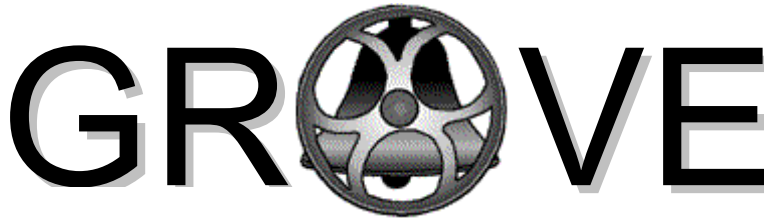


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Dear Parents/Guardians,

Students from Eagles Landing and the surrounding area will be allowed to walk (bicycle) to school. Please read the following information carefully to become familiar with specific school rules/policies:

A.M. Walking Procedures

***Students should use the sidewalk along the west property line and should enter the main north entrance. A Grove teacher and student patrols will be on duty from 8:10-8:25 to monitor students as they arrive. Students from The Enclave may cut across Grove property west of the staff parking lot to gain access to the sidewalk, always remembering to stay away from the staff parking lot.**

***Students may begin arriving to school at 7:55. Teachers will not be on duty before this time and will leave their duty position at 8:25 (first bell). Students who are late arriving to school (after 8:25) should be escorted and supervised by an adult.**

PM Walking Procedures

***All walkers and the supervising teacher will meet in the north gym at the end of the school day. Student patrols, under Mr. Schweinberg's supervision, will be stationed in this area as well. At approximately 3:15 the teacher on duty will escort students to the sidewalk on the west side of the school.**

Walking Rules and Guidelines

***Students will know that the same rules of common courtesy used at Grove School will apply to their walk home. The discipline code as outlined in the Grove School Student-Parent Handbook will be applied when students are walking or riding bicycles home on school property.**

Bicycle Riders

- *Students in grades 1-5 from Eagles Landing and the surrounding area with parent/guardian permission will be allowed to ride bicycles to school.**
- *Helmets are strongly recommended and locks are required.**
- *Bicycles must be walked at all times on school property. This includes the sidewalk running along the west property line of Grove School.**
- *Bicycle racks must be used and are located near the sidewalk leading to the playground area.**
- *Grove School will not be responsible for lost or stolen bicycles and/or related equipment.**

Safety

- *Always work with your child to plan a route to and from school. Please include expectations regarding arrival times, respect for neighborhood property and response to emergencies.**

Thank you very much.