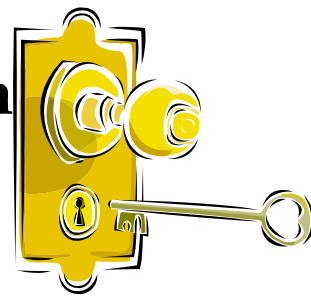


Key Information Bulletin



Somerset Academy Village at Wilton Manors
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Welcome to Somerset Academy Village at Wilton Manors! We are very excited about this school year and all of the wonderful academic instruction we have planned for your children. The following is an overview of some basic information to assist you in starting this school year safely and smoothly. Please note the important changes below.

HOURS OF OPERATION:

Elementary Students (Pre K - 5)

Instructional Day.....8:30 a.m. - 2:45 p.m.
Morning Care.....7:00 a.m. - 8:15 a.m.
After Care.....2:45 p.m. - 5:55 p.m.

Middle School Students (Grade 6 - 8) Instructional

Day.....8:15 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.
Morning Care7:00 a.m. - 8:00 a.m.
After Care3:00 p.m. - 5:55 p.m.

Remember to check out our website at
www.somersetwm.com and at

www.somersetacademyschools.com for
IMPORTANT DATES!

August 20th "Open House" from 5:00 pm – 7:00 pm

All families will meet in the Cafeteria for some important information from administration. All class lists and room assignments will be posted outside the cafeteria. Teacher's doors will be locked until the welcome orientation has ended in the cafeteria. *Please keep in mind that this is not a time to conference with the teacher about your child. You will have an opportunity to schedule a conference during the Open House.*

August 23rd "First Day of School"

Pre-K, K, and 1st Grade Parents may walk their children to their classrooms for the first week of school. Please be sure to exit the building after the first class has begun at 8:30am.

August 23rd "Boo-Hoo Breakfast" from 8:30 am – 9:15 am

We know it is hard to leave your child on the first day of school, so each year, we host this event in order for you to meet other families going through a similar experience. The event will be held in the Media Center from 8:30 am – 9:15 am.

UPDATES & INFORMATION:

- **Middle School students are required to take reading** in all grades 6th – 8th grade. These courses will vary in content based on a student's level of achievement in reading and will be comprised of projects, novel studies, and skills-based enrichment and/or intensive remediation instruction.
- **FCAT and Stanford Diagnostic Testing** will commence later than usual this school year. Please reference the school testing calendar on the website for exact dates.
- **Lunch/Breakfast prices have increased** by \$.25 this year. Breakfast will be \$2.00 and Lunch will be \$3.00. Please be sure to fill out a Free/Reduced Lunch Form and you may qualify for this wonderful program.
- **Before/After Care** is registering students. Please be sure to complete the registration form in order to receive these services. Prices have been lowered in order to accommodate our families during these difficult financial times.
- **Uniforms are available at All Uniform Wear.** We have changed the Elementary Logo Design, but all uniforms purchased last year may still be worn this year. We have added the Middle School Design to differentiate between grade levels. Please be sure to send your child to school daily in PROPER UNIFORM ATTIRE. Uniform bottoms may be purchased at local stores as long as they are acceptable uniform style bottoms in black, khaki, or navy.
- **Carpool Maps and Procedures** are available online and will also be discussed during our Open House on August 20th. Please be sure to follow the map and most importantly, DO NOT PARK YOUR CAR AND WALK THROUGH THE CARPOOL LANE!! This will hold up the traffic and make the pick up and dismissal process longer than necessary. It is expected to take a little longer at the beginning, but once the teachers learn the cars, and the parents follow the rules, the line will continue to move quicker.
- **Spirit Shirts and Planners** will be for sale during the first weeks of school. An order form will be sent home