



TEANECK COMMUNITY CHARTER SCHOOL

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Hello TCCS Community,

I hope that everyone is having a wonderful summer! With just under 3 weeks remaining until we welcome our new and returning students for the 2023-2024 school year, I wanted to provide you with a few important updates and reminders, with more specific information to follow.

SUPPLY LISTS AND SUMMER ASSIGNMENTS

Please look under the “Parents” and “Students” tabs at www.tccsnj.org for grade specific 2023-2024 supply lists and summer assignment details! In case you were unaware, the State of NJ will be providing a Tax Holiday for school supply purchases between August 26 through September 4, 2023. You can visit <https://bit.ly/njth23> for more information!

FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL

As a reminder, the first day for students will be Tuesday, September 5.

TCCS AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAM

The [After School Program](#) has reached full capacity for the 2023-2024 school year. If you are interested in being placed on a waitlist for enrollment, please email afleischhauer@tccsnj.org.

LUNCH PROGRAM & FREE AND REDUCED PRICE LUNCH APPLICATIONS

As shared yesterday, lunch service will begin the second week of school. All students will need to bring their own lunch September 5-8. Lunch orders must be placed online and are due by Monday, September 4. Please visit <https://tccsnj.org/school-lunch/> for menus and ordering information.

We are now accepting free and reduced price lunch applications for the 2023-2024 school year! You can visit <https://bit.ly/TCCS-FRL2324> to view income eligibility guidelines and other information and apply online using the link on the TCCS website or directly at <https://bit.ly/tccs-FRLapp2324>. All eligible families are encouraged to apply! IMPORTANT: Even if you qualified for the 22-23 school year, you must apply again for the coming school year to remain eligible.

STUDENT SCHEDULES / PARENT PORTAL

Information regarding student schedules and class placements will be available in the parent portal a week before school starts on Tuesday, 8/29. Instructions for accessing the portal will be sent to all parents via email. Once you receive your login credentials, please be sure to access the portal ASAP to review and update your contact information and to answer the required “parent questions” before the school year begins.

TRANSPORTATION

Students who qualify for transportation will be contacted directly by the Teaneck Public Schools Transportation Department. At this time, there is no information on any potential subscription bussing. Please visit <https://www.teaneckschools.org/Transportation.aspx> for more information.

DISMISSAL PREFERENCES

As we prepare for the coming school year, we are once again asking all parents to provide their students’ preferred dismissal method(s) for the 2023-2024 school year. Please submit this information online at <https://bit.ly/tccs-dis2324> by Friday, September 1.

STUDENT & PARENT HANDBOOKS

Revised handbooks for the 2023-2024 school year will be shared during the last week in August. Once you receive your handbooks, we ask that you review them carefully to understand and note any updates.

As September 5th draws near, anticipate further communication regarding the upcoming 2023-2024 school year from the school and/or your students' teacher(s). Meanwhile, may the remaining weeks of summer bring you relaxation and quality time spent with family and friends!

Please feel free to reach out with any questions at rgallo@tccsnj.org and have a great weekend!

Thanks and Best Regards,



Ralph Gallo

Executive Director