

Gradual Entry Schedule for Primary/K's

All of our Primary students - children 2 ½ to 6 years old - start the school year with a *gradual entry*. The initial step is a 20 - 30 minute *individual orientation visit*. Individual orientation visits will be arranged directly with your child's guide for:

[Tuesday, September 5](#), or [Wednesday, September 6](#), or [Thursday, September 7](#).

The schedule for small group orientation sessions is shown below. Please ask if you have questions.

* Your child is **NEW** if this is the first time they have been enrolled in our Primary program.

Your child is **RETURNING** if last year (2022-2023) they were part of the Osprey, Willow or Sea Otter communities.

Monday, September 11	9:00 am - 11:30 am NEW * 2 ½ , 3 and 4 year olds	1:00 pm - 3:30 pm NEW * 5 and 6 year olds
Tuesday, September 12	9:00 am - 11:30 am NEW * 2 ½ , 3 and 4 year olds	1:00 pm - 3:30 pm NEW * 5 and 6 year olds
Wednesday, September 13	9:00 am - 11:30 am New AND RETURNING 2 ½ , 3 and 4 year olds	1:00 pm - 3:30 pm New AND RETURNING 5 and 6 year olds
Thursday, September 14	9:00 am - 11:30 am New AND RETURNING 2 ½ , 3 and 4 year olds	1:00 pm - 3:30 pm New AND RETURNING 5 and 6 year olds
Monday, September 18	7:50 - 8:00 am - 12:00 pm Half Day Students	7:50 - 8:00 am - 1:00 pm Full Day Students

The final step of the gradual entry for Primary/K's is our *first day with all students together*. All Primary students come to school, arriving between 7:50 - 8:00 am.

Half Day Students will be dismissed as normal at 12:00 pm, to have lunch at home.

Full Day Students will be dismissed early at 1:00 pm, after sharing a first meal together.

Tuesday, September, 19 begins the regular school year schedule for all Primary students.

Gradual Entry for Elementary Students (1st-6th)

Tuesday, September 5th: ONLY NEW* Elementary students

*NEW is defined as any student who will be transitioning to a classroom other than the one they were in last year. This includes those moving to a different level (K to Younger Elementary, Younger Elementary to Older Elementary, New to LCMCS and those students who were reassigned from Pacific or Wy'East.

Wednesday, September 6th: ALL Elementary students (New & Returning)