

Fremont Elementary

**Fremont
Elementary –
Develop lifelong
learners who are
safe, respectful,
and responsible.**

Welcome to the 2025-2026 School Year!

July 1, 2025

School starts – Tuesday, August 19th
School hours – 8:10am to 3:10pm (doors open 7:40am)
Office opens Tuesday, July 1st at Fremont Elementary

School Communication & Supplies

Fremont's current supply list is enclosed and can always be found on our school website: sps.org/fremont

Please label student backpacks and jackets with their name or initials. Teachers will use our Fremont SeeSaw account – this is a protected communication platform which we will use for most of our school and teacher communication. Please join your child's class as this is the best way to communicate with school staff (and get to see fun pictures of learning in action!).

Meet the Teacher Event – Friday, August 15th

3:30-5:00pm – Classrooms will be open and class lists will be posted by the main entry to the school for all students and families. Stop by to see your student's classroom, drop off supplies, meet the teachers, and enjoy learning more about amazing plans for this to be the best school year.

Child Care at School

Our before and after-school childcare services at school continue to be provided by the Boys & Girls Club of Springfield. Contact our Fremont Unit Director, Mia Joe with questions regarding their program at 865-1073 or by email fremont@bgclubspringfield.org or check the sps.org website. Registration is going on now.

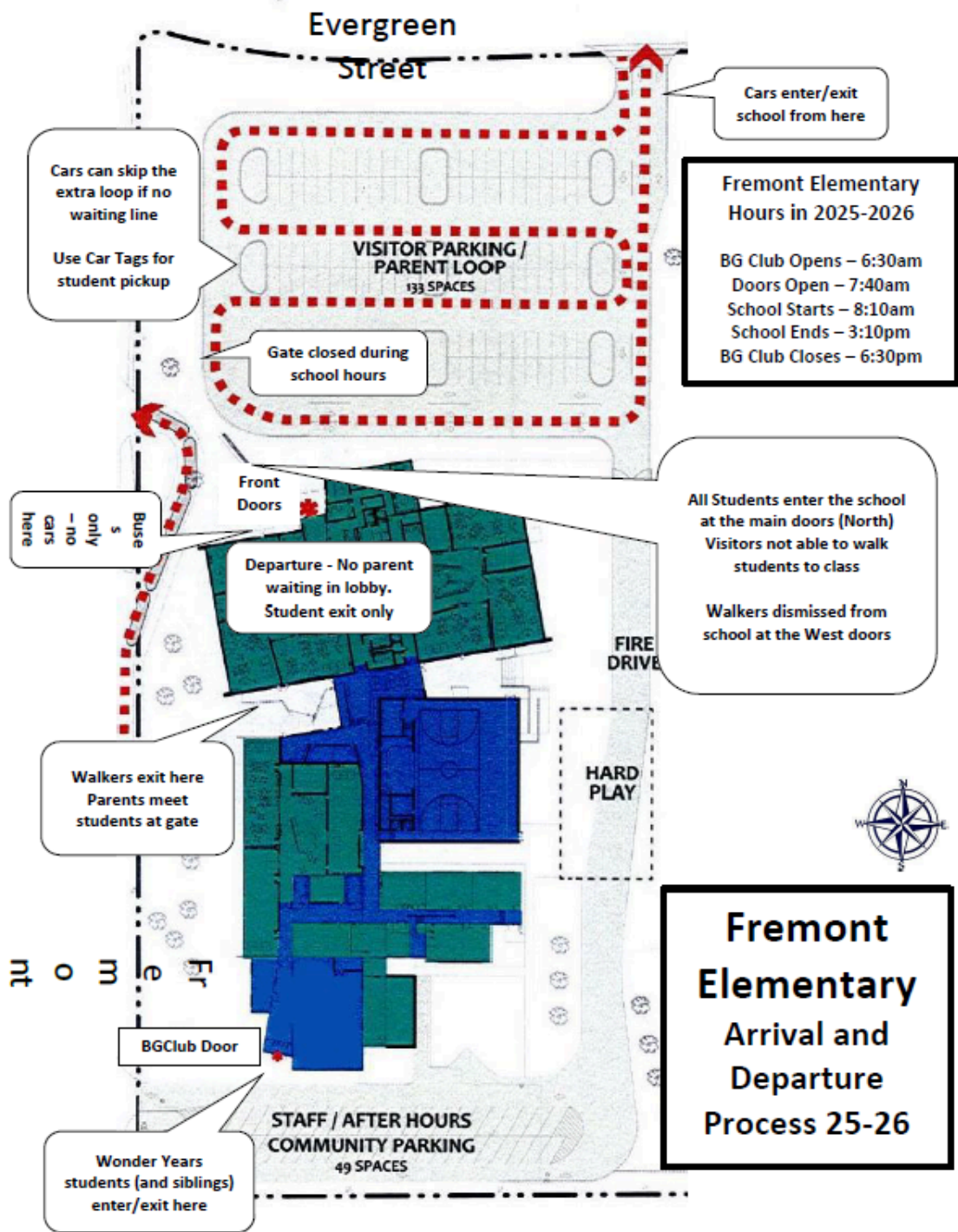
Bus Transportation

The SPS Transportation Department (523-0500) will be sending out bus stop notices to all eligible families. Bus service is free to students living more than 1.5 miles from the school. Check eligibility at sps.org.

Looking forward to an amazing year!

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Fremont Elementary Student Handbook



Attendance

Be at school 95%-100%. Call 523-1700 if absent.

Before School Procedures

Students are not in the building before 7:40am. Doors open at 7:40am. Don't send students earlier.

Bicycles

Lock up your bike on the bike rack if you ride.

Birthdays

Don't send cupcakes/food items. Non-food items ok.

Breakfast

All students get free breakfast every day if wanted.

Buses

We have several busses for those who live more than a mile away from the school. Transportation: 523-0500.

Child Care Options

Fremont Unit of Boys and Girls Club (865-1073).

Class Parties

Two parties each year - Winter and Valentine's Day.

Conferences

Student-led conferences are held each school year for all parents. Students participate too!

Dismissal

Keep children safe by being consistent and patient. Do not park in the bus area. Pull up as directed.

Dress Code

No inappropriate, immodest or revealing clothing should be worn at school.

Emergency Preparedness

We hold regular drills for fire, storms, earthquakes and intruders.

Field Trips

Parent permission is required to attend trips.

Illness

Students have to stay home for 24 hours if sick (fever, vomit, diarrhea). Students cannot stay at school if have head lice, strep throat, pink eye, or other contagious conditions. Nurse will share more if have symptoms.

Leaving School

Check out students only through the office. Notify office if different adult is picking up your student.

Library Books

Students get weekly book check out. Fines apply if books are damaged or lost.

Lost & Found

Items left at school are moved to the cafeteria area. Unclaimed items will be discarded or donated quarterly. Writing names on jackets is essential!

Lunch Visits

Space for visitors is not available this year at lunch.

Medication Policy

Medicines require a permission form and original container. Only adults can transport medicines.

Orchestra

Orchestra plans to return next school year.

PTA - Parent Organizations

Join PTA, volunteer to help, and create an awesome school together.

PE - Physical Education

Wear sneakers on PE days to be safe.

Playground

Recess is held daily in good weather. Personal toys and balls should stay home.

School Closings

On social media and news. We also make auto calls

School Hours

8:10 a.m. start and done at 3:10 p.m.

Visitors

All visitors must check in and out at the office and receive a visitor pass. First time visitors must bring a driver's license to register with the visitor system.

Volunteers

All volunteers are required to pass a background check through the SPS website (sps.org) to work with students (check is free).