

Meeting Goals

- 1) Increase understanding of the instructional philosophy of MNS 4K
- 2) Provide answers to frequently asked questions regarding the MNS 4K program
- 3) Begin our partnership



Meet the Team







WI Model Early Learning Standards (WMELS)

> Are they "just" playing all day?





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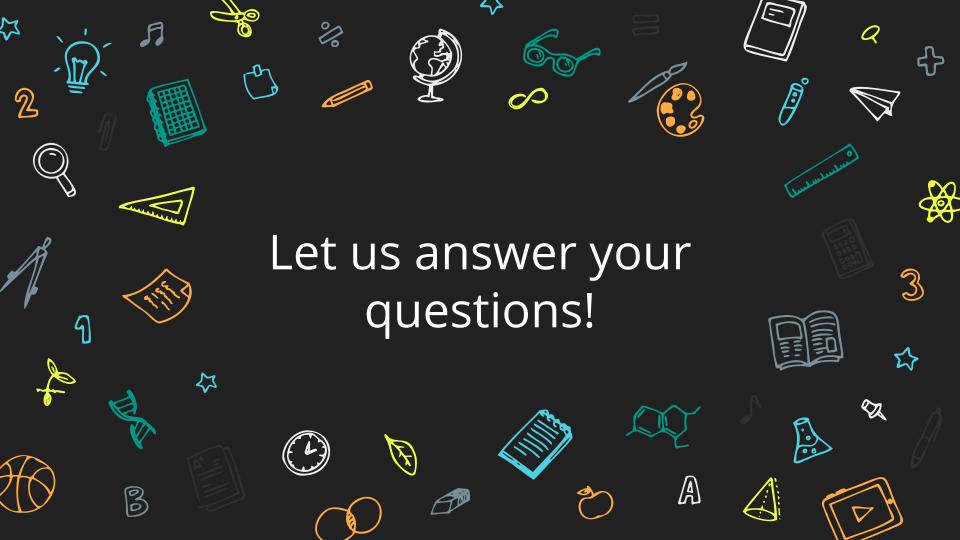


WI Pyramid Model



Wisconsin Model Early Learning Standards Guiding Principles

- 1. All children are capable & competent.
- 2. Early relationships matter.
- 3. A child's early learning & development is multidimensional.
- 4. Expectations for children must be guided by knowledge of child growth & development.
- 5. Children are individuals who develop at various rates.
- 6. Children are members of cultural groups that share developmental patterns.
- 7. Children exhibit a range of skills & competencies within any domain of development.
- 8. Children learn through play & the active exploration of their environment.
- 9. Parents are children's primary & most important caregivers & educators.



4K Half Day Schedule

Student Day:

- 2 hour 40 minute sessions
- Morning session: 9:15-11:55*
- Afternoon session: 12:50-3:30*

*Times are subject to change based on registration & transportation decisions



4K Schedule & Calendar

4K follows the school district calendar with a few exceptions that are published once the district calendar is finalized

- First Day of School: September 1, 2020
- 4K and 5K follow a staggered start to support learning routines and transitions



4K Bus Transportation (Bay Lane Student)

AM	*Will take elementary bus route to BLE with K-4 students *Can attend before school care at BLE *Can be picked up from non-home address (must be arranged directly with bus company)	*Will be transported within district boundaries to communicated location at mid-day dismissal	*Parent/guardian can transport as an option
PM	*Will be picked up within district boundaries from communicated location	*Can attend after school care at BLE	*Parent/guardian can transport as an option

4K Bus Transportation (Lakeview Student)

AM	*Will take elementary bus route to LV with K-4 students *Will transfer at LV to 4K bus (current structure) *Can be picked up from non-home address *Can attend before school care elementary site	*Will be transported to communicated location at mid-day dismissal	*Parent/guardian can transport as an option
PM	*Will be picked up mid-day from communicated location and transported to BLE	*Can attend after school care at elementary site	*Parent/guardian can transport as an option

4K Bus Transportation (Mill Valley Student)

AM	*Will take elementary bus route to MV with K-4 students *Will transfer at MV to 4K bus (current structure) *Can be picked up from non-home address *Can attend before school care at elementary site	*Will be transported to communicated location at mid-day dismissal	*Parent/guardian can transport as an option
PM	*Will be picked up mid-day from communicated location and transported to BLE	*Can attend after school care at elementary site	*Parent/guardian can transport as an option

4K Registration Information

- 4K is open to all district residents who are 4 years old on or before Sept. 1, 2020
- To support placement and planning, please register by <u>March 31st.</u>
 Registration remains open following that date.
- Registration materials are available online
- Working to communicate placement information in June



4K Registration Process

STEP ONE STEP TWO STEP THREE

Read through the registration process on district website: www.muskegonorway.org

- Information under Prospective Families Register online or visit/call the Educational Services Center to register in person or ask questions.

Watch for a confirmation email and follow next steps should they apply. Please ensure you have a Infinite Campus account.



4K Next Steps and Events

Before School Starts

- Bus Route information
- Confirmation of your 4K session
- School hours

At the start of the school year

August 25th - 4K Open House at Bay Lane Elementary





Who to contact with questions

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