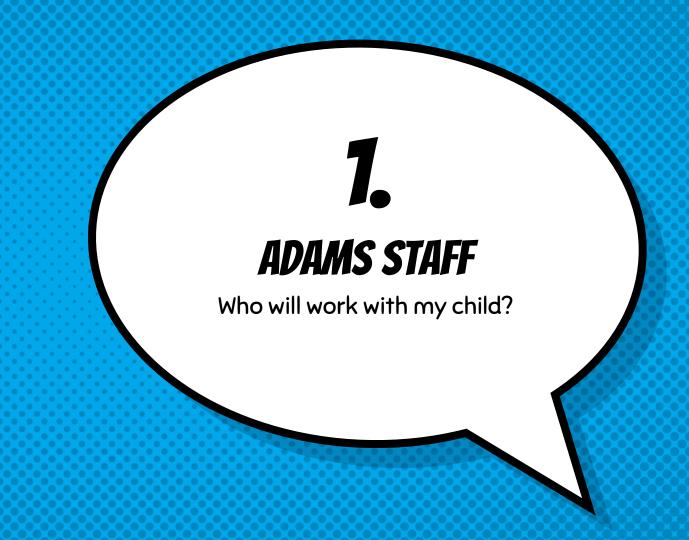
WELCOME TO ADAMS ELEMENTARY!



ADMINISTRATION

Principal: Jonathan Hegedus

Assistant Principal: Laura Walser



KINDERGARTEN STAFF

Track 1 – Mary Ann Felts and Amelia Clark Sarah Cannon and Kelly Thompson

Track 2 - Brittany Anderson and Donna Milby

Track 3 - Colleen Pitt and Kim Thomas

Track 4 - Elizabeth Bottomley and Janie Muncy

AROUND ADAMS:

SPECIALIST:

ART - Mrs. Baron

PE- Coach Crutcher

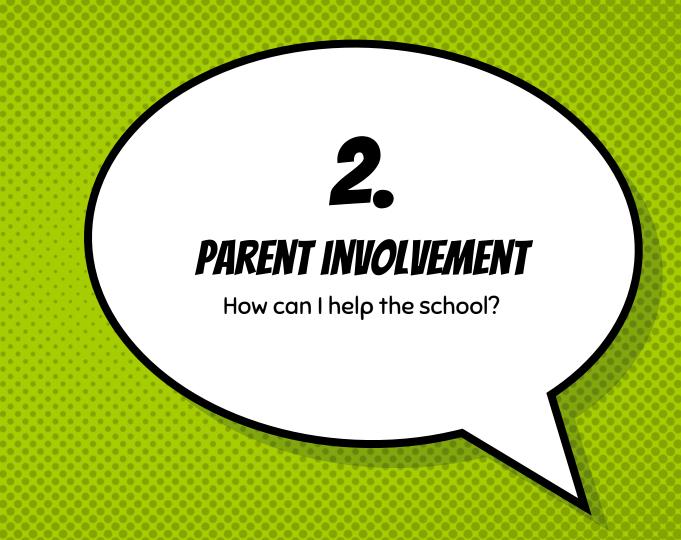
Media - Mrs. Haney

Music - Mrs. Stroup

Dream Lab-Mrs. Kurtz

Full Time Counselor, Speech Teacher, and AIG Teacher.

ESL & Special Education Teachers.



PARENT INVOLVEMENT

- ·Talking about school
- ·Focusing on work habits and effort
- ·PTA support
- ·Special Events-Literacy Lunches, Field Trips, Field Day and work in the classroom with students.

VOLUNTEERING AND VISITING

- +Volunteering Wake County policy requires all volunteers to complete a background check.
- +Anytime a non-staff member comes on campus they MUST check in at the office.
- +You will need to be buzzed in front doors are locked.

*Volunteering inside schools has been paused at the current time.



YEAR ROUND CALENDAR

- + School hours 8:45AM to 3:45 PM
- + Instruction beginning at 9:15 AM.
- + Student must be at school for half the day to be counted present.
- + Calendars can be found at: https://www.wcpss.net/domain/4142

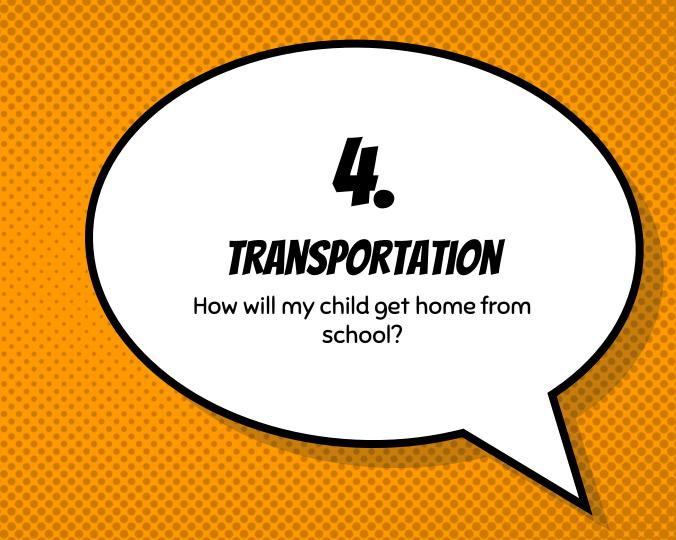
Our Instructional Day

| 8:45-9:15 | Arrival/Breakfast | 12:55-1:30 | Lunch |
|-------------|-------------------------|------------|--|
| 9:15-9:35 | Morning Meeting | 1:30-2:30 | Math |
| 9:35-11:55 | Literacy and Snack Time | 2:30-3:00 | Recess |
| 11:55-12:40 | Specials | 3:00-3:45 | Science/Social Studies or Playful Learning time or Rest time |
| 12:40-12:55 | Story Time | 3:55 | Dismissal |



HEALTH

- + Health Assessment (with up to date immunizations) State Law requires this for all students. (30 days)
- + Medication-Do not send to school with your child.
- Let your child's teacher and the nurse know if your child has allergies, chronic health conditions or other special needs.
- + Contact Nurse Fernandez at efernandez@wcpss.net or 919-460-3431.



WAYS TO TRAVEL...

- +Carpool help with learning the number
- +Buses -An adult must be present to receive Kindergarten and 1st grade students at Bus stop
- +Walkers are not permitted unless parent walks with the child.

RIDING THE BUS

- +Families who want to ride the bus in 19-20 and are not current bus riders and are eligible to ride the bus, must go online to request bus service
- +Information on line at www.wcpss.net
- +Follow Adams Elementary on Twitter to get daily updated information on bus arrival and dismissal.
- +Check out the app- Here Comes the Bus code 67500

CARPOOL

- + Carpool you can get a carpool number from the office.
- + Your child will need to learn this number.
- + When picking up your child in car pool please follow the procedures.
 - Pull up to buckle
 - Car seat / Booster on the right
 - Follow traffic pattern
 - No cell phones

YMCA

- + The YMCA offers a before (starts at 7:00 AM) and after school care program (ends at 6:00 PM) at Adams.
- + There is a fee for this service.
- + Contact the Taylor YMCA for more information.

919-469-9622



STAGGERED ENTRY

- + Staggered entry is a transition day
- + Each kindergarten child will come for one full day during the first week of school (Sign up with teacher tonight)
- + Smaller group sizes allow the staff to offer support as children try new things
- + Informal assessments are integrated into the day
- This assessment as well as observations over the first few weeks of school will allow the staff to plan your child's instruction.

STAGGERED ENTRY- WHAT WILL MY CHILD DO?

- + Morning Meeting
- + Free play
- + Assessments integrated into activities
- + Structured activities
- + Read stories
- + Take a tour of the school
- + Eat snack and lunch
- + Rest
- + Recess

STAGGERED ENTRY

- •Focus on the positive –"I know that you will have a great day because"; "You're smart and work hard and I can't wait to hear what you learned."
- •Communicate: turn in important papers and give important notes to teacher. A folder will go home on their first day for notes in the future.
- ·Get plenty of rest (set and stick to a bedtime [8:00 PM] and routine), and expect tired children in the afternoon
- ·Give your child a chance to relax before asking questions about their day. Ask specific questions.





Call or email to ask questions!

