

Hellooooo!

I am excited to share with you information regarding Global School Playday! Play is valued and honored!

**What:** A day of play! Pure joy for any child! See the link below for more insight and why this special event occurs annually.

[www.globalschoolplayday.com](http://www.globalschoolplayday.com)

**When:** Wednesday, February 2, 2022 9-2:45 followed by a Founder's Day Celebration at 2:45

**How we do it at Riley:** The primary goal is children playing and adults joining and watching and learning but not structuring or directing.

**Children can bring their outside toys from home and be ready to play!(no electronics)** Due to Covid spacing limitations the objective is to be OUTSIDE!! (with opportunities to warm up of course) Skating, sledding (please let us get some snow!), big games. kick ball, Foursquare, capture the flag, a whole day of Fortville or the Hideaway, a whole day of fort building, fires, and climbing and running! Whatever play (safe play) the children want to do. They will decide!

**How you can help on this day:** Parent volunteers are needed so we can offer children a variety of places to play and to provide supervisory support to the facilitators. We also need cupcakes and setup/breakdown help for the Founder's Day Celebration. You can see what is needed and sign up here <https://volunteersignup.org/7HC4A>

Please be prepared to participate in Riley's Pool Covid testing on Monday, January 31 or take a rapid test prior to participation.

Thank you,  
Ginger