

Ferson Creek School

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Dear Ferson Creek Families,

Happy New Year! As we begin another terrific year at the Creek, we wanted to be sure to remind you of a few practical safety issues that affect our daily operations. We wanted to thank you for your patience and understanding with the following items:

- Under a new State Law, cell phone usage is prohibited in vehicles unless using a 'hands-free' device. Please know that there are existing laws about cell phone usage in School Zones. Please be sure to monitor the parking lot and pick-up lanes for children (and adults) crossing the street. We would ask that cell phone usage in our School Zone be extremely limited.
- When dropping your students off, or when picking them up, please be sure to have them exit the vehicle curbside. Also, we ask that you stay in your vehicle during the drop-off/pick-up process. If your student needs assistance, please pull all the way up next to the Kindergarten playground and allow our staff to help your student in/out of the car.
- Please know that students may not take different buses, other than the one they are assigned, to/from school. We do allow this, with prior permission from Transportation, for custodial purposes (i.e. Parents are out of town, and the child is staying with someone else). Your help in ensuring that your child takes their bus is greatly appreciated.
- When coming into the school, we ask that all adults check in at the Front Office. We would require a State-Issued Identification Card when you are checking in. Please do not walk back to the classroom area without checking in and obtaining a visitors pass. We appreciate your assistance with this.

We greatly appreciate your help and assistance in ensuring the smooth and safe functioning of the school. If you have any comments or suggestions, please feel free to contact us at 331-228-2300. Thank you and have a great day!

Yours in Education,

Chris Adkins