

Frelinghuysen Township School

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Welcome to Frelinghuysen Township School!

Dear Frelinghuysen Kindergarten families,

We are excited to have you join our school community in our outstanding Kindergarten program! Please read through this letter for more information regarding our great Kindergarten program. To register for school, please complete the online registration forms, scan original documents and provide your child's health information. If you are unable to use the online registration, please contact the main office and copies will be made available for you.

Frelinghuysen Township School is a pre-K through Grade 6 public school district. The students of FTS are supported by a dedicated teaching staff, committed Board of Education, caring community and active Parent-Teacher Organization.

Guided by the mission statement to provide all students with a superior individualized education, each student is offered a well-rounded curriculum including world language, physical education, music, art, technology and a comprehensive STEAM program. This is balanced by language arts, math, science and social studies programs such as Go Math, Orton-Gillingham and Reader's and Writer's Workshop, which guide students to achieve the New Jersey Student Learning Standards.

Technology education continues to be a focus for the district. All students are learning in a 1:1 digital learning environment, with all students having access to Chromebooks. Digital platforms such as Sumdog, Reflex Math, Raz-kids, Espark, Kahoot and Arcademics are used to enhance the learning in the classroom.

Further enhancing the instructional program, all students are provided with school-wide enrichment opportunities such as the Week of Respect, Veteran's Day ceremonies, service learning projects, Thanksgiving celebrations, Winter Week, the Great Kindness Challenge, the 100th day of school celebration, Read Across America, Field Day and other learning opportunities to provide for a well-rounded school environment.

Additionally, all students are provided with opportunities for social and emotional growth through our comprehensive character education program. Certified as a School of Kindness, our students are encouraged daily to practice what it means to make good decisions and promote acts of kindness.

Kindergarten is a special year for students and we seek to provide the very best foundational skills for children as they begin their school years. Our program is supported by a comprehensive workshop based language arts program, a multi-sensory phonics program, a hands-on approach in math and engaging opportunities for students to develop socially and emotionally while learning through play.

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An orientation program will be provided in the days leading up to your child's first day of school. This program will give your child a chance to meet their teacher and classmates, see their classroom and obtain confidence for their first day of school! Once your child is registered, FTS will send you this and other school information over the summer.

Our community of learners at FTS, in partnership with our parents, continually seeks opportunities to provide a superior individualized education that focuses on the best instructional practices and the social and emotional development of every child. We look forward to welcoming you and your child to our school!

Sincerely,



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