



Buncombe County Schools

Good evening Blackhawk Families! The beginning of the school year is upon us. Tomorrow is the first student day. We are excited to meet your wonderful children and begin a fantastic school year. Following are a few reminders heading into the first day that will help things go smoothly.

- Students who arrive to school in a car should not be dropped off prior to 7:10. All car riders should report immediately to the gymnasium.
- If you are driving your child to school, please enter the car rider line from Dula Springs Rd as in years past. No vehicles will be allowed to enter the bus lot for drop off. All cars entering via the main entrance from North Buncombe School Rd. will be asked to turn around.
- Please be aware that there are LARGE speed bumps once you turn onto the school drive from Dula Springs Rd. Drive slowly.
- Our car rider line is extremely congested, please plan on a 10-15 minute delay should you drop your student off.
- School begins at 7:50. Any student not in homeroom prior to the 7:50 bell will be considered tardy.
- North Buncombe Middle participates in universal free breakfast. Any student who would like to eat breakfast here at school will be able to do so free of charge.
- We ask that all outside food and drinks be consumed prior to drop off. Students will not be allowed to bring breakfast items, coffee, etc. into the building.
- Students riding the bus need to be at the bus stop about 10 minutes earlier than the anticipated pick-up time. Please be aware that the bus schedule on the first few days may be early or delayed. Your patience is appreciated.
- Bus riders will report to the auditorium once dropped off at school.
- First load bus riders will be dismissed at 3:02. Car riders will be released at 3:05. Second load bus riders will be dismissed as soon as their bus arrives.

We look forward to meeting your children and thank you in advance for your support of our school. Have a great evening.