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Dear Parent/Guardian,

New Detention Program - We are going to implement an after-school detention program at Barrett Elementary on Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays. Detention will be 1 hour long from 3:00-4:00 pm. Any student that is assigned to detention will be completing a packet that deals with the behavior that they displayed in order to receive detention. Parents/guardians will be notified the day before the detention. It is the responsibility of the parent/guardian to be at the school at 4:00 pm for pickup. We are working hard to make Barrett a safe and successful school for all students.

Dismissal – Our new dismissal plan is working well. We have implemented a change so that our car rider students will be exiting the building first. Walkers will be dismissed at 2:45. Please do not enter the blocked off area to greet your child. Parents are asked to stay on the opposite side of the street or on the corner opposite where the students are walked to. This ensures that all staff knows where each child is and that everyone is safe.

End of Day pickup - Parents/Guardians are expected to be outside at 2:50 for dismissal. We have had a large number of students that are still waiting at 3:00 or later for a parent or guardian to pick them up.

Phone Numbers – Please make sure that your correct phone number is provided to the teacher or main office. We have made attempts to contact parents and the number is either not working or incorrect. The students become anxious when their parent/guardian is not at school and everyone else is leaving.

Thank you,


Kimberly Winters