



September 11, 2020

Dear Wildcat Family,

Kimball Wiles' will host our annual Open House on Wednesday, September 23rd. We will do this safely through a virtual format. We will be sending out two links through your child's teacher. One for administrative and resource teachers and the other for your child's classroom teacher.

I want to reinforce the importance of your child coming to school every day and being on time. Research shows that good attendance and punctuality are keys to success in school and in the workplace. It is so hard for a child to walk or log into a classroom late (Brick and Mortar or Digital) or for that matter be checked out early. We understand that on occasion it is necessary but shouldn't be often.

So what can you do as a parent to help?

1. Students need a set schedule on school nights. They need a time and quiet place to complete homework and read. They need at least 8 hours of sleep each night.
2. Don't overextend your child with too many activities. A well-rounded child is wonderful but don't let their outside activities interfere with their education.
3. Keep track of the number of days your child misses school. More than 5 days in a semester is excessive and once a child falls behind in school, it is very difficult to get them caught up to grade level expectations.

All students must wear a mask on campus. Please do not send children with gators, fishing buffs or bandanas in place of a mask.

Parents can update information in Skyward Parent Portal now. Log in and you can add/change parent or guardian phone numbers and email addresses easily. It is imperative that the school has correct information to reach parents in case of an emergency.

Sincerely,

Katherine L. Munn

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Principal



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Wildcat Strong

September 2020
PTA Wellness Newsletter



Nutrition

What's Poppin'?

Looking for a healthy and easy after school snack?

Try popcorn! Add different toppings for fun and flavor:

- Parmesan cheese
- Cocoa powder
- Raisins

Share your favorite toppings!



Mindset

Did you know....

5-6 year old's need 10-12 hours of sleep each night? **

7-12 year old's need 10-11 hours of sleep each night? **

**Per WebMd



Exercise

Let's Move!

- Start Wildcats BINGO!
- Get outside
- Try Cosmic Kids Yoga or GoNoodle on YouTube



Social

Make someones day!

- Talk to someone new
- Send a letter to someone
- Wave to your neighbor



BE A LEADER!

JOIN CUB SCOUT PACK 371

Informational hike on Saturday,
Sept 12th at 8:00am

Kanapaha Veterans Memorial Park
7400 SW 41 Pl, Gainesville, FL 32608

What to look forward to in Scouts:

- Visiting parks and forests
- Building character
- Making lifelong friends!

Sign up at www.fb.me/CubScoutPack371.
Bring a water bottle, sunscreen, trail food,
Bug spray, and a mask!

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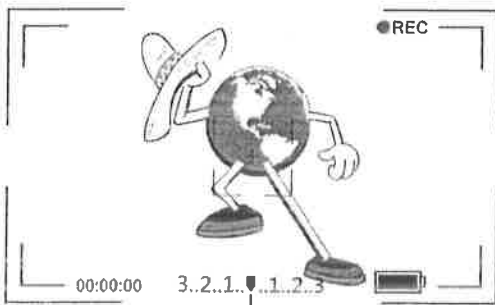
FUN LANGUAGES

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THE SOONER A CHILD STARTS LEARNING A NEW LANGUAGE THE BETTER. It's a fact. Research has proven that children between the ages of 3 to 10 years old are at a critical period of language development where they are easily and naturally able to acquire a second language. After 10 years of age it becomes increasingly difficult. Children who learn a second language at a young age develop stronger problem solving and analytical skills – a lifetime benefit which can lead to higher basic skills and SAT scores.

HERE'S WHAT CAN BE DONE. If you want your child to take advantage of this language learning "window of opportunity," you must act. There is no better way than FUN LANGUAGES to start your child learning a second language.



LIVE & RECORDED ONLINE CLASSES via ZOOM!

Due to COVID-19, French and Spanish clubs will be offered online beginning the fall semester 2020-21. Join a club, private lesson, semi-private lesson, or form your own group!

Live classes will have approximately **8 students** (minimum of 5) and meet according to the schedule on the back. Clubs follow the school calendar with fall semester from **September 14 – January 15, 2021**; they do not meet on the week of Thanksgiving or winter break (December 21 – January 1).

- Elementary, middle, and high school (K-12th) classes are **45 minutes**.
- Preschool classes are **30 minutes**.

TUITION. Tuition is **\$225** for **elementary** age clubs and **\$200** for **preschool** clubs and is due in advance for the semester. New elementary members please add **\$30** for the cost of the book that will be used throughout the year. Call if you need to arrange special payment terms. Fun Languages admits students of any race, color, national and ethnic origin. Children who are unable to pay the fee are welcome to attend the language classes.

Questions? Please contact **Kaydie Vistelle** at 352-372-6885 • www.funlanguages.org

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Grade Level/Experience

Spanish Class Time

Preschool ages 3-5 years

Monday | 9 am
Thursday | 5 pm
Saturday | 1 pm
or weekly recorded class

Kindergarten and grade 1 +
grade 2 (without experience)

Monday | 3 pm
Wednesday | 2 pm
Saturday | 10 am
or weekly recorded class

Grade 2 (with experience) +
grades 3 and 4 (with little to no experience)

Monday | 4 pm
Saturday | 9 am
or weekly recorded class

Grades 3-5 (with experience)

Tuesday | 5 pm
Wednesday | 3 pm
or weekly recorded class

Grades 6-12 (beginner & intermediate)

Request best available time (contact us).



For **French classes**, please contact **Kaydie Vistelle** at 352.372.6885 or kaydiev@funlanguages.org. She will form the groups based on your child's age, experience, and availability.

REGISTRATION. Help us provide the best possible service by completing registration today. To register, please fill out the online registration form and pay via **Venmo** or **PayPal** at funlanguages.org. Alternatively, make **checks** payable to "Fun Languages", register online, print form, and mail to:

For questions regarding the appropriate club for your child, contact **Kaydie Vistelle** at **352.372.6885**. Due to staffing considerations, we cannot give refunds after the first club meeting.

FUN LANGUAGES
2616 NW 37th Terrace
Gainesville, FL 32605



REGISTRATION FORM

(Please use only if unable to register on funlanguages.org)

Tuition for the semester is **\$200** for **preschool** and **\$225** for **elementary** age clubs. New K-5th grade members please add **\$30** to cover the cost of the workbook for the school year.

We have attached check # _____ payable to **FUN LANGUAGES**. Check one of the following:

\$225 (K-5th w/o book) **\$255** (K-5th w/ book) **\$200** Preschool

Child's name:

Language: **Spanish** Class (grade level/experience):

Day & time: Age: Past language experience:

Parent's/Guardian's name:

Contact Phone (primary): E-mail:

I understand that the health and safety of students will be considered at all times. I will not hold Fun Languages responsible for accident or injury to my child.

Signature of parent or guardian:

Date:

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