Welcome to San Elijo Elementary School!

We are happy to announce that this year we will go to extended kindergarten.

Many of our schools fill their kindergarten classes quickly. It is imperative that parents enroll as soon as possible to ensure a spot for your child at your school. When you come to register, we will only accept registration packets if all documents are complete. If you are missing documents, you will need to come back another day. These are the following requirements:

- **Birth Certificate**: Children must be five years old on or before September 1, 2020 to qualify for kindergarten. Please present your child’s state registered birth certificate in order to complete registration. If your child is eligible for Kindergarten according to birthdate, they must enroll in kindergarten at this time.

- **Immunizations**: State law requires that an immunization document be completed. Please bring immunization card dates for polio, measles, mumps and rubella, pertussis, tetanus and diphtheria, Hepatitis B and Varicella (Chicken Pox vaccine). **NOTE**: Children must be fully immunized even if they are not yet five years old in order to start school by August 18, 2020.

- **Physical Examination**: All students enrolling in Kindergarten are also required to have a “Report of Health Check up For School Entry” form prior to the start of school. If your child has a physical prior to February 1, 2020 a second physical will be necessary prior to entry into the 1st grade. If you are unable to obtain a health checkup prior to registration, written proof of an appointment from a physician is required. Your packet will not be considered complete without proof of an appointment.

- **Oral Health Assessment**: California law, Education Code Section 49452.8, now requires that your child have an oral assessment (dental check up) by their first day of class in kindergarten. Dental assessments completed up to 12 months before your child enters school also meet this requirement. Please see enclosed Oral Health Assessment flier for details. If you are unable to obtain a dental checkup prior to registration, written proof of an appointment from a dentist is required. Your packet will not be considered complete without proof of an appointment.

- **Proof of Residency**: All students enrolling in San Marcos schools are required to present two documents as proof of residency within the specified attendance area of the San Marcos Unified School District. Please see the attached residency verification form. If you reside with someone and utilities are not in your name, then a notarized Affidavit of Residence by a Notary Public is required along with two appropriate documents.

- **Emergency Card**: It is extremely important that you complete and sign the emergency card. Make sure you add two emergency contacts.

**Hours** for extended kindergarten classes will be 8:45am to 2:10pm

**Registration Hours** will be from 8:30am to 10:30am and from 12:30pm to 02:30pm

**Being Informed**: Please visit our school website at [www.sanelijoelementary.org](http://www.sanelijoelementary.org) to stay informed of all school programs, important dates, and PTO news. Please take a moment to read the student handbook under the resources section. All staff members can be reached by email through our website!

Please feel free to call 760-290-2600 if you have any questions or concerns.

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