

Short Avenue Elementary School

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Dear Short Avenue Families,

We hope that you and your children are enjoying your summer vacation! You will receive the **2017-2018 Opening Packet for Short Avenue Students** the first day of school. Please review it for updated information, sign and complete forms and return them to your child's teacher. For now, mark these important items on your calendar:

Date	Time	Description	Location
8/14/17	8:00am-12:00pm 3:00pm-5:00pm 3:00pm-4:00pm	Youth Services (YS) & All-Stars Registration Classroom Assignments	Front of School near the Main Office Main Office
8/15/17	7:30-8:00am 8:00am-8:30am	First Day of School Classroom Assignments Assembly 1 st -6 th grades	Playground/Big Yard
8/15/17	8:45-9:30am	TK/Kinder Orientation	Auditorium
8/16/17	5:00pm-8:00pm	Food Truck Fiesta	Front Lawn of School
8/29/17	5:30 to 7:00pm	Back to School Night	Auditorium & Classrooms
9/6/17	5:30 to 7:00pm	FoSA Booster Club Meeting	Parent Center, Room 1
9/8/17	7:30am-8:30am	Dolphin Café & Morning Assembly	Front of School Playground/Big Yard

2017-2018 Office Hours: 7:30 am – 4:00 pm

Holidays/School/Office Closed: **Friday, September 1, 2017** (CA Admission's Day) and
Monday, September 4, 2017 (Labor Day)

FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL: **Tuesday, August 15, 2017**

Gate opens at 7:30am. There is no supervision prior to 7:30am.

Make sure to enter the school through the front gate on Maxella Avenue or the valet service off Beethoven.

Classroom Assignments will be posted on the playground and the courtyard area near the Main Office beginning at 7:30am. Alternatively you can come to the Main Office on Monday 8/14 between 3:00pm-4:00pm to receive an envelope with the classroom assignment inside.

8:00-8:15am- Welcome Back to School Assembly on the playground- 1st-6th grade students. Parents are welcome to join us. Please help children find their teachers and line up when the bell rings.

TK/Kindergarten orientations and schedule on first day of school:

***Orientations:** **August 10 1:00pm-2:30pm & August 15 8:45am-9:30am**

First Day August 15 8:45 am – 9:00 am, Orientation, Auditorium (parents and children)

9:00 am – 9:30 am, Friends of Short Avenue Booster Club (parents only)

9:00 am – 1:30 pm, Children's First Day in classrooms (children only)

- ❖ **TK/Kinder parents, please pick up your child promptly from the Kindergarten Yard.**
- ❖ **There is only one childcare program for K / TK & 1st grade students, All-Stars** (This is a free program, previous registration required)

STUDENT HOURS: Grades TK / K - 6 8:00 am – 2:23 pm
Except **Every** Tuesday 8:00 am – 1:20 pm

YS/ Youth Services: (Grades 2 – 5 only) 2:23 pm – 6:00 pm & 1:20 pm – 6:00 pm Tuesdays. Our playground is open daily for children in Grades 2 – 5 until 6:00 pm. Youth Services coaches provide supervision and group activities for students.

All-Stars: (Grades TK/K-6th) 2:23 – 6:00 pm & 1:20 pm – 6:00 pm Tuesdays. Previous registration required, All-Stars offers comprehensive childcare for all children starting the first day of school.

We look forward to an exciting and productive school year! As always, we welcome your participation in your children's education both at home and in school. If you have any questions, please feel free to call, 310-397-4234 or visit our websites, www.shortvenue.org or www.friendsofshortavenue.org

Sincerely,

Karen Reynolds, Principal