



Brimley Area Schools

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Update:

Dear Brimley Area Schools Family:

The 2020-2021 school year is upon us and we only have three days left until the start of the new year. We are very excited and look forward to working with each student and family as we navigate this very different year. We have been working very hard getting ready to see our students come through the doors on Tuesday, September 8th. Please enjoy the rest of the nice holiday weekend and we will see you very soon.

As part of our plan for a safe return to school, we are asking parents to take the time in the morning to prescreen their children. On the left side of our website, you will find a prescreening tool for you to follow. We are also going to be taking temperatures as students enter the bus and as they are dropped off at school. If you have not filled out the emergency procedure form for this school year, please take the time to do so. You will find the form on the left side of our website under school newsletters. Click on the September 2020 newsletter and scroll down to the second page and there is a link for the form. Thank you for taking the time to fill this form out.

If you are transporting your children to school, please follow the signs when entering and exiting the parking lot. We will have much more traffic in the parking lot than in years past, so please make sure to watch for walking students and parents. Please remember, do not use the bus drop off road. If you have elementary school students, they will use door number one to enter and exit; middle school students will use door number seven; and high school students will use door number 11, respectively. As we get started, we may need to adjust how the flow of traffic moves in and out of the lot. Again, thank you for your patience during pick up and drop off times.

We are working to keep all our students, and employees safe during the pandemic and Bay Mills Health Clinic is helping greatly with the opportunity for COVID-19 Testing. If you would like to have your child tested periodically, please notify your building principal. We are working with Bay Mills to draft a consent form that will need to be filled out prior to any testing. Once

again, thank you to the Bay Mills Indian Community for their continued support of our school district and the students we serve.

If you are enrolled in the Blue and White Academy, please note that we are still in the process of getting all students uploaded in the system. This process has taken a great deal of time and we appreciate your patience during this transition.

Again, we look forward to the start of an exciting school year! If I can be of any help, please do not hesitate to contact me at the office. Now, please get out and enjoy the last big weekend before the 2020-2021 school year begins.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Brian Reattoir". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long horizontal stroke at the end.

Brian Reattoir, Ed.S.
Superintendent of Schools