



Southland District Schools

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Dear Parents and Students:

Welcome back! Hopefully, you are all enjoying your summer vacation. We are looking forward to another great school year at Southland in 2026-2027. The first day for Middle/High school students is Tuesday, September 1st. Elementary students will start on Thursday, September 3rd.

We are looking forward to welcoming back our students and the energy they always bring to the building. The facilities staff have been working diligently to prepare our building for the new school year, and things look great.

Please feel free to contact the office to make an appointment to discuss any concerns, suggestions, or ideas to help make this a great school year. This information can also be found on our website. <https://www.isd500.k12.mn.us/>

Sincerely,

Scott Hall
Superintendent/High School Principal
Southland Public Schools

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Brian Schoen
PreK-8 Principal
Southland Public Schools

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We warmly welcome the following people to the Southland Staff:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Position</u>
Brianna Klouse	Elementary SPED
Amber Sherrard	High School Math

Southland Staff in New Positions:

Shelby Pollock	Transportation Director
Tammy Wiste	Middle School SPED
Brooklyn Eastman	1 st grade
Katie Lunning	2 nd grade
Beth Wilde	3 rd grade
Kris Tapp	4 th and 5 th grade combination class

Enclosed you will find useful sources of information:

- Office Staff Letter
- Parent Survey for Elementary families

August 5th Pre-Registration Event Schedule

Time	Event	Location
3:00 PM – 8:00 PM	Forms, Fees, and 6 th -9 th Grade Schedule Pick-up	Gym 2
3:00 PM – 8:00 PM	Pictures – K-12 th Grade (Sacred Heart's 7 th and 8 th)	Gym 2
6:00 PM	Spring 2027 Music Trip Meeting	Auditorium

August 25th Open House Schedule

Time	Event	Location
4:00 PM – 8:00 PM	6th- 12th grade meet with teachers, find your locker; K-5 th grade scheduled conferences.	All School
4:00 PM – 8:00 PM	Last minute fee payments, schedule changes, forms to hand in, etc.	Office
6:00 PM – 6:10 PM	Principal's Welcome Meeting 6 th – 12 th grade students and parents	Auditorium
6:10 PM – 6:30 PM	9 th Grade Student/Parent Meeting Middle School Student/Parent Meeting	Auditorium Location TBD
6:30 PM	Spring 2027 Music Trip Meeting	Auditorium