

FLOYD DRYDEN EAGLE GAZETTE



From the Desk of the Principal

Welcome to the 2011-2012 school year at Floyd Dryden Middle School! Fresh starts, new faces, exciting learning, and unknown experiences are waiting for us all as we venture down the new school year path.

Our new faces will include all our 6th grade students. **Our 6th grade students start their first day of school by finding their name on the 6th grade Advisory Teacher lists that will be posted on the front door and foyer windows, then going in the gym at 8:15 to locate and check in with their Advisory Teacher.** Our 7th and 8th grade students find their name on the posted Advisory Teacher lists, and then simply go to their Advisory classroom at 8:15.

Additional “new” this year at Dryden includes 7th Grade Math/Science teacher John Wahl, Special Education teacher Sarah Varrichio, girls PE/Healthy Lifestyles teacher Amalie Fischer, Counselor Jenny Alsup, and Graduation Success Facilitator Amy Buchman. Along with the new this school year, students and parents will

also find the “old” commitment of the Floyd Dryden staff to provide the finest education possible for our students and community. We will continue to do our best to provide a safe and caring environment to successfully enjoy the middle school experience.

Your Floyd Dryden staff will create the opportunities for student success, but it is ultimately our challenge to motivate all students’ work ethic and academic dedication that will determine progress this year and in the future as they move on to high school. We believe all students can be academically successful by maintaining good attendance, organizing for class, and completing all schoolwork on time. Working together we can truly achieve standards of excellence and success, while gaining knowledge, self-assurance and pride.

I strongly encourage you to be active members in the education of your children this year. There is a significant correlation between student achievement and parent involvement in their

school. It is especially important to have parents participate in the governance of the school through PTO meetings and Site Council meetings to ensure that Dryden continues to reflect the values, goals, standards and academic desires of the community we serve. **Our first Site Council and PTO meetings will be held on Tuesday, September 6th, in the Dryden library at 5:00 PM and 6:00 PM, respectively.**

One value of our Dryden community is reflected in our school dress code. As a result, Floyd Dryden is an educational institution that maintains both high academic standards and modest decorum standards. Please review the dress code in the newsletter or on our website with your son or daughter, and assist them in selecting clothes that support the dress code and an academically focused middle school community.

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School Happenings

Principal continued...

I am excited about the new beginnings and old commitments this year. I will enjoy hearing about our students' experiences as we travel and learn together along the 2010-2011 school year path.

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School Hours

The school day begins at 8:30 am and is dismissed at 3:00 pm. The foyer doors and the gym open at 7:45 am. Please do not drop your child off before 7:45 am.

Advisory Lists

Advisory class lists will be posted on the foyer windows sometime during the week before school starts. Student's schedules will be handed out in their advisory class on the first day of school.

Bike Safety

Students please remember that you should always wear a helmet and use the crosswalk to cross the street. Also, be reminded that a good padlock will keep your bike safe here at school during the school day. Be safe out there on your way to and from school!

School Pictures

School pictures for the 2011/12 school year are scheduled for the morning of Wednesday, September 14th. Additional information will be available at the beginning of the school year.

Student Drop-off Warning

Please do not expose our Dryden children to unnecessary risk.

Never drop off a student or pick up a student on the other side of Mendenhall Loop Road.

Please always take the extra few minutes to drop children off in front of Floyd Dryden. The risk of our children getting hit by a car while crossing Mendenhall Loop Road is completely eliminated when they are dropped in front of the school. Do it for our kids. Thank you!

Lockers

When purchasing that new school gear make sure your backpack will fit in your new locker. Most soft-shelled backpacks will fit nicely, but be aware that backpacks with rollers do not fit inside our lockers at FDMS. So, avoid the shock of your brand new backpack not fitting in your locker on the first day of school and don't buy those packs with wheels! Just a tip to make your first day go smooth.

FDTV News

The morning announcements are broadcast each weekday on channel 6, at 8:30; 10:30; 12:30; and 5:30. You can also watch them on the Floyd Dryden web site <http://www.k12pages.com/fdms/>

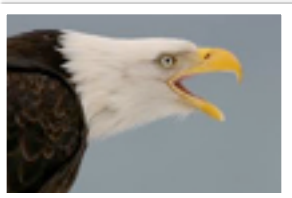
Supply List

Please plan to start the year with the basic school supplies such as a spiral notebook, pens and pencils. Once school begins students will get a supply list from their advisory teacher.

Standardized Testing April 4th, 10th, 11th and 12th

Please Mark Calendars!!

While our Standards Based Assessment (SBA) is months away, please be sure to mark your calendars now. It is very important to plan family schedules that ensure your daughter or son is in school and ready to test during the testing days. **Our SBA date for 8th grade Science is April 4th. The Reading, Writing and Math SBA dates for all middle school grades will be during the week of April 9th.** Watch for additional SBA information and testing tips in future newsletters and on our website.



Important School Attendance Information

Attendance

If for any reason, your student is going to be absent from school please notify the school by calling the attendance hotline at 463-1809. This line is available 24 hours a day. If you can't get through, call the office at 463-1850 to report your absence.

Tardy:

Students who arrive late and do not have a written note from their parent/guardian (or if the parent has not called the attendance office) are considered "unexcused tardy".

Absent for a day:

Please notify the school in the morning of each day that your student is going to be absent.

Homework Requests:

Requests for homework must be received at the attendance office by 9:30am. Homework is placed in the gray homework bin located on the wall just outside the attendance office and will be available for pick-up *after* 3:00pm.

Planned absences of 3 or more days:

Prior to a planned absence of 3 or more days notify the attendance office by sending a note with your students that includes the student's full name; the purpose of the absence; and the dates of the absence. The student will be given an absence form to take to

each teacher for homework assignments.

Dismissal from class during school hours:

If your student will need to be excused from school during the school day send a note with your student in the morning. Include the student's full name; the purpose of the absence and the time the student is to be dismissed. The attendance office will issue the student a pass to dismiss them from class. The parent/guardian must come in to the attendance office to sign the student out. For the safety of the students, they will not be allowed to sign themselves out or wait for their ride in front of the school

Returning to school after an appointment:

Students need to sign in at the attendance office and will be given a pass to admit them into their class.

Important Procedure for School Hour Student Pick-Up

It is important that all parents/guardians who will be picking up their child during school hours take the time to enter Floyd Dryden and sign-out their son or daughter. With the exception of an unusual circumstance, students are required to wait at the attendance office or be called

out of class when you arrive inside the school to pick them up. Students will not be allowed to wait outside for their ride. While somewhat inconvenient, this simple procedure will allow us to ensure the safety of our students and document the release of our students to a responsible party. It will cost you a couple of minutes, but I hope everyone will consider that a small "price" for maintaining the integrity of Dryden's school hours release procedure. So next time a doctor appointment or a mid-day airline departure to Hawaii (don't forget my ticket!) is scheduled, please plan to leave a couple of minutes early to pick up your student at Dryden. If you have any questions, please call Lori at 463-1850. Thank you for your support as we continue to promote the safest school environment possible for our children.

The Lunch Connection

Applications and menus for the school lunch program are available next to the display case in the front hallway; in the commons; or on line at http://www.jsd.k12.ak.us/newdistrict/quick_links/school_lunch_program/index.php. If you have questions or concerns, please call Lori Norman at 463-1850.

Did you know...

Early Release Mondays

This year, the Juneau School District will release students one hour early on the following Mondays. During this time, teachers will work together in small groups to focus on instruction that improves learning in each classroom. This work centers on methods of instruction and individual student progress. Evidence from across the country shows that schools and districts that have been able to significantly improve student success have all used this collaborative team approach.

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October 10, 24

November 14, 28

December 12

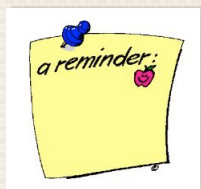
January 9, 23

February 13, 27

March 12, 26

April 9, 23

May 14



Lunch Times

Lunchtime for each grade level is as follows:

6th Grade 11:12am – 11:47am

8th Grade 11:50am – 12:20pm

7th Grade 12:30pm – 1:05pm

PTO and Site Council

The Floyd Dryden PTO and Site Council meet the first Monday of each month unless it falls on a holiday, in which case the meeting will automatically move to the following Tuesday. The Site Council meets from 5:00 to 6:00 pm, followed by the PTO from 6:00 to 7:00 pm. The exception being the first meeting, which be a joint meeting held on Monday, August 30th at 5:30. Please plan to join us on Tuesday, September 8th!

Change of Address?

If you had a change of address or phone number over the summer or if it changes during the school year, please notify the school as soon as possible. It is very important that the school maintains up to date contact information so we can contact you in case of an emergency. Contact our registrar, Candy Held at 463-1850

Conferences

Parent Teacher conferences are scheduled for September 29th and 30th. There will be no student attendance on those days.

Cell Phones and Electronic Devices

New this year - cell phones and electronic devices may be used before or after school, but they must be turned off and locked in a locker between 8:15 and 3:00. Please note that use of electronics of any kind is no longer allowed during lunch times and for safety reasons, headphones/ear buds may not be used or seen in the school at any time. The first time a student violates this rule the phone/electronic device is sent to the office and the student may pick it up at the end of the day. A second violation results in the phone/electronic device being returned to a parent, not the student. If there is a third violation the student will lose the privilege of bringing a cell phone/electronic device to school. Keep valuables safe by keeping them at home.

Labor Day

Please note - there will be no school on Monday, September 5th in observance of Labor Day





Cross Country Season

Cross Country season begins August 29th, with sign ups after school in the commons. Practices are tentatively scheduled Monday through Thursday from 3:00 pm – 4:30 pm.



Soccer Season

Soccer season begins August 29th with sign ups after school in the gym. Practices are tentatively scheduled Monday through Thursday from 3:00 – 4:30 pm. If you are interesting in participating in soccer, please watch for sign-up notices.



Sport Physicals

All students participating in school sports must have a current physical on file with the nurse. Sport physicals will be available through the school at the cost of \$15.00, date to be determined. If you are interested in obtaining a school physical, please watch for announcements.

Activity Fees

Some school activities and classes do include the collection of fees to cover various expenses. For details, please contact the school at 463-1850.

What's a Weekender?

Weekenders are school fundraisers. Grade level teams and a variety of school groups, like student council, orchestra, or the 8th grade dance committee, use weekenders as a way to raise money for special trips or events during the school year. A weekender is an after school event, which includes dancing, basketball, games, food, and fun for all Floyd Dryden students. Below are some of the details and routines, especially for our 6th graders and parents who are new to middle school weekenders.

Cost: \$3.00 Plus extra money for tickets to purchase food and play games, for example, Pizza – \$1.50, Pop - \$1.00 and Games - \$0.25 - \$1.00. Spend ALL of your tickets. At the end of the weekender, students cannot be reimbursed for tickets they didn't use.

Time: 3:15 – 5:00 PM Once students have left the building, they will not be allowed to come back into the weekender. All students who are not attending the weekender are asked to leave the building as soon as possible.

Backpacks/Lockers: Students need to line up in their grade level hallway to enter the weekender. After entering the weekender, students need to bring backpacks and coats to the foyer and line them up along the wall. Students are asked to stay in the main (center) part of the building and not return to lockers after the weekender.

Phone: Please arrange your plans for attending and getting a ride home, prior to the day of the weekender. There is a phone for emergency use, but students are encouraged to pre-arrange their plans.

When: Weekenders are always on Fridays. It varies form year to year, but we usually have a weekender about once a month. The schedule for this year's weekenders can be found on the Floyd Dryden web site. We will also post the dates in the newsletter under "Upcoming Events."

Questions: Our teachers, office staff and administrators can answer any questions you have about weekenders.



FLOYD DRYDEN OPEN HOUSE

Monday, September 12th 2011
5:00 to 6:30

Please plan to attend the Floyd Dryden Open House –
Monday evening from 5:00 to 6:30

Team Presentation Times and Locations

6th Grade Teams Meet from 5:30 to 5:55

Mr. Casperson/Mr. Heidemann - room 95

Mr. Heiman - room 98

Mrs. Farrell/Mrs. Noon - room 96

Mr. Hamrick/Mrs. Goertzen - room 92

7th Grade Teams Meet from 5:00 to 5:25

Mr. Yerkes/Mrs. Sleppy - room 301

Mr. Mercer/Mrs. Capobianco/Ms. Gifford - room 302

Mrs Pahlke - room 300

Mr. Wahl - room 306

8th Grade 8 Team Meet at 6:00 - 6:25

Mrs. Davis/Mr. Dorsey - room 202

Mr. Buchman/Mrs. Gress/Mr. Gress/Mrs. Heiman/Mr. McCasland - room 101

Exploratory Teachers

Our Exploratory teachers will be in their rooms for you to meet before or after the teacher presentations.

Power School / Dryden Web Site

Immediately after your grade level meetings, Rich Culver will be available in the Eagle Nest computer lab to share how to use Power School to track student progress and assignments.



FLOYD DRYDEN MIDDLE SCHOOL DRESS CODE INFORMATION

Floyd Dryden is an educational institution that maintains high academic and decorum standards. The daily attire of our students should be conducive to an educational environment that reflects high standards and a focus on education. A dress code is not intended to inhibit a student's desire for self-expression; its purpose is to maintain appropriate school decorum and to promote students' health, safety, hygiene and emotional well being. Since this has proven to be a problematic and ongoing issue in the past, we are requesting the sincere and earnest support from all students, parents and guardians. The initial consequence for violation of the dress code will be parent contact and a trip home to change clothes.

The following standards of reasonable dress are not meant as an all-inclusive list. Questionable articles or styles of dress are subject to the judgment of school administration.

1) Choosing to dress in a manner that signifies gang affiliation is prohibited. Known styles of such dress are not allowed at school. Known styles of gang related dress include:

- Sagging pants; pants must be worn at the waist.
- A single raised pant leg.
- Bandannas.

2) Articles of clothing that advertise, depict the use of, or condone inappropriate language, drugs, alcohol, tobacco, violence, sexual behavior/innuendo, or suicide are strictly forbidden.

3) Prohibited are articles of clothing that disparages or humiliates any group, individual, national origin, gender, race, religion, or disability.

4) No provocative clothing, such as spaghetti strap tops, tank tops, halter tops, low cut dresses or blouses, are allowed. Ladies' cleavage must be completely covered.

5) All undergarments must be completely unexposed at all times.

6) All tops must overlap or be tucked in to the pants, shorts or skirt, to avoid any bare midriff.

7) Sleepwear, loungewear, or pajamas are not allowed in school.

8) Safety pins and other sharp objects on clothing are not permitted.

9) Jewelry that could pose a hazard, such as wallet chains, spiked collars and bracelets, safety pins, and chokers, should not be worn at school.

10) Hats, bandanas and other forms of headgear are not allowed on heads inside Floyd Dryden.

Floyd Dryden Middle School Activities 2011-2012

| Sport | Start Date | Meeting Time/Location | Coaches |
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| Soccer Team: Boys and Girls | August 29 th | 3:05 4:25 @ Field M-TH | Robert Casperson, Brooke Munro, J. Newell |
| Cross Country Running: Coed | August 29 th | 3:05 M-TH | Kris Mercer, Josh Yerkes |
| Cheer Club: Coed | October 11 th | 3:05 – 4:25 in Commons M-TH | Katy Wyatt, Julie Wyatt |
| Boys' Basketball | October 11 th | 5:00 – 7:00 PM in Gym M-F | Tim Grussendorf |
| Girls' Basketball | October 11 th | 3:05 – 5:00 in Gym M-TH | Brooke Munro |
| Dance Team: Coed | Jan 3 rd | 7:00 AM in Gym M-TH | TBA |
| Wrestling: Coed | Jan 3 rd | 3:05 – 5:00 in Gym M-F | Kris Mercer, Ken Brown, Chris Heidemann |
| Volleyball: Coed | February 23 rd | 3:05 – 5:00 in Gym M-F | Brooke Munro, Adriana Rodriguez |
| Track and Field: Coed | April 16 th | 3:05 – 4:25 @ Field M-TH | Mercer, Rodriguez, Hamrick |
| Activity – Year Long | Tentative Start Date | Meeting Time/Location | Advisors |
| Culture Club | September 8 th | 3:05 in Library Thursdays | Ruby Hughes |
| Open Library | September 1 st | 6:00 – 7:30 PM Thursdays | Jenifer Ellingson |
| Breakfast and Books | TBA | 7:15 AM in Library M-F | Samantha Wilson |
| Student Council | September 15 th | TBA | Mitch Buchman |
| Yearbook | October 4 th | 3:05 in Room 301 T and TH | Jeannette Sleppy |
| FDTV News | August 29 th | 3:05 Technology Room M-F | Alan Degener |
| Study Hall/Homework Club Each Grade Level | TBA | 3:05 – 4:25 | TBA |
| Activity - Season | Tentative Start Date | Meeting Time/Location | Advisors/Contact |
| Musical/Drama Club | Sept 6 th | 3:05 – 4:25 | Missouri Smyth, Barb Maier |
| Mathcounts | January | 3:05 – 4:25 | TBA |
| Lego League | September | TBA | TBA |
| Chess Club | February | 3:05 in Room 95 M-TH | Robert Casperson |
| Jazz Band | September 21 st | 7:15 AM Band Room W and F | Mike Bucy |
| Art Club | TBA | 3:05 Art Room | Linda Vallie |
| Spelling Bee Competition | January | 3:05 Room 102 | Kirstie Dye |
| Battle of the Books | October | Lunch Time | Pat McLear |
| Sign Language Club | September | TBA | Mike Heiman |
| Books to Boards | Ski Season | 3:05 in Commons Wednesdays | Candy Held |

Welcome back to the new school year!

I am really looking forward to my second year as assistant principal. Floyd Dryden is such a fantastic place to work. We have amazing staff and students, and a wonderful community.

Parents, we would like to invite you to spend some time at Floyd Dryden if your schedule allows. Below is a list of possible ways you can volunteer at Dryden. Our students benefit any time parents are present, whether it is in the lunch room, gym, hallways, classrooms or an after school event.

Our new (volunteer) parent volunteer coordinator is **Anjela Johnston**. Please return this short survey to the office or contact her at **321- 0905** or aljjuneau@gmail.com. I look forward to seeing all of our returning parents and meeting our new parents very soon!

Sincerely,

Molly Box

You Can Volunteer At Floyd Dryden!

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Classrooms | Help out in the classrooms. <input type="checkbox"/> Working with students. <input type="checkbox"/> Helping with materials and copying. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Hallways | Greeting and checking in with students in the hallways. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Nurse | Helping with heights and weights during sport physicals, helping with organizing students during TB testing. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Field Trips | Help out by driving or chaperoning for field trips. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Library | Help out in the library. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Book Fair | Fall dates – September 26 - 30 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Newsletter | Labeling, stapling, folding the newsletter to prepare for mailing. The newsletter is sent out at the beginning of each month. If you are interested we will call you a day or two before to set a time. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Lunch Room | Hanging out with students in the commons during lunch times. <input type="checkbox"/> 6 th grade lunch <input type="checkbox"/> 7 th grade lunch <input type="checkbox"/> 8 th grade lunch |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Gym/Outside Time | Watching and interacting with students during free time after lunch. Warning – Important to keep an eye out for balls flying in the gym! |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Sporting Events | Help out with after-school sporting events. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Weekenders | Help out with a Friday fundraiser/dance 3 to 5 pm. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Magazine Fundraiser | Counting orders and tallying student prizes. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other | Any other ways you'd like to help? Let us know! |
| Comments | |

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JUNEAU SCHOOL DISTRICT 2011-2012 School Calendar

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Early Release Mondays

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| Sept. 12, 26 | Oct. 10, 24 | Nov. 14, 28 | Dec. 12 |
| Jan. 9, 23 | Feb. 13, 27 | Mar. 12, 26 | Apr. 9, 23 |
| May 14 | | | |

August

- 18,19 Teacher Professional Development (No Student or Staff Attendance)
- 22 Teacher and Support Staff Work Day (No Student Attendance)
- 23 **First Day of Classes, 1-12**
- 29 First Day of Classes, Kindergarten
- 30 First Day of Classes, Pre-K

September

- 5 Labor Day (Holiday) (No Student or Staff Attendance)
- 29, 30 Middle and High School Parent Conferences (No Student Attendance)

October

- 4, 5, 6 State Required High School Graduation Qualifying Exam, Retakes
- 17, 18 All Staff Professional Development • Alaska State Literacy Conference here (No Student Attendance)
- 18 Alaska Day (Holiday) (Support Staff Off) (No Student Attendance)
- 28 End of First Quarter, Middle and High School

November

- 11 Veterans' Day (Holiday) (No Student or Staff Attendance)
- 18 End of First Trimester, Elementary
- 21 Elementary Teacher Work Day (Elementary Students Do Not Attend)
- 22, 23 Elementary Parent Conferences (Elementary Students Do Not Attend)
- 24, 25 Thanksgiving (Holiday) (No Student or Staff Attendance)

December

- 19-30 **Winter Break**

January

- 2 New Year's (Holiday) (No Student or Staff Attendance)
- 3 **Classes Resume**
- 13 End of First Semester/Second Quarter, Middle and High School
- 16 Martin Luther King Day (Holiday) (No Student or Staff Attendance)
- 31 State Required TerraNova Test, grades 5 & 7

February

- 1, 2 State Required TerraNova Test, grades 5 & 7
- 16 Elizabeth Peratrovich Day
- 17 End of Second Trimester, Elementary
- 20 President's Day (Holiday) (No Student or Staff Attendance)
- 21, 22 Parent Conferences: All Schools (No Student Attendance)

March

- 16 End of Third Quarter, Middle and High School
- 19-23 **Spring Break**
- 26 **Classes Resume**

April

- 3, 4, 5 State Required High School Graduation Qualifying Exam, grade 10
- 3, 4, 5 State Required Standards Based Assessment - Reading, Writing, Math, grade 9
- 4 State Required Standards Based Assessment - Science, grades 4 & 8
- 6 State Required Standards Based Assessment - Science, grade 10
- 10, 11, 12 State Required Standards Based Assessment - Reading, Writing, Math, grades 3-8
- 30 All Staff Professional Development (No Student Attendance)

May

- 27 **High School Graduation Ceremonies Held; Times Vary.**
- 28 Memorial Day (Holiday) (No Student or Staff Attendance)
- 30 **Classes End • Middle and High School**
- 31 Teacher Work Day • Middle and High School Teachers
- 31 **Classes End • Elementary**

June

- 1 Teacher Work Day • All Teachers

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| Professional Development or Staff Work Days | Quarter End Dates (Secondary) |
| Parent Conferences | Trimester End Dates (Elementary) |
| Breaks – Winter & Spring | Holiday (No Student Attendance) |
| Early Release Mondays | 5 |

Floyd Dryden Middle School Bus Routes
 2011/2012

Route #26 To Floyd Dryden

8:01 AM Montana Crk Rd & Moriane Way
 8:06 AM Artic Cir & Slim Williams Way
 8:07 AM 1131 Slim Williams Way
 8:08 AM Montana Crk Rd & Skaters Cabin Rd
 8:09 AM Wolftram Way & Ninnis Dr
 8:12 AM Ninnis Dr & Black Wolf Way
 8:17 AM Montana Crk Rd & Trappers Ln
 8:18 AM 9655 Mendenhall Loop Rd
 8:18 AM Mendenhall Lp Rd & River Rd
 8:18 AM Mendenhall Lp Rd & View Dr

Route #43 To Floyd Dryden

8:12 AM Postal Way & Vintage Blvd
 8:19 AM Atlin Dr & Teslin St

Route #26 From Floyd Dryden

3:15 PM Mendenhall Lp Rd & View Dr
 3:15 PM Mendenhall Lp Rd & River Rd
 3:15 PM 9655 Mendenhall Loop Rd
 3:15 PM Montana Crk Rd & Moraine Way
 3:16 PM Montana Crk Rd & Trappers Ln
 3:17 PM Ninnis Dr & Black Wolf Way
 3:19 PM Wolftram Way & Ninnis Dr
 3:21 PM 1131 Slim Williams Way
 3:22 PM Artic Cir & Slim Williams Way
 3:35 PM Atlin Dr & Teslin St
 3:42 PM Postal Way & Vintage Blvd

FLOYD DRYDEN MIDDLE SCHOOL
 Important Events

Aug 23 First Day of School
 Aug 29 Cross Country begins
 Soccer begins
 Sept 5 Labor Day Holiday – No School
 Sept 12 Early Release @ 2:00
 Open House 5:00 – 6:30
 Sept 14 School Picture Day
 Sept 23 First Weekender 3:00 - 5:00
 Sept 26 Early Release @ 2:00
 Sept 29, 30 Parent Conferences – No School
 Oct 10 Early Release @ 2:00
 Oct 11 Basketball begins
 Cheer Club begins
 Oct 17, 18 All Staff Professional Development – No School
 Oct 24 Early Release @ 2:00