TO ALL BENSON PRIMARY PARENTS/GUARDIANS



Cold Weather is Coming!

When weather permits, we will go outside with the students at noon recess.

Necessary cold weather clothing . . .

on any day includes: winter coat, hat and gloves

on any day when it snows: winter coat, hat, gloves and boots

to play in the snow: winter coat, hat, gloves, boots, and snow pants

Extra clothes at school:

Several times this school year, there have been children who have needed their parents to bring them a change of clothes for a variety of reasons. Therefore, we are requesting that you send a change of clothes for your child to keep in his/her locker. This should include pants, shirt, socks, and underwear all placed in a plastic bag. As with other items your child brings to school, it is important that you write your child's name in each item in case they are lost.

The temperature will be checked daily. If the temperature is **20 degrees** or below, the children **will not** go outside for recess.

If the temperature is <u>above 20 degrees</u>, per our student/parent handbook the children <u>will</u> have recess outdoors. We also use this guideline for lining up outside in the morning and afternoon.

ALL CHILDREN WILL GO OUT TO RECESS UNLESS EXCUSED WITH A NOTE FROM THEIR DOCTOR.

Don't Forget Your Gym Shoes

With cold and boot weather upon us, parents are reminded that students need to bring shoes to school. It is also important that students bring tennis shoes (not black soled) on physical education days.

Clothing Donations Welcome

We have some students who may not have additional clothing available to them when needed. If you have clothing or winter gear that you would like to donate to the school, please send it directly to the school office marked, "DONATION". Thank you!