

Sally K. Ride Elementary School

Megan Burnham, Principal

Dear Parents,

2019 Welcome Letter

Welcome to Sally K. Ride Elementary!

We are so excited about you and your child joining the Ride family. We will be relentless in our efforts to add value to each child. We believe in a team effort; students, parents, and teachers working together to ensure the best education for our students. We want this to be a happy and productive year for your child. We are very proud of our school and we're glad you are part of the Ride Family.

Communication is very important. It's essential that you sign up for a PAC (Parent Access Conroe) account each year. Email is our primary communication tool for all school events and information. Once you register for a PAC account, you will receive important information regarding absence and tardy notifications, and other important updates. Throughout the year, you can log into PAC to view grades, report cards, attendance, discipline records, cafeteria accounts, and STAAR information. Simply visit our CISD website (www.conroeisd.net). Locate the "STUDENTS/PARENTS" tab and proceed to "PARENT ACCESS". Click "REGISTER FOR AN ACCOUNT". Follow the simple steps to complete your PAC registration. Don't forget, you must re-register every year.

Ride's website provides up-to-date school information. Various items can be viewed and printed including our online calendar of school events and daily lunch menu. Our website also provides links to all teacher email accounts and websites (http://ride.conroeisd.net).

First Day of School: Wednesday, August 15th, School hours: 8:00 – 3:10.

Meet the Teacher: Monday, August $13^{th} - 4:00 - 6:00$ pm. Class placement emails will be sent Friday, August 10^{th} .

Our Parent Teacher Organization is a vital part of our school, please consider joining! PTO is for all parents; working and/or stay-at-home moms and dads. It provides many avenues to volunteer, participate, and be involved in the community. A complete PTO packet will come home on Wednesday, August 15th. On Monday, August 20st, PTO is hosting a "Boo Hoo, Yee Haw!" coffee gathering. Meet in the Library: Kn parents meet from 8:30-9:30am and 1st -4th grade parents meet from 10:00-11:00am. Please come enjoy visiting with the PTO members and connecting with other Ride parents.

Conroe ISD is excited to announce an online student data validation system, InfoSnap. This online process replaces all of the hard copy student forms that your child brings home on the first day of school. Your attention is required! You should have received an email from SICD or a letter in the mail with instructions. Please do not hesitate to contact us if you have any questions. We look forward to another great year!

Sincerely,

Megan Burnham, Principal