

Message from Mrs. Johnson, Director:

[Welcome Back to the 2017-2018 School Year!!](#)

Our team of administrators and teachers have been diligently working together to make sure each child is placed in a class that will best meet their needs. You may find, this year, that your child has been placed in a class that is grouped differently. Sometimes these transitions are based on social factors and sometimes they are based on academic needs, but they are always made with your child's best interest in mind. We love your child and will always do the best that we can for them.



Save the Date

8/10-11	RSA Registration/Packet pick up, 8:00-4:00
8/14	School Picnic, 5:00
8/16	First day of school, 8:00
8/29	Back to School Night, 6:00
9/8	School Campout, Hat Creek

NEW pick up times:

English Kindergarten pick up time is 1:15p.m.

Mandarin Kindergarten – 3rd pick up time is 2:15p.m.

NEW (3:00p.m. – 3:15p.m.) AFTER SCHOOL PICK UP PROCEDURES:

(Includes 4th thru 8th graders plus sib wait students)

Parking Lot – Parents park in an appropriate parking space and must walk to the front of the school to pick up student. Please use cross walks. All cars will exit the parking lot at the north end. Students dismissed at the 3:00 p.m. pick-up time may cross at the cross walk to meet their parent.



Drivers are to pick up students In front of school and on south side of school along loading area: – Cars will form single lines along the curbs in their designated areas in front of school and on the south side of the school. Students/carpools with last names beginning with (A-L) will load at the front of the school. Students/carpools with last names beginning with (M-Z) will load on the south side of the school. All Lines for pick up will be single file. **For the safety of all, students will not load vehicles in any middle lanes.** Drivers are encouraged to place a large sheet of paper in their window indicating the names and grades of the children they are picking up. Drivers must comply with directions given by RSA staff. Signage and extra parking duty supervisors will be available the first weeks of school to help drivers successfully navigate this new pick up procedure.

School Start & Dismissal Times

School Begins at 8:00 a.m.

School Dismissal Times:

English Kindergarten at 1:15

Mandarin Kindergarten at 2:15

All Grades 1st - 3rd at 2:15

All Grades 4th - 8th at 3:00

Every Monday is a minimum day. Dismissal times will be 12:30 (K-3rd) and 1:00 (4-8th).



Important Dates:

- ❖ 8/10-11/17 – Packet pick up Registration
- ❖ 8/14/17 - School Picnic, 5:00p.m.
- ❖ 8/16/17 - First Day of School, 8:00a.m.
- ❖ 8/29/17 - Back to School Night, 6:00p.m.
- ❖ 9/8/17 - School Campout (Hat Creek)

Student Packet Pick Up / Online Registration Verification!

- In an effort to reduce congestion during the picnic and avoid excessive lines with families who have not yet completed their **Online Registration Verification**, we will be testing a new system this year!! On Thursday, August 10th & Friday, August 11th we will have **Room 19** open for you to come in, complete and print out your Verification of Registration and pick up your Back to School Information packet! In order to pick up your student's packet you will be required to provide the printed "**Online Registration Verification**" sheet which will be at the end of the online confirmation process, or print one out Thursday or Friday. Snapshots of this page are not accepted. Printers will be provided in Room 19 for your convenience! **All Student Class Schedules will not be available until the RSA School Picnic on Monday, August 14th.** Families who have completed their Online Registration and picked up their packets on Thursday or Friday will be streamlined into the community room on Monday to obtain their student's class schedule. All other families will be directed to Room 19 to complete the process before being able to pick up their child's schedule.
- Packets will be available on **Thursday, Aug 10th** for students with the last name from:
 - A - E from 8:00-12:00
 - F - J from 12:00-4:00
- Packets will be available on **Friday, Aug 11th** for students with the last name from:
 - K - O from 8:00-12:00
 - P - Z from 12:00-4:00
- Information for the log in process will be sent out via email in August.

Hat Creek Fall Campout: RSA's annual campout is set for Friday, September 8th. The RSA campfire sing-along will be taking place at Hat Creek Campground. Families must reserve their own campsite. **Hat Creek Campground:** There are 58 individual tent and RV sites that are on a first come, first served basis. They cost \$16 per night and include a picnic table and BBQ. <https://www.fs.usda.gov/recrea/lassen/recrea/?recid=11425>.

Other Camping possibilities that are nearby:

Hat Creek Resort and RV Park

<http://hatcreekresortrv.com/>

Hat Creek Hereford Ranch RV Park and Campground

<http://www.hatcreekherefordrv.com/>

Rancheria RV Park

<http://www.rancheriarvpark.com/>

Cave Campground

<https://www.fs.usda.gov/recrea/lassen/recrea/?recid=11421>

Rocky Campground

<https://www.fs.usda.gov/recrea/lassen/recrea/?recid=11433>

Bridge Campground

<https://www.fs.usda.gov/recrea/lassen/recrea/?recid=11418>

Committee News

Time spent at RSA committee meetings will qualify toward your family's volunteer hours. Don't forget to log your hours!

Governing Board Meeting: The next RSA Governing Board Meeting will be held Thursday, August 10th at 5:45 p.m. in the Staff Room. To read adopted minutes or review agendas visit the RSA web site. You may also email the board with any concerns or questions you may have to rsartsboardmembers@gmail.com.

Parent Teacher Council: We will only be having 3 Facebook accounts. The reason we are deleted some account is due to inaccurate information and that multiple accounts were started by parents that are no longer at the school.

Redding School of the Arts Facebook Page (by Arty Fox)

<https://www.facebook.com/Redding-School-of-the-Arts-1409027992460689/>

RSA PTC Facebook Page

<https://www.facebook.com/RSA-PTC-Redding-School-of-the-Arts-Parent-Teacher-Club-239419886103037/>

RSA TBC Facebook Page

www.facebook.com/events/234587543627375