

1. Read to your child every day. Reading is not limited to the young child. Reading to an older child lets him or her know how important reading is to you and to his or her success.
2. Make sure your child comes to school every day and that he or she is on time. Setting the habit of coming to school must be done from kindergarten
3. Attend parent/teacher conferences. Two days have been set aside during each semester for conferences. Our staff will accommodate your needs at other times if additional conferences are needed.
4. Attend school events with your child. There are several school

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Dear Parents:

Welcome to the 2024-2025 school year! We are all looking forward to a wonderful year with your children. It is our goal to foster a community that builds a safe, inviting environment where everyone thrives and can be successful. We encourage you to participate in your child's school experience and value the home-school partnerships that support your child's success. Please review the school handbook with your child for important information regarding school policies and procedures. Please feel free to contact me at any time.

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Kimberly Gessner

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Our children come first and are top priority at Tumbleweed. If you have a question or concern about your child's progress, please make an appointment with your child's teacher immediately. While the principal is available to meet with you, we ask that you address your concerns with the teacher first. Due to teacher's schedules, we ask that you make an appointment that is convenient for you and the teacher. In order to keep academics a priority, we ask that the appointment be before or after school hours. Let's work together to solve your concerns and issues. Visit our Web site at tumbleweed.wesdschools.org for the latest contact information.

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Tumbleweed Elementary School is committed to providing an engaging and enriching environment that will promote academic and social excellence for all students.

Tumbleweed's vision is to create a high performing, quality school, that is committed to developing its students into responsible citizens and lifelong learners.

We envision:

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- x Seek innovations that encourage excitement for learning;
- x Create a learning environment characterized by caring and trust;
- x Help each child develop to his or her fullest potential;
- x Provide opportunities that help students meet the challenges of change.

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The Tumbleweed School Continuous Improvement Plan continues to be monitored and adjusted to meet the needs of our students. The Site Council and our Leadership Team have been working on identifying and assessing Tumbleweed's needs and defining where to focus its resources in relation to the Goals of an Effective School.

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