Your child's teacher will also ask you to **confirm bussing arrangements** for after school and provide a current email address and all current phone numbers. Parents, please note that to access your child's bussing information you **MUST** create a profile on **Bus Planner** by doing the following:

- Go to the ASD-N Website: <http://asd-n.nbed.nb.ca/>
- Click the Bus Planner icon on the right side of the page

If you do not have internet access or have difficulty obtaining the information, please call the ASD-N District Office Transportation Dept. at 1-800-661-6667 or 778-6075.

Grades 1-5 Students

All students grade 1-5 will begin school on **Tuesday September 3**. Class lists will only be posted at the front doors of the school on the morning of September 3.

NOTE: There will be several staff at all entry points of the school to help direct your child to their homeroom on the first day of school.

School Access: Parents are not permitted to enter the school except by **appointment**. Please phone 627-4086 to make an appointment with your child's teacher, if necessary.

Student Arrival at School

Bus students will enter through back entrances by bus loop.

Class Supply Fee K-5

A reminder to send with your child, the class supply fee. This should be done on the first week of school. Fee is \$60.00 and covers all class supplies for the school year. Please place money in a small Ziplock/envelope labelled with child's name and homeroom teacher.

Student Entrances for Parent Drop-Off

ALL students K-8 being dropped off by parents in the morning will use the front of school drop-off loop.

- K-2 when facing the school go to the left following the walkway around the side
- 3-8 use the main school doors

School doors will open at 7:50 am. No students will be permitted inside until that time as there is no supervision.

All students need water bottles. The water fountains have their 'mouthpiece' disengaged and students can only fill bottles.

Cafeteria News!

- **All elementary (K-5) students will eat lunches in their classrooms.** K-2 ordering from the cafeteria, will have it delivered to them in their class.
- **NOTE: There are no microwaves in classrooms, grade level wings, or the cafeteria for K-5 students to use, so please pack lunches that do not need to be heated. This is a Fire Marshal order.**

Important Cafeteria Notice:

Unfortunately, our cafeteria (Chartwells) will be delayed in providing service for the first week of school (Sept. 3 – Sept. 6).

Students will be required to come to school with a packed lunch during this time. Full service will begin the week of September 9. Breakfast program will not be affected, and all students will have access to "Grab n Go" breakfast items each morning.

We are looking forward to a great year with all our MAA students!