

June 23, 2020

Dear New First School Families,

Though summer has just begun, I would like to welcome each of you to Key School's First School. We are thrilled that you and your child(ren) will be joining our community and are eager to share with you our dynamic, whole-child approach to early childhood education.

As you begin to consider your child's start to the new school year, please visit the <u>New-to-Key</u> page on our school website, under the Admission tab. On this page you will find our 2020-2021 Academic Year Calendar, school health forms, and more.

Summer calendars tend to fill quickly so below are some important dates around the start of the school year worth noting.

**Friday, August 28:** New student orientation. More details about this event will be shared during the summer as we receive the guidelines for the safest way to engage students and families in this event.

Monday, August 31: First day of school for five-day students.

Tuesday, September 1: First day of school for three-day students.

Given the COVID-19 pandemic, many details about the coming school year remain uncertain. You will receive ongoing written communication from Matthew Nespole, Head of School, with school-wide information or from me regarding First School specific news. Should you want to discuss anything now, please feel welcome to use the contact information below.

With summer days ahead, I hope you find wonderful ways to spend time with your child. Take time to read aloud, explore outside and talk with your child about new and familiar experiences.

All the best,

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