

# Cossitt BASE August Newsletter



## Welcome to Cossitt BASE!

We hope you had a wonderful summer! We would like to take this opportunity to welcome everyone to the 25/26 Cossitt BASE program! We are very excited for the upcoming school year. Each day, we provide dedicated homework time and many activities for the kids' enjoyment, such as arts & crafts, small group games, reading time, playground/gym time, and special theme days.

On the first day of school, there is NO AFTERNOON BASE. Please let the school office know how your child will be dismissed from school that day. For drop-off and pick-up, please use door # 6 (on Madison Ave, 1<sup>st</sup> door up steps). All parents/guardians must have a valid form of identification when signing out their child. Your child will only be released to those on the authorized pick-up list.

We have a great staff lead by Joe Gillespie and Dylan Gartner. Both are in their first year with the BASE program. We will have additional staff providing assistance that you will meet the first few weeks.

### IMPORTANT ITEMS

- Please make sure ePack forms are filled out and submitted
- Late Pick-Up is \$1 per minute. Please call or email if you will be late.
- Light breakfast items and snacks will be provided.
- Please communicate all changes to your child's schedule in a timely manner.

### BASE INFO

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### BASE Website

[www.pdlg-base.org](http://www.pdlg-base.org)

### Hours of Operation

AM: M-F 7am-8:30am

PM: M/Tu/Th/F 3:15-6pm

PM: Wed. 2:15-6pm

## WHAT'S HAPPENING AT BASE

### This week

This week we will:

- Go over expectations and rules with the students
- Do ice breaker games and get to know you activities

### This Month

Next week we will:

- Celebrate the return to school!

### Coming

Here's a look at what's coming!

- Teachers Institute Camp 10/10
- Indigenous Peoples Day Camp 10/13

Please label all of your child's belongings so we can return any lost items!