



NEW AND IMPROVED MEET THE TEACHER

Monday, August 5th, 3 p.m.- 6 p.m.

BEAT THE LINE with two quick steps...

Make your contribution toward:

- 1. Textbook consumables and
- 2. Community Investment

(Community Investment is a one-time or recurring gift of any amount.)

There will be an express line for the families that are able to complete the above contributions **prior to 12 midnight Sunday**, **August 4th**.

*The express line will go directly to the Archway Lobby for teacher assignments, then off to the classroom to meet the teacher.

Additional Meet the Teacher improvements this year:

- *Rita's Italian Ice will be outside selling 4 different favors for \$2.00 each (cash only)
- *Tents will be set up for shade
- *The Boy Scouts will be helping families carry supplies to the classroom
- *Please bring a wagon if you have one to help make the experience a little easier

We will also have the following stations set up for your visit:

- *Opt-In School Directory
- *PSO with volunteer opportunities, lunch program information, and used uniform sales
- *Athenaeum
- *Athletics
- *School Nurse
- *Boy and Girl Scouts
- *Student Fingerprinting (free of charge service offered by the Elk's Lodge.)

Reminder: Please bring your school supplies, unless you preordered.

To learn more about Community Investment and funding priorities for ANP: https://archwaynorthphoenix.greatheartsamerica.org/support/community-investment/

If you are unable to attend Meet the Teacher, please email <u>menglish@archwaynorthphoenix.org</u>. Your student's classroom assignment will be emailed to you on Tuesday, August 6.

First Day of Kindergarten

Tuesday, August 6th, 7:40 a.m.-12 p.m.

On Tuesday, August 6, we invite our Kindergarten parents to walk your scholars to the classroom beginning at 7:40 a.m., take a few pictures, and then join us in the MPR for **Cheers and Tears** from 8:00-9:00. During this time you will hear from the Headmaster, the Academy Giving Manager, and from a first-grade parent. You will also have the opportunity to congratulate and console fellow kindergarten parents! At 12:00 ALL kindergarten students (both full-day and half-day) will be dismissed through the dismissal process. Do not park your car on campus for dismissal.

Volunteer Orientation & Fingerprinting Tuesday, August 6th, 9:00 a.m.

We will be hosting our annual Volunteer Orientation following the Kindergarten Cheers and Tears Celebration from **9:00 a.m. - 10:00 a.m. on Tuesday, August 6** in the MPR. Anyone interested in volunteering in their child's classroom, please plan to attend. Fingerprinting will follow the orientation.

Volunteer Policy: Parents are not allowed to volunteer without being fingerprinted and participating in the ANP Volunteer Orientation.

First Day of School 1st-6th grade Wednesday, August 7th, 8 a.m.-1:45 p.m.

Start and Dismissal times

The doors will open at 7:30 a.m. and classes will begin at 8:00 a.m. We recommend that you arrive on campus **by 7:45** so that your student can unpack and be completely ready for instruction by 8:00 a.m.

Doors to the MPR will close promptly at 8:00, after which time parents will need to sign their children in at the front office. **Please keep in mind that there is no supervision provided for students prior to 7:30 a.m.** Children should remain in the vehicle with their parents until drop-off procedures begin.

Drop-off and Dismissal

Please take a moment to review the map or better yet, check out our *Traffic Flow video* and visit our web site for information on drop off, dismissal, and parking.

There is very little visitor parking to allow parents to walk their child safely to the entrance. We ask that parents drop off their children by car at the north end of campus, where they will be guided into the multi-purpose room (MPR) and



their classroom by ANP faculty. Any parents walking their children onto campus will be asked to say their good-byes at the MPR doors. Parents will not be allowed to walk into the hallways, playground area, or check in at the front office to walk students to the classroom. Please be assured that we are utilizing all ANP faculty to make the drop-off procedure successful, and we will make sure that students get to their classrooms safely.

We **do not have permission** to park in the adjacent business properties, including the Elks Lodge north of campus and the Paradise Valley Baptist Church south of campus. We ask that you please respect our neighbors' property.

Drop-off and Dismissal Reminders

Here are some friendly reminders to help the drop-off and dismissal process run as smoothly as possible.

- Put your cell phone completely away once you have entered campus.
- Please pay close attention to the traffic attendants and follow their directions. They are there to guide you through the process.
- Smile, be kind to others, and demonstrate patience. We will do our best to return
 the favor and together serve as model examples for all the little eyes who are
 watching how adults behave.

Important Links

www.archwaynorthphoenix.org

Archway North Phoenix web site is always up to date. Please check the web site first for information about events and policies.

<u> 2019-20 School Year Calendar</u>

2019-20 Textbook Consumables

2019-20 Literature Library

<u>2019-2020 Supply List</u>

2019-20 ANP Uniform and Dress Code

In an effort to provide greater clarity, we wanted to provide better definition regarding some of the language in the family handbook about the dress code expectations for girls. The handbook reads "Neat small bows, barrettes, headbands, and hair ties are

permissible so long as they coordinate with the uniform." For our purposes small means not greater than 5 inches x 2.5 inches. The colors that coordinate with the uniform are limited to white, blue, navy blue, light blue, and burgundy. The patterns that coordinate with the uniform are limited to solid, stripes, polka dots, and plaid. We hope this alleviates some of the confusion caused by ambiguity and will bring a clearer understanding of what is permissible.

<u> 2019-20 Enrichment Fee and Field Trip Fee</u>

Once per school year we ask families to support the ANP Enrichment Program/Class Field Trips for each of their students attending Archway Classical Academy North Phoenix of \$25 per student.

Your generous support of the Tax Credit Drive in additional to your support of the Enrichment Program and Class Field Trip Fee make these opportunities possible for every student attending Archway Classical Academy North Phoenix.

Carpool for Archway and Prep families available now for 2019-2020.

Important Dates

Meet the Teacher Monday, August 5 3:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.

First day of Kindergarten (Half Day for ALL Kindergarten Students) Tuesday, August 6

8:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

First day of School (grade 1 - 6) Wednesday, August 7

Doors open at 7:30 a.m.

Classes start at 8:00 a.m. Dismissal 1:45 p.m. Half Day Kindergarten Dismissal: 12:00 noon

Newsletter Email Addresses

Due to changes in email addresses and families, the weekly newsletter is currently emailed to the first contact email address in the enrollment system. The Newsletter is posted on the web page under *News and Events*. Any family member or friends that may need this information should connect to the *Archway North Phoenix webpage*.

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