



YORK INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL

Rising 5th Grade Orientation

About YIS...

- YIS has both 5th and 6th grade students in YSD1.
- We have approximately 360 Fifth grade students from 4 elementary schools within our district.
- Our 5th grade has 14 teachers/classrooms on the hallway.
- We do not have any Sport Teams.



7:15 – School Doors open. Students will report directly to Homeroom when entering the building.

7:45 – Tardy bell: School starts. (Arrivals after 7:45 requires parent to sign student in.)

2:15 - Dismissal

Sample 5th Grade Schedule

7:40-8:00 Homeroom

8:00-9:30 Math

9:30- 10:20 Activity

10:20-12:10 ELA

12:10-12:45

Lunch/Recess

12:45-2:30 Science & SS

Students will be supervised at all times by the teacher while changing classes, reporting to lunch, dismissal, etc. Students will be supervised at recess, bus duty, and car duty by YIS administration.

5th graders do not have lockers. Cubbies are located in the classroom.



All 5th grade Homeroom classes are located on “B” Hall. Partner teachers are directly across the hallway.



Guidelines

Expectations,

and Information

School Rules

- All students are given a school handbook which is also used as your agenda.
- Dress Code is discussed in the student handbook. Anything that is disruptive is not allowed.
- Cell Phone usage is not allowed during school hours. Cell phones must be turned off and out of visible sight at all times. Includes “Smart Watches.”
- No electronics.



LUNCHES

- Regular school lunch is free for 2023-2024. A variety of items are included each day. Choice of Entrees include Pizza, Chicken Nuggets, Hamburgers, Salads, Sub Sandwiches, Nachos, and the special menu item of the day.
- Students are served from 2 lines. Students will have assigned seating area.
- Students are given 20 minutes to eat lunch. Students are given 20 minutes for recess each day.
- 5 minutes of lunch is always Silent Lunch.





Students from YIS and YSD 1 elementary schools ride together.

For the 2019-2020 school year, you should ride the same bus that you rode as a 4th grader. Some exceptions may apply.

Appropriate conduct on buses must be displayed at all times.

All buses are equipped with camera surveillance.



Car Riders

Car riders are dropped off at the front of school.

All students should be dropped off in the right hand lane along the sidewalk. Once you drop off you may exit using the left hand lane. **(Please pull forward to the blue cone so that we are utilizing the entire front walk so that traffic does not back up to the highway.)**

All car riders are to wait in the afternoon on the sidewalk or designated area.



Core Academics

- Math: 90 minutes daily
- Language Arts: 90 minutes daily
- Social Studies: 45 minutes daily
- Science: 45 minutes daily



Merit Program

At YIS, Merit is not a pull-out program.

All Merit students will have class together during the day (Science, SS, ELA, and Math).



ACTIVITY CLASSES

- All Activity Classes are 50 minutes.
- Students attend one activity class every day.

PE – 9 weeks

Health – 4 ½ weeks

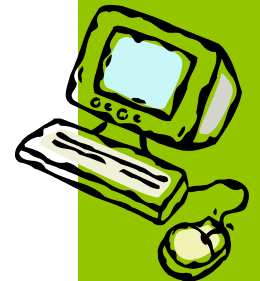
Music – 4 ½ weeks

Art – 4 ½ weeks

Keyboarding – 4 ½ weeks

Band – 4 ½ weeks

Academic Support – All Year



Activities/Clubs

Art Club

Heart and Soul (Girls on Track)

Release Time (Tuesdays during Activity class)

Kid's Break

Tennis Club

Student Council

YSD1 RETURNING STUDENT REGISTRATION

- All parents/guardians must provide proof of residence before the first day of school in August. Registration is done Online.



If You Have Any Questions



For more information, please see our
district website at

<http://www.york.k12.sc.us>.