

# Welcome Parents!

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2019-20 Orientation Night: Pre-K and KG

# Overview

- Welcome
- First Week of School
- How It All Works
- Please Participate In Our School Community
- Important Dates and Links



# Welcome

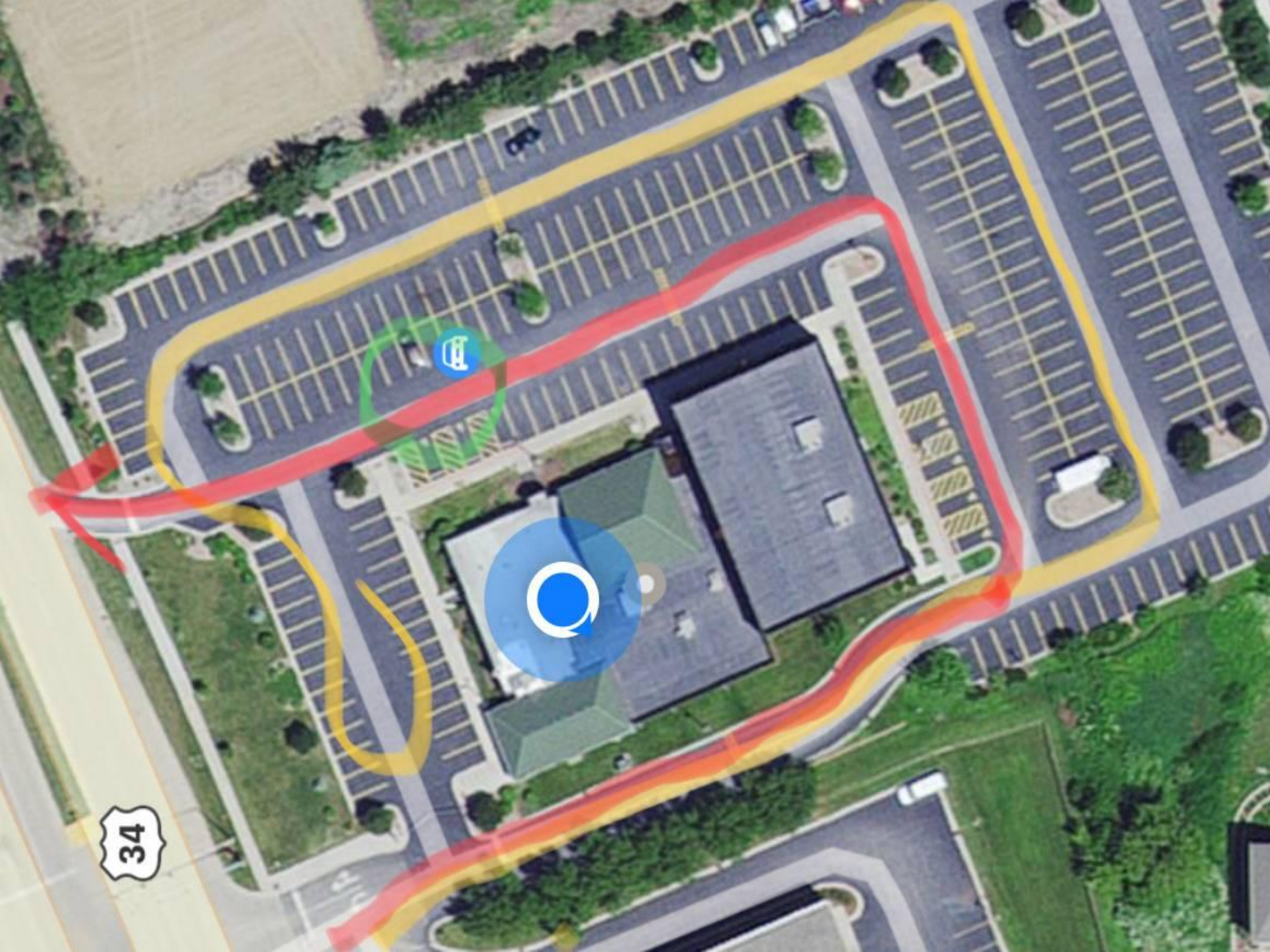
- 2 Information sessions
- Teacher Meet & Greet, including Specials
- Classrooms
  - Kindergarten (Ms. Naila)
  - Pre-K (Ms. Mahnaz, Ms. Jabeen)
    - Mixed age, 2-year program
    - Method: child-directed, objectives-based
  - Rosters and school supplies
  - **ORIENTATION FOLDERS**



# First Week

- Carpool Lane
  - Morning: 8:15 – 8:30 a.m.
  - Afternoon: 2:50 – 3:05 p.m.
  - Half Day Dismissal: 1:00 – 1:15 p.m.
    - North Parking Lot (Ogden side)
    - No carpool. Pick up child from side door.





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# First Week

- Carpool Placards
  - 2 cards
  - Tape card on inside of front windshield
  - Anyone else picking up your child in the carpool should be given a card.
  - **DISPLAY ALL SCHOOL YEAR LONG**



# Separation Anxiety



- **Talk to your child about what to expect**
- **Reassure your child**
- **Meet the teacher and see the classroom**
- **Pick up on time**
- **Be Positive!**



# First Day Is A Half Day

- First Day Dismissal: 11:20 a.m.
- Carpool timing: 11:20 – 11:35 a.m.





# How It All Works

- Be On Time
  - Drop off on time – Assembly, community, orientation of the child
  - No meetings with teachers or office staff between 8:15 and 8:30 a.m.
    - Schedule before/after carpool, in advance
  - Late Pick Up Fees: \$5 per child for every 15 minutes



# How It All Works

- Absences: [ftsattendance@icnmasjid.org](mailto:ftsattendance@icnmasjid.org)
- Drop off or pick up in the middle of the day
  - [ftsadmin@icnmasjid.org](mailto:ftsadmin@icnmasjid.org) (630)544-6164
  - Drop off or pick up your child *in the office*
- So, do we *ever* see our kids in school?



# How It All Works

- Bus Service
  - Kindergarten only
  - District 204 residents only
  - District 204 Calendar
  - Bus route issues, contact First Student
    - (630)978-3284
    - School Name: Islamic Center of Naperville or ICN Noor Academy



# How It All Works Uniforms



Light blue shirt / Dress  
Dark blue pants  
(elastic waist)  
Please keep at least 2  
sets

# How It All Works Communication

- Website
- Newsletters
- Thursday  
Folders
- Email
- Phone call
- ClassDojo



# Important Dates

- Due by September 13<sup>th</sup>:
  - Physicals, immunizations
  - Eye Exams (KG only)
  - Dental Exams
- At your earliest convenience
  - School supplies: classrooms
  - PTC form
  - Purchase Quran Text Books



# How It All Works



## Parent Handbook

- Check email this week
- Read
- Print and sign last sheet
- Return to classroom teacher



# Please Participate In Our School Community

- Teachers and Staff work very hard to make sure students' varying needs are met, that they feel welcomed, challenged at the right level, and that they grow to love learning at school
- There is so much in the way of enriching this school experience and bringing joy to the children that can only come from the participation and dedication of families.





# Please Participate In Our School Community

- The ICN Noor Academy Parent Teacher Committee provides funds for classroom equipment, teacher training resources, school events, and more.
  - **Raise funds** in creative ways
  - **Volunteer** to help support the classroom, library, safety in the parking lot, picture day, bake sales
  - **Celebrate** and recognize our dedicated teachers by arranging teacher appreciation week
  - **Organize** events and fundraisers that build our community such as book fairs, science fairs, and fun school community events

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IT'S AS GOOD AS **YOU** MAKE IT!





**Thank you! Please proceed to  
classroom presentation or pick up  
your child from the gym.**

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