



Every Fox Needs a Den **Welcome to Yours!**



A message from your Principal, Mrs. Hafenrichter

Hello YGS Families,

Welcome back, students, parents, and staff! As we gear up for another exciting school year, we're thrilled to welcome everyone back to the building in just a few days. This upcoming year promises new opportunities for learning, growth, and making lasting memories.

As you prepare for the start of school on August 15th, below are a few tips that you can use at home to make the first day smoother for everyone.

1. Re-establish routines for daily reading, limited screen time and sleep.
2. Discuss transportation to and from school.
3. Establish routines for: morning wake-up, after school, and bedtime.
4. Be active, exercise daily, and drink plenty of water.
5. Complete all school paperwork and documentation.
6. Talk to your child's teacher about any special needs.
7. Designate a spot at home for completing school work.
8. Teach and practice good hygiene habits including using the bathroom independently.
9. Reassure your child that it is ok to be nervous to return to school. The first day back may create a lot of different emotions and that is ok.
10. Stay connected with the school through Facebook and checking your email.

Thank you for trusting us with your child's education this year. Here's to a year of growth and success!

Best,
Melinda Hafenrichter
YGS Principal

NEWS TO NOTE



24-25 Registration Information

Please make sure you have register your child for the 2024-25 school year! Visit
Y115 Registration Services (<https://www.y115.org/domain/93>) and complete
the registration process today!

#WeAreYorkville #SchoolRegistration

YORKVILLE GRADE SCHOOL

Mark
your
Calendars

AUGUST

8

YGS JUMPSTART

One day only from 9:00 - 11:00 am.
Recommended for all incoming Kindergarten
students and students new to YGS.

AUGUST

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CLASS LISTS & BUS ROUTE

24-25 class lists and bus route information will
be posted in ParentVue after 12:00pm.

AUGUST

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SUPPLY DROP-OFF

Teachers will be in classrooms between
2:00 - 3:00pm. YGS will be open from 2:00 to
5:00pm.

AUGUST

15

FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL

First day of school (full day) for all students 1st -
3rd grade. Kindergarten start days will be
staggered on 8/15 and 8/16. More info to come.

SEPTEMBER

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CURRICULUM NIGHT

Join us from 5:00 - 7:00 pm. More information
on sessions will come at a later date.

2024 - 2025



1st Day of School Procedures

Kindergarten Students

In order to transition our newest students to a full day of school, we will be splitting our kindergarten classes to have half the students attend on August 15th and the other half on August 16th. All kindergarten students will be in

attendance on August 19th, 2024. Information on which day your child will attend was sent via email on July 26th from Mrs. Hafenrichter. Please call 630-553-4390 if you have questions.

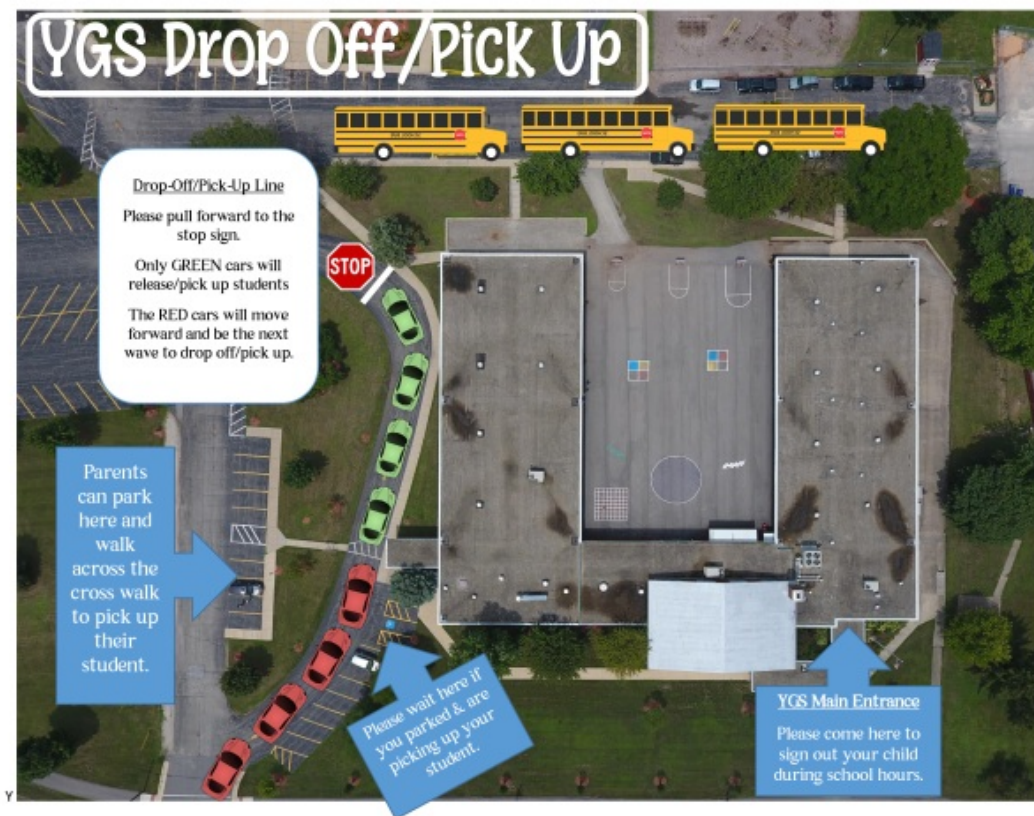
Kindergarten parents are welcome to park in the lot and walk their student(s) to the courtyard area of YGS where Mrs. Anderson and Mrs. Robinson will be greeting students and welcoming them into the building.

1st, 2nd, & 3rd Graders

All students will attend on August 15th, 2024 and will follow normal drop off procedures with staff outside and inside helping them make their way to the classroom where their teacher will welcome them to YGS.

Parent Pick Up & Drop Off

Please see the map below for pick up and drop off information. If you are utilizing the car lane, please stay in your car, we will bring your child to you.



YORKVILLE GRADE SCHOOL

HOOPS WITH HAFENRICHTER



AUGUST 7TH, 2024

5:30 - 6:30 PM

COME PLAY BASKETBALL, ENJOY A POPSICLE, AND
CATCH UP WITH MRS. HAFENRICHTER

SMALL SCHOOL ♥ BIG LOVE

DATES TO REMEMBER



Mark Your Calendars

- **August 7th:** Open house for Kindergarten students in the STARS program (3-5pm)
- **August 7th:** Hoops with Hafenrichter (5:30 - 6:30pm)
- **August 8th** - Jump Start for kindergarteners & new students (9-11am)
- **August 13th** - Supply Drop Off 2-5pm (teachers will be in classrooms from 2-3)
- **August 15th** - 1st day of the 24 - 25 school year
- **September 5th**- YGS Curriculum Night (5-7 pm)

PTO UPDATES



A printed copy of the flyer must be brought to the store to participate.

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INVITED!**

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FOX FOODIES



**Whitsons - Yorkville's Food Service
Provider**

Yorkville is excited to partner with Whitsons for food services again this year. You can find out more information about Whitsons as well as upcoming menus by visiting the Yorkville website or by clicking [HERE](#).

If you would like to apply for free or reduced lunch fees, please visit [THIS](#) website. This application needs to be completed on a yearly basis to qualify. This mean that if you received free or reduced fees last year you will need to apply again this year. If you have never applied and need to set up an account the website contains an easy to follow tutorial for setting up your account in order to apply.

In future newsletters I will include a picture of the upcoming breakfast and lunch menus along with a link to the program where you can see what your child ordered as well as their remaining balance.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION



FOR YOUTH DEVELOPMENT®
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BEFORE AND AFTER SCHOOL CARE

SAFE ACTIVE FUN ENRICHMENT - SAFE



The Fox Valley Family YMCA's Before and After School Program is located on school premises and offers homework assistance, creative enrichment activities, supervised athletic play and many social activities for children. A light, healthy nut-free breakfast snack is served in the morning and a healthy nut-free snack is served in the afternoon.

Morning care begins at 6:30am and runs until school begins. Afternoon care begins immediately after dismissal until 6:00pm, including early dismissal days. There is no SAFE program on days that school is closed due to non-attendance school days, inclement weather and other emergencies.

You will find professional and dependable care for your student in our SAFE program. Our staff model and teach the YMCA core values of caring, respect, responsibility, and honesty in their work with the children. All YMCA staff members are background checked, CPR and first aid trained, and have taken child abuse prevention courses.

Flexible attendance options are available. We accept DHS payments for childcare and have the YMCA scholarship program for those who qualify.

All SAFE students will receive a FREE YOUTH MEMBERSHIP when they enroll in the SAFE program.

FOX VALLEY FAMILY YMCA

Central Branch | 3875 Eldamain Rd., Plano, IL 60545 | 630-552-4100
West Branch | 707 S. Main St., Sandwich, IL 60548 | 815-786-9998
WWW.FOXVALLEYYMCA.ORG

YMCA Safe Program at YGS

Did you know that the Fox Valley YMCA offers before school and after school care for student at YGS? Check out the flyer for more information.

SEMI-MONTHLY PAYMENT OPTIONS

1-3 Days mornings	\$113
4-5 Days mornings	\$180
1-3 Days afternoons	\$113
4-5 Days afternoons	\$180
1-3 Days morning & afternoons	\$153
4-5 Days morning & afternoons	\$249

Bi-monthly billing on the 1st & 15th

YORKVILLE

Autumn Creek	AM & PM
Bristol Bay	AM & PM
Bristol Grade	AM & PM
Circle Center	AM & PM
Grande Reserve	AM & PM
Yorkville Grade	AM & PM
Yorkville Intermediate	AM & PM

PLANO

PH Miller	AM & PM
Centennial	AM & PM
Emily G. Johns	AM & PM

SANDWICH

Haskin (Haskin, Prairie View, Dummer)	AM & PM
Woodbury	AM & PM

SOMONIAUK

James R. Wood	PM only
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For more information about SAFE or Activity Days, please contact our School Age Child Care Director, Katelynn Marcoux at (630) 552-4100 ext. 230 or kmarcoux@foxvalleyymca.org

Are you ready for Back to School? Don't forget your Vaccinations!



K-12 Back-to-School Immunizations By Appointment Only

Children must be eligible for the Illinois
Vaccine for Children Program (VFC).

❖ Requirements:

- 18 years and younger
- Enrolled in Medicare Title 19
or Title 21
- Uninsured
- Underinsured

❖ Staff will verify eligibility before the
appointment is scheduled as well as the
day of the appointment.

❖ A current Immunization record is
required at the time of service.

❖ Children must be accompanied by a
parent or guardian, with proof of legal
guardianship or have a written consent
by parent.

❖ Appointments will be held at
811 W. John Street, Yorkville IL 60560



Kendall County 2024 Back-to-School Immunization Clinics

MAY 07, 2024	4-6 PM
MAY 09, 2024	1:30-3 PM
JUNE 04, 2024	4-6 PM
JUNE 13, 2024	9-11 AM
JUNE 18, 2024	12-2 PM
JULY 09, 2024	12-2 PM
JULY 16, 2024	4-6 PM
JULY 18, 2024	1:30-3 PM
JULY 23, 2024	4-6 PM
AUGUST 15, 2024	1:30-3 PM
AUGUST 22, 2024	9-11 AM
AUGUST 22, 2024	1:30-3 PM
AUGUST 27, 2024	4-6 PM
AUGUST 29, 2024	1:30-3 PM
SEPTEMBER 10, 2024	4-6 PM
SEPTEMBER 12, 2024	9-11 AM
SEPTEMBER 12, 2024	1:30-3 PM
SEPTEMBER 17, 2024	4-6 PM
SEPTEMBER 24, 2024	4-6 PM



CALL NOW

Call for your appointment now at **630-553-9100**.
Our appointments fill up quickly!



If you cannot make your scheduled appointment, please give us
a 24 hour cancellation courtesy call. Thank You!



Community Flyers

Are you looking for events happening in the Yorkville area? Check out the
Community Flyer page on the Yorkville Website for up-to-date information
about local events.

Community Flyer Page

My primary communication to families will be through weekly newsletters on
Friday which is an email/e-newsletter. Please make sure your contact
information is kept up-to-date with the school so that you receive these
important messages.



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