



Welcome to the 2017 school year Owen Owls! We will begin our first day of school outside in back of the school around the blacktop. School opens for an awesome year of learning at 8:50 a.m. on **THURSDAY, AUGUST 24TH, 2017**, for our **1st-5th grade students**. Parents are welcome to join us for the Pledge of Allegiance and morning announcements outside. Please use the map above to find where grade levels will be stationed around the blacktop area. Classroom teachers will be standing in that area with grade level signs. Additional staff will be on hand to help students find their grade level and classroom teacher. If your child rides a bus, day care van or will be dropped off for **Your Only Limit is You! Be AMAZING!** school year, staff members will help the students find the appropriate classroom teacher. Following the announcements we will have a moment for you to encourage your child to dream big and work hard to reach their goals each day before we say goodbye. Teachers will escort the students into the building and classroom for their first day of class. For safety reasons parents will not be allowed in the building. If it rains, students will enter the school through the three front entrances and two rear entrances. Staff members will be at each entrance and inside to assist students to their classrooms. **Kindergarteners and their parents have their 30-minute orientation on Thursday, August 24th.**

If you have any questions, please call the office at 630-428-7300. On August 24th please enter the main entrance and come to the main office for assistance. We look forward to seeing you soon. Principal Earlenbaugh

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