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Dear Parents of Incoming Kindergartners:

Welcome – or welcome back – to the Rye City School District Kindergarten program. With the new school year almost upon us, I wanted to reach out to advise you of the schedule for the first few weeks of school for Kindergartners. Students will attend 5 full days, from **8:40 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.**

We will have an “ease-in” period designed to help the children adjust to a full-day program:

- Monday, September 5th – Labor Day - No school
- Tuesday, September 6th – No school
- Wednesday, September 7th – First day of school
- Week of September 7th - Kindergartners will attend school half day - until 12:00 p.m.
- Week of September 12th - Kindergartners will attend school half day - until 12:00 p.m.
- Week of September 19th - Kindergartners will remain at school through their lunch period and recess. Lunch times vary slightly by school, therefore dismissal time will also vary slightly this week:
 - Midland – 12:55 p.m.
 - Milton – 1:00 p.m.
 - Osborn – 1:10 p.m.
- Week of September 26th - Kindergartners will attend for the full day – until 3:00 p.m.

Thank you for entrusting your children to us. We look forward to seeing them – and you – September 7th. Enjoy the rest of the summer.

Sincerely,

Brian Monahan
Superintendent