



# Markham Elementary School

299 Ave I North Markham, Tx 77456  
Stacie Murry, Principal

## Welcome Back MES!

Welcome Back! We hope you all have had a safe and restful summer break! We are looking forward to another successful year at MES! Although last year certainly presented challenges, through hard work and high expectations we successfully met each student's needs.

You will find some helpful information below to help you prepare for the 2021-2022 school year. We are looking forward to seeing everyone in August!

### Meet the Teacher

We will be hosting our annual Meet the Teacher on Tuesday, Aug 10, 2021 from 5:00-6:30. Please try to attend as your child/childrens' teachers will have important information to share.

### First Day of School

The first day of school is Thursday, August 12, 2021, and our school day begins at 8:00 AM. It is very important for your child to attend on the first day of school. Students are officially enrolled on the first day they attend classes. Students who are absent on the first day are automatically withdrawn from our system, and must be re-enrolled by a parent/guardian on their first day of attendance. We are closely watching CDC and TEA guidelines to ensure a safe return to school. Our goal is to keep things as close to "normal" as possible.

### School Supplies

Once again, TISD is purchasing school supplies for our elementary students. Parents only need to purchase a clear or mesh backpack and we will supply the rest.

### New Student Registration

We will begin registering new students Monday, Aug 2, 2021. Students who are 4 years old on or before September 1 are eligible for Pre-Kindergarten. Students who are 5 years old on or before September 1 are eligible for Kindergarten.

### Breakfast

Breakfast is served each day between 7:30 and 8:00 for all students. At 8:00, breakfast will no longer be available to students. If your child/children would like to eat breakfast, please make sure they are at school no later than 7:45.

### Visitors

For the safety of your child/children our front doors will be locked each day from 8:00-3:30. If you need to pick your child up early please continue to call the front office before 2:30 PM. We will NOT release children at 3:30 from the front office.





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## **Dismissal**

All students will be dismissed at 3:30 daily. We encourage all parents to pick their child/children up in the car pick-up line. There will not be any students released with a car tag until all of the car riders are picked up (the same as last year) and walkers are released.

If a parent needs to pick up their child before dismissal time, the parent **MUST** call the front office and provide a valid photo ID. We ask that parents reserve early pick-ups for doctor appointments and emergency situations only so that instruction is not interrupted.

If at any time, you would like to speak to me or if you have questions, please feel free to email me at [smurry@tidehavenisd.com](mailto:smurry@tidehavenisd.com), or call the school at 979-843-4340. I am here to support you and your student/students.

Welcome to Markham Elementary! We will see you soon!

Sincerely,

Stacie Murry

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