

North Arlington Opening Day of School 9/7/17

The first day of school for North Arlington Public Schools for the **2017-2018** school year will be **Thursday, September 7th**.

Elementary Schools – Beginning **September 7th**, regular hours for grades 1-5 will be from 8:30 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. Kindergarten students will be dismissed at 11:30 a.m. for the first week of school only. Children should not arrive at school earlier than five minutes prior to the bell. Lunchtime is from 11:30 a.m. - 12:15 p.m. Specialized Preschool hours are as follows: A.M. Session 8:30 - 11:00 and the P.M. Session 12:30 - 3:00.

It is recommended that elementary school students pack their lunch for the first few days as they become acclimated to the new lunch procedure. Please look for a mailing regarding the PayForIt program, which is the new online payment system for lunch. Elementary students who wish to go home for the lunch period may do so, but must be accompanied by a parent/guardian. Students who go home for lunch must return to school at 12:15 p.m.

North Arlington Middle School – Beginning **September 7th**, the morning bell at the middle school will ring at 7:45 a.m. and the dismissal bell at 2:15 p.m. Students should not report to school earlier than ten minutes before the bell. Students may be assigned by their teachers to extra help and/or study groups which will be conducted from 2:15 p.m.- 2:45 p.m.

It is recommended that middle school students pack their lunch for the first few days as they become acclimated with their schedules. However, Pomptonian, our district food service provider, will begin serving lunch on the first day of school, September 7th.

North Arlington High School begins September 7th with students following the regular day bell schedule (7:50 a.m. - 2:15 p.m.). Breakfast is available in the cafeteria from 7:15 a.m. - 7:40 a.m. The first bell will ring at 7:40 a.m. for students to prepare for classes. All students are permitted to bring in lunch if they choose, or receive food from our district food service provider, Pomptonian. Students in grades 10-12 are permitted to leave the building for lunch.

Registration/Residency Revalidation

Parents/Guardians who have **not yet enrolled** their child(ren) and parents/guardians who have **not yet revalidated residency** for their child(ren) entering the **6th grade** or **9th grade** must complete the appropriate forms, which can be found on our website: www.narlington.k12.nj.us under “Registration.”

To schedule an appointment, please contact:

- Elementary School (grades K-5) 201-991-6800 Ext. 2053 (until 8/23). Please contact individual elementary school *after* August 23rd.
- Middle School (grades 6-8) 201-991-6800 Ext. 2200
- High School Guidance (grades 9-12) 201-991-6800 Ext. 2053