





We are falling into our routines here at Tinicum and it's so great to hear the sounds of laughter, friendship, and learning throughout our school. It's been neat to observe our returning students rekindle conversations, to watch our new students become friends with their classmates, and to see our kindergarten students quickly develop friendships.

Speaking of rekindling conversations and engagement with others, what better time than now to remind you of how important your membership and participation in our Tinicum PTA truly is to support our school community. Each month, our PTA meets to discuss and plan for upcoming events that engage our school community in positive ways. Please see the link below (note 8) to register as a member of the Tinicum PTA. Your support is invaluable.

Enjoy the weekend!

NOTES FOR FAMILIES

1. Thank you to everyone in the car rider line for helping us by not showing up to campus before 3:15. The lines have been great and our students have been exiting in a safe and orderly manner each day. As a reminder, if you are **not** an everyday car rider and need to pick up your child(ren) at the end of the day, please send an email to tinicumpickup@palisd.org **no later than 3 PM**. Please include the name of the student(s) (first and last), as well as the name of the person picking him/her up (first and last). Our staff will ask for a photo ID to verify.
2. Pennsylvania legislators and the governor passed a bill that provides free breakfast for all students for the 2023-2024 school year. There is a charge for lunch, however. If you are interested in completing paperwork to see if you qualify for modified pricing, please complete the documents that were sent home in this week's Friday folder and return those to school. You can also review the website by [clicking here](#).
3. Speaking of lunch, here is [the menu](#) through the beginning of October.
4. Visitors and volunteers are strongly encouraged! If you are interested in volunteering, please let us know. You will need clearances that are up-to-date. You can check with Mrs. Doerr regarding your clearances. If you don't have them, but need to get them, please use [this link](#).
5. If you are running late in the morning and are dropping off your child(ren) after 9 AM, please know that you are required to come into the school office to sign in your child with Mrs. Doerr. The same applies when picking students up from school early.

6. We do have four awesome water filling stations here at Tincicum. We encourage you to send a reusable water bottle into school with your child(ren) so that they can refill their water throughout the day.
7. For information on our district's health services, please visit our webpage by [clicking here](#).
8. Don't forget to register to become a member of our amazing Tincicum PTA Family! The link to register is found [here](#).
9. If you have not done so already, please be sure to complete your returning student paperwork in PowerSchool. You can find the [link in the Patch](#). If you have any questions or need support, please contact Mrs. Doerr at 610.847.5131, extension 7000 or by email at jdoerr@palisadessd.org.
10. Back-to-School-Night (an adult-only event) is scheduled for Tuesday, September 12 from 5:30 - 7:00. [Click here](#) for the flier!
11. On Friday, we welcome all families to visit with us for a casual picnic. Bring your towels/picnic blankets, some yummy food, and enjoy getting to know your fellow Tincicum Tiger Families. This year, we will also have Tincicum spirit wear for purchase. Additionally, our friends from the Doylestown Heritage Conservancy will be here to do a fun nature-themed activity with our students. Come one, come all!

TINICUM ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

PICTURE DAY

September 22, 2023

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A PEEK INTO NEXT WEEK

Monday, September 11	Day 3	
Tuesday, September 12	Day 4	Back-to-School Night at 5:30 PM
Wednesday, September 13	Day 5	
Thursday, September 14	Day 6	
Friday, September 15	Day 1	Tinicum Family Picnic at 5:00 PM

Specials Rotation at Tinicum:

Days 1 and 2 - Health or Physical Education

Days 3 and 4 - Library or Music

Days 5 and 6 - Art or Spanish

SAVE THE DATE(S)!

September 22	Picture Day!
September 25	NO SCHOOL for students/faculty
October 4	PTA Meeting at 4:30 PM
October 6	School Store (during recess)

My best,

Dr. Michael W. Donnelly