

## **Welcome From John Eliot Parent-Teacher Council!**

Welcome to John Eliot Elementary!! The John Eliot Parent-Teacher Council would like to welcome all students and their families. Starting at a new school, whether as a Kindergartener or as an older student, can be a challenge. We have put together some information in order to try to address common questions for new families. In addition, please do not hesitate to contact us with any additional questions.

### **Where to Start?**

Your first step is to Register with the Needham School District.

[http://rwd1.needham.k12.ma.us/district\\_registration/](http://rwd1.needham.k12.ma.us/district_registration/) All necessary registration documents and forms are listed on the District website along with step by step instructions for registering your child.

### **School Calendars and other District Information**

The Needham Public School District <http://www.needham.k12.ma.us/index.php> ] has school calendar information as well as other district-wide information ranging from lunch menus to District goals.

### **Health Questions?**

Information regarding school health policy such as medications, health screenings and allergies can be found at District Health Services [http://rwd1.needham.k12.ma.us/health\\_services/](http://rwd1.needham.k12.ma.us/health_services/)].

Eliot Elementary has a wonderful school nurse who is a dedicated and loving resource for all students. If your child has any medications that must be given during the school day please contact her by phone or email. <http://eliot.needham.k12.ma.us/main/Nurse> ]

### **What's happening at Eliot**

If your child is starting mid-year, a great way to get involved is to attend a PTC (Eliot Parent-Teacher Council) sponsored event or fundraiser. The Eliot PTC bulletin <http://johneliotptc.org/> ] and the Eliot School bulletin <http://eliot.needham.k12.ma.us/main/Bulletin> ] have information on the PTC meeting dates, meetings with Principle MacNeal and school events.

These are only a few resources and understand that you might have additional questions. Please don't hesitate to contact us with any questions and we will be glad to assist you!

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