

# Principal's Message

Dear JB Families,

We are already over halfway through October and quickly approaching the holiday season. With the excitement of the season, I wanted to send a few important reminders regarding morning drop-off and afternoon pick-up at the front of the school to ensure safety and efficiency for everyone.

## Morning Drop-Off Guidelines

- TK and Kindergarten Students: Please park in the neighborhood and walk your student to their line by the kindergarten gate. The main drop-off lane is not designed for our youngest students.
- 1st–5th Grade Students (Drop-Off Lane):
  - Please give yourself enough time in the morning so you are not rushed.
  - Students should exit your vehicle only in the yellow curb areas.
  - Do not let students out of your vehicle in the red curb areas for any reason.
  - For safety, all students must exit from the right-hand side of the car.

## School Hours and Supervision

- Morning Supervision: School supervision begins at 7:45 AM on the blacktop.
- Front Gates Open: Our front gates open at 7:57 AM.
- School Starts: School begins promptly at 8:00 AM.
- Afternoon Dismissal: 2nd–5th grade students are dismissed at 2:30 PM. Supervision is provided on the blacktop until 2:45 PM.

Thank you for your continued partnership in keeping our campus safe and our traffic flow smooth. If you have any questions, please let me know.

Sincerely,  
Lydia Rice  
Principal, John Baldwin Elementary

