

RENNELL REDHAWKS **QUICK REFERENCE**

Rennell Elementary School
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 Front Office: 281-213-1550
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 School Hours: 8:15-3:40

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 AP to PPCD, PK, 1, 3, 5
 Molly Harris
 AP to K, 2, 4, LifeSkills:
 Rebecca Hignight

We are so excited to have you as part of our Rennell Redhawk community! This guide has been prepared to provide you with important information about our school and procedures. We look forward to building a partnership with you so that we can make school a wonderful experience for your child!

ATTENDANCE

Tardies - Students who arrive after 8:15 MUST be walked to the front door by the parent. The front office will ask a few questions and sign your student in.

Absences - Attendance is taken at 9:15 a.m. Students who leave school prior to the 9:15 a.m. roll time, or students arriving at 9:15 or after, are marked absent for the entire day. If your child is absent, please email a note to Rennell@cfisd.net within 3 days for the absence to be excused.

Early Departure - If you need to pick up your child prior to dismissal time, we ask that you please send an email to Rennell@cfisd.net in the morning stating the time and reason the child needs to leave. The person picking up the child must be on the student's pick-up list or designated in the email and show their driver's license. If an early departure email is not sent, please anticipate delays. Students leaving for appointments or after school activities must be picked up by 3:00 P.M. so that our staff can focus on the safety of all students during dismissal.

LUNCH SCHEDULE

Pre-K: 11:20-11:50/11:55-12:25
 K: 11:15-11:45
 1st: 11:45-12:15
 2nd: 10:45-11:15
 3rd: 1:15-1:45
 4th: 12:45-1:15
 5th: 12:15-12:45

DROP-OFFS

If your child forgets their lunch or other item at home, we are not able to deliver it to them. Students may buy their lunch or you may bring them food when you come to have lunch with your child.

VOLUNTEER

Find out about volunteer opportunities by following the Rennell PTO Facebook page.



SOAR TO SUCCEED!

One of our goals at Rennell Elementary is to create a positive and engaging learning environment. The staff worked together to create school-wide expectations which we proudly display in our classrooms, hallways, cafeteria, and outside of restrooms to teach and reinforce positive behaviors.

SOAR Bucks (incentive tickets) will be distributed to students who follow the SOAR expectations. Students will be able to "cash" in their SOAR Bucks for a variety of fun rewards.

FOLLOW US ON SOCIAL MEDIA



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SOAR to success!

S AFE	 HFO 2 Self Hands, Feet, and Objects to Self
O N-TASK	 FAD! Follow All Directions the 1st Time
A CCOUNTABLE	 Own It
R ESPECTFUL	 Choose Kind

CONTACT US!

If you ever have questions or concerns - we are here to help! Please feel free to call the school or contact your child's teacher with any questions.

For specific concerns regarding your child, please always start by contacting your child's teacher by phone or email.

Your child's teacher is your first line of communication and knows more about specific incidents than anyone else in the building.

MEDICATION

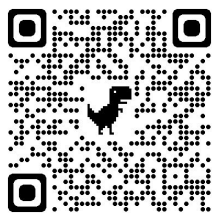
If it is necessary for medication to be administered to your child at school, the medication must be delivered to the school and transported home by the parent/guardian. Students are not permitted to transport or be in possession of any medication (over-the-counter or prescription). All medications must be in original containers. Contact our school nurse with any questions at 281-213-1554.

STUDENT BIRTHDAYS

Student birthdays will be recognized on the announcements. No treats nor birthday party invitations can be passed out during the day. Due to updated health & safety guidelines in our cafeteria, no birthday cookies for the class are available. Parents may choose to purchase a birthday book donation for their students. Contact the librarian for more information.

SCHOOL CAFE

You can add money to your child's breakfast and lunch account and apply for free or reduced lunch prices by creating an account or logging in to schoolcafe.com or scanning this QR code:

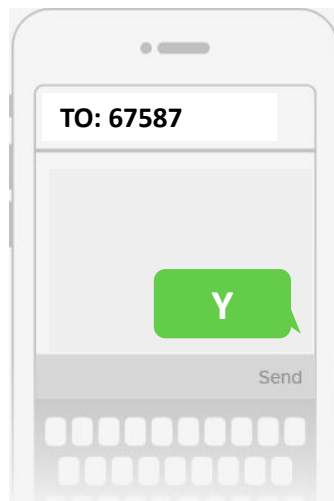


TRANSPORTATION CHANGES

Your child should have the same mode of transportation each day. Temporary changes in transportation must be kept to a minimum. To make a temporary change, you must email the school at Rennell@cfisd.net and include a picture or scan of the parent or guardian's photo ID. All transportation changes must be received in writing by 2:30 P.M. **Emails sent directly to your child's teacher will not be processed.**

VISITOR SAFETY MEASURES

For the safety of our students and staff, we will limit visitors and volunteers to those with appointments and limited numbers of volunteers at a time. All persons will be asked the nature of their visit prior to entering the building. Visitors must wait outside until they are buzzed in by front desk staff. All visitors are required to sign in and show ID at the front desk. Visitors will be asked to visibly wear a school issued name tag which will designate a location where the visitor will be permitted. This procedure helps ensure the safety of all our students. Visitors must remain in the location that is stated on their badge/sticker. Visitors must return their nametag to the front office prior to leaving through the main doors. We appreciate your support of these procedures to ensure the safety of our Redhawks!



RENNELL REDHAWKS TEXT MESSAGE UPDATES

Opt-in to receive text message updates from the school through School Messenger.

Text the message "Y"
to the number 67587

LUNCH VISITORS

Due to limited space, each student may have one lunch visitor at their scheduled lunch time one time per week. When visiting, you and your student must sit at the designated visitor table. You may bring lunch for your student, but you may not bring lunch for other students. Lunch visitors begin 9/12/23

CAR RIDERS

Students can be dropped off in the front of the school beginning at 7:55 A.M. when staff are outside and begin welcoming students. Plan to arrive in time for your student to walk to their class by 8:15. Staff will go in at 8:15 each morning. At that time, you need to park and walk your child inside because they are tardy. When picking up your child we ask that you **do not arrive prior to 3:30** as our Anthony neighbors will be using our shared driveway for their dismissal. After 3:30, please remain in your car and wait patiently for your child to be released.

BUS TRANSPORTATION

Questions or concerns about your student's bus transportation?

Scan the QR code to be connected to Let's Talk! CFISD's transportation communication platform. You can also call the transportation customer support line at: 713 MY CF BUS

