NORTH OTTER **TENTATIVE** FIRST WEEK:

* Tuesday, September 8th plan:
  + School 8:35 – 10:05
  + PLEASE read the rolling board (each and every morning) for the most current information as room assignments, etc. may change last minute each day! This board will be at the back of the school (near the basketball courts).
  + All returning students = last year’s homeroom class
  + New Grade 1-5 students = please meet in the Multi-Purpose Room (MPR). You will be assigned a homeroom for this week.
  + Please remember that the teachers your child has during this week **ARE NOT their teachers for the year.** Your child will have a homeroom teacher and then an assortment of new grade teachers that they will be working with during this week.
* Wednesday, September 9th plan:
  + Students will return to their home room with last year’s teacher for this day. At the end of the day, students will be dismissed from their homeroom.
* Thursday/Friday, September 10th & 11th plan:
  + Students will begin again in homeroom classes before moving to current grade classes.
  + Classes once again will dismiss from homeroom.
  + Given all the possibilities that we may find ourselves beginning in September this year, students will either have their notices in hand regarding their new class/teacher and where to start at the end of Friday for a Monday start in our new classes OR this will occur on Monday afterschool for a Tuesday start.
* At North Otter, we do not post class lists for confidentiality and legal reasons. Instead of posting lists, we will be handing out pieces of paper with new classes and teachers listed to all students at the end of day Friday or Monday. We do not make this decision - we are told by the SBO when we are allowed to make our final classes for the year.

OTHER IMPORTANT START UP INFORMATION:

* Our teachers, support staff, resource staff and admin spend a lot of time discussing and creating educationally sound classes for all of our students. Please remember that class requests were only accepted until the beginning of June and none were accepted after that date and time, nor will they be accepted in September.
* Please do not send new school supplies to school until your child has their assigned classroom/teacher for the year. However ---
* \*\*Please send your child with a small pencil case/box with a pencil, eraser, scissors, glue stick and crayons (or pencil crayons or felts) that are perhaps left over from the previous year. Many COVID protocols will still be in place so we will not be able to share school supplies – students must come with their own small set.
* Healthy snacks and lunches are strongly encouraged. Please do not send juice boxes. A reusable water bottle works best. Snacks should be something that your child is able to eat in five minutes or less and is preferably handheld.
* We are a nut & seed aware school so please limit/avoid these products, from your child’s snack and lunch, to prevent allergic reactions to these items. We have student’s whose lives depend on this. Thank you!