



## **BILL ROBERTS K-8**

### **Bobcat Bulletin: The Weekly Roar!**

8/2/24

#### **IMPORTANT DATES & UPCOMING EVENTS**

August 15th- All School Meet and Greet (w/ Food Trucks)

August 19th- First Day of School

August 22nd- All School Back to School Night

August 23rd- Assessment Day #1 (no classes for grades K, 1, 2)

August 30th- Assessment Day #2 (no classes for grades K, 1, 2)

September 2nd- Labor Day (no school)

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Online Registration** Online Registration is the process by which you confirm the information we have on file for your household. This is a DPS requirement that needs to be done every school year. It reopened this week and you have until the end of August to complete it. For the full details on how to complete registration, please see [HERE](#).

**Mandatory Lunch Applications** We are asking that all BR families submit a Household Application for Student Meal Benefits. Submitting an application helps ensure students receive the maximum amount of benefits they are eligible for, including discounts on bus passes and some school fees, such as athletics, and reduced AP testing fees. It ensures schools receive additional resources to support healthy meals for students and after school programs. Your assistance in completing and submitting the Household Application for Student Meal Benefits is greatly appreciated and has the potential to help all DPS schools. Apply now at [myschoolapps.com](https://myschoolapps.com). *If you believe you do not qualify we ask that you still complete the application and check off the opt out button.* All information provided is confidential and protected. If you have any questions please reach out to our front office.

**UPDATE K-2 Assessment Days Childcare/Camps** This year, we are introducing assessment days for grades K, 1st and 2nd (see above for dates). *Classes will not be held on those days (for K-2 only). Your teacher will reach out with more information for assessment sign ups.* Fortunately, we have partnered with Toca (*Discovery Link can no longer honor our request due to scheduling difficulties*) to offer camps for students on those days. Stay tuned for more information on camps including times, locations and cost.

**UPDATE Spirit Wear/School Dress Code** As mentioned in last week's Bobcat Bulletin, you can find our updated dress code policy with FAQs [HERE](#). Our website will be updated soon to reflect the changes. A big thank you to our school-based and PTA teams for all of your input and support!



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**REMINDER Welcome New Parents!** We'd like to take a second and extend a warm welcome to all of our new Bill Roberts families! It is our sincere hope that you have found your new "home" in this school community for years to come! Also, this bulletin is just one of the ways that we try to maintain strong communication with our families. Be sure to check out our Facebook pages and our PTA-run Thursday Notes as well (sign up for Thursday Notes [HERE](#)!).