Welcome to the 2022-2023 school year!

First Day of School August 22

START AND END TIME

Elementary: 8:35am - 3:35pm
  – Drop off at 8:25am
Secondary: 7:40am - 2:30pm

• School year calendar can be found on the district website under “Our District.”
• Enrollment information can be found on the district website home page.

TEACHING AND LEARNING

• Dedicated staff committed to the individual learning needs of every child.
• K-12 instructional focus on literacy, math, science, and social studies.
• Robust complimentary course offerings in fine arts, physical education, modern languages, STEAM, career preparation, and many more.
• Engaging classroom environments promoting student interaction as a core instructional belief.

Rockford Public Schools continues to adapt the instructional practices and district programs to best meet the needs of all students in our community.
MENTAL & SOCIAL-EMOTIONAL WELL-BEING

• Varied resources available to assist students that are in need, including social workers, counselors, mental health liaisons and other professional staff.

• Continued and expanded emotional health services and supports available for all students.

TRANSPORTATION REGISTRATION INFORMATION

• Registrations received after route design (August 5) will be reviewed for the availability of bus space. If there is no room on the route, there may be a delay of up to two weeks after school starts to place students on a route.

• You will be able to access your student’s route information in Family Access starting August 15.

SAFETY AND SECURITY

• RPS is serviced and supported by a security team consisting of ten security staff members along with a Kent County Sheriff Department School Resource Officer.

• As a district, we continue to look for best practices pertaining to safety and security through protocols, new technology, and more ways to enhance our security team and law enforcement presence in our buildings.

RAM PRIDE

• High achieving state assessment scores when compared to state and county districts.

• School climates and cultures that promote belonging and engagement.

• Modernized buildings and facilities thanks to community bond proposal support.

• Numerous college partnerships allowing students to earn college credit while enrolled at RHS.

• Construction of a new elementary building scheduled to be completed for fall of 2024.

• Numerous co-curricular organizations recognized for their achievement at the state and national levels.