WELCOME TO SEDALIA PARK ELEMENTARY Every Student Every Day

- Safety first! Our rules and procedures are in place to maximize the safety of staff, students, and you! Please respect them and contact the main office if you have questions.
- We always want you to feel welcome in the front office, and we are there to serve you to the best of our ability. Please be aware that the front office staff are at times extremely busy. Please be patient.
- To avoid frustration on your part, we <u>strongly recommend</u> that you spend time navigating and understanding:
 - **ParentVUE** This is the main hub for **GoSafe**, attendance, grades, payments, ASP/Eleyo, field trip permission slips, school clinic information and much more.
 - CTLS Parent This is where you will receive messages from your student(s) teacher and information from the district. Please 'opt-in' to receive text messages when you set up the app.
- Carpool parents, for the purpose of safety, it is recommended that you have your child enter and exit from the passenger side of the vehicle. Your child will be sent to ASP at 2:40PM if they have not been picked up. You will be charged the ASP registration fee if necessary.
- ALL visitors must check in using the Ident-A-Kid system in the main office. You will need your ID. Best Practice: **ALWAYS have your Identification with you.**
- <u>Students may NOT be dropped off at school prior to 7:15 AM. Please plan accordingly. The</u> academic day begins at 7:50AM sharp.
- All transportation changes must be made through GoSafe in ParentVUE. Student checkout and transportation changes are **not allowed** after **1:45PM**.
- ASP begins at 2:45PM. ASP fees may be charged at \$10 per day after a \$20 registration fee. You may apply for financial assistance if necessary. Eleyo is the Cobb County School District's After School Program (ASP). Last year's ASP balances must be paid first before your child can stay.
- Students may have a cell phone or smartwatch at their parent's discretion; however, they must remain turned off and in the student's book bag during school hours and on the bus. The school is not responsible for lost or stolen items.
- We can provide you with information for daycare providers and job/food resources. Just ask!
- We encourage you to order yearbooks early and by the deadline. Yearbook orders are only placed once. Don't miss out!
- **Picture Day** is offered in the fall season and the spring season. The student will receive the information packet regarding picture purchases a few days before the picture day.
- We encourage students to ride the bus to and from school. Traffic in our area is unpredictable, so, plan if your child is going to be a car rider.

ParentVUE	CTLS Parent	Sedalia Park website	Cobb County School District	Sedalia Park Foundation	Food Services

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FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS:

- How does Student Transportation work? ParentVUE is where you will set up GoSafe!
- This is a list of the absolute MUST know GoSafe items for parents:
 - Paper notes, texts, phone calls, and comments in the student agenda will NOT be accepted for transportation arrangements or changes. The teacher and main office staff are not responsible for the transportation choice you make.
 - All walkers and car riders must use the assigned barcode for each child. You can have a printed copy, the actual barcode in the GoSafe app, or save a screenshot into your photo favorites. You will have to park and come into the main office if you don't have the barcode.
 - Please add EMERGENCY contacts and check "Release to" so they may pick up your kiddos.
 - The classroom teacher will have a GoSafe dismissal screen in each classroom that includes a picture of your kiddo(s), teacher name, grade level, and how they will go home. There will be a color and an icon (ASP, Walker, Bus, Club, Carpool). It's very userfriendly for students and teachers.
- What if my child has a medical need, medication administration, or food allergies? We have a full-time school nurse. Please be specific when completing the clinic card upon registration or if medical needs change. Please inform your child's teacher of food allergies. They will be provided to the cafeteria manager.
- How can I be involved in my child's school? Please consider joining and/or supporting out Sedalia Park Foundation and PTSA.
- May I eat lunch with my child? Yes, of course. Please ask for the time from your child's teacher and sign in at the main office first.
- **Birthday Celebrations?** Cupcakes, cookies, balloons, flowers, gift bags, or party favors **are not allowed** in the classroom to protect instruction time and minimize interruptions. Please contact our cafe to place an order for birthday treats during lunch.
- My child would like to ride home with a friend. What am I allowed to do? Students may not ride the bus home with a friend. This is only allowable for carpooling. Parents must have the bar code tag and be on the pickup list for that child in ParentVUE.
- What does early release mean? Early Release means that students will be released from school at 12:30 PM. Just subtract 2 hours from your normal routine.
- Where is Lost and Found? It's in the cafeteria. Please label everything!!
- Where do I pay for field trips and put money in the cafeteria account? MyPaymentsPlus.com
- Follow us on Facebook, X, and Instagram Sedalia Park

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