

Welcome Back! August 2020



Dear Parents,

Welcome to an amazing school year! We are so glad that you have decided to join our family. This school year we will start school **online**. Our team will deliver rigorous engaging instruction through the [ZOOM application](#). The Zoom is a video conference app that allows your child to engage with their teacher and classmates. Please click on the link to make sure this app is downloaded on your electronic device before the first day of school **Monday, August 31, 2020**. We are expecting 100% participation online and 1.5 years' worth of growth in Reading and Math.

Teachers will reach out to parents the week of **August 24 - 27, 2020** with an invitation to join **Class Dojo, Class tag** or **Google meet**. These are communication apps that we use to keep informed. Teachers will post Zoom invitations, Class assignments and Lesson Plans one of these applications. That said, it is vitally important that we have a phone number and email. Listed below are a few important dates for you to receive additional information and ask questions.

Free Backpacks and Supplies will be provided to students who participate in the first week of school- August 31 - September 4, 2020. **Please stop by September 4, 2020, from 1:00 - 3:00**

- 2 Notebooks
- Pencils
- Highlighters
- Crayons

Tablet pick up - TBA

Good news! We have ordered new tablets for K-2 student tablets for your scholar. We will notify you as soon as they arrive.



Please join me in welcoming our new Dean of Academics, Dr. Gable. As always thank you for all that you do to support our school. If you have any questions or concerns please email me at williamsp@pontiacacademy.org

Sincerely,

Pamela Williams

Mission- To provide students and families a safe, nurturing and challenging educational experience that will foster the strength of character necessary to succeed in career and life.

Elementary Principal