

Appropriate Playground Clothing



During the next few weeks, it is important we are sending the message to all students to dress appropriately for the upcoming winter months. Once the snow increases and is a major factor, the following rules should apply:

K, Grades 1, 2 & 3:

Kindergarten, Grades 1, 2 and 3 students must wear **both waterproof pants** (snow pants or snowsuit) and **boots** in order to play in the field.

Without **both snow pants** and **boots** students must only play on the cleared

blocktop areas. Hats/hoods, mittens/gloves and winter coats are also outdoor apparel that should be worn at all times.

Grades 4 & 5:

Grades 4 & 5 students are allowed to choose whether or not they wear waterproof pants and boots. **We advise they wear both.** If a Grade 4 or 5 student chooses not to wear waterproof pants or boots and they become wet outdoors, they will not be allowed to call home for new/dry clothes. We strongly encourage hats/

hoods and mittens/gloves are worn at all times as well. Coats must be worn outside during the winter months.

Weather Conditions:

It is important that parents check each morning to make sure children are dressed suitably for the weather. If a child is well enough to be in school they are well enough to participate in outdoor recess and noon period activities. All children will remain inside if wind chill is below zero or it is raining.



Crosswalk Reminders

All students and families who cross Pontiac Drive must do so at the **center crosswalk in front of the school.**

This requirement is for everyone's

safety.

Please do not ask your child to cross at Mt. Vernon or Wesley, as there is NO CROSSING GUARD at those intersections.

There is an adult crossing guard at the center crosswalk from 7:45-8:25 and also from 2:55-3:20 or until students are gone.



PICK-UP
AND
DROP-OFF
ONLY
NO
PARKING

STOP, DROP & GOOOOOOOOO

After school there are many parents here waiting to pick up their students. Please be sure you are **NOT parked in the Stop, Drop and GO** to wait for your students. Our Early Childhood students leave 2:50 and some of them need to ride the bus. We need to keep the

Stop, Drop and Go area open for the parents of our EC students and allow the bus access to pull in to get them. Also **never leave your car** when you are in the Stop, Drop and Go.

Thank you all for understanding and your cooperation in helping to keep these students safe!

Please be courteous of other families. We have had calls concerning unsafe driving and unattended vehicles.