

LOS ANGELES UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT
NOBLE AVENUE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL



**Dismissal Procedures
2013-2014**

Dear Parents:

Noble is a very large and busy school, and maintaining your children's safety is our primary concern. That is why we have instituted the following dismissal rules and procedures, which are to be followed for picking up children soon after the end of the school day. We understand that some of the rules will be inconvenient for you, but we appreciate your cooperation as we work together to keep the Noble school community safe and happy.

DISMISSAL TIMES

Regular School Days	2:23 PM	Monday/Wednesday/Thursday/Friday
Tuesdays	1:23 PM	
Minimum Days	12:43 PM	Nov. 13-15, March 5-7, May 16, 23, 30, June 5

Procedures for Kindergarten

Kindergarten students are picked up in their classrooms. Parents should enter through the Kindergarten dismissal gate on Noble Avenue. For the safety of students, the Noble gate is only open from right before dismissal until 10 minutes after dismissal. Any Kindergarten student not picked up at that time will be escorted to the Library for pick up. To help us control the campus, parents are not allowed to enter the main playground area from the Kindergarten yard. To pick up a child in another grade, please enter the main playground on Chase Street after picking up the Kindergarten student.

Procedures for Grades 1-5

Students in Grades 1-5 are to be dismissed at the Chase Street gate (not through the main entrance on Noble Avenue). For the safety of all students, parents are allowed to enter campus but are asked to not pass the cones that are set up on the playground. If you need to enter the campus for any reason, please go to the Visitors Table that is set up alongside the cones to receive a Visitor's Pass.

Parents are advised to set a prearranged place and time for meeting their children. ***Do not double-park or ask your child to cross the street between cars in the middle of the block.*** If picking up your child by car, please remind him/her to wait inside the school until you are parked on the school side of the street.

The large Chase Street gate closes at 2:35 PM (1:35 on Tuesdays), which is when the small gate opens and remains open until 3:00 PM (2:00 PM on Minimum Days).

Use the front gate on Noble Avenue for picking up students after 3:00 PM only. Students are not permitted to wait in front of the school to be picked up; all students in Grades 2-5 must wait on the playground with the Youth Services (YS) coach. First Grade students will wait in the Main Office.

Procedures for Rainy Days

There are no changes in Kindergarten dismissal procedures on a rainy day. However, parents of students in Grades 1-5 parents will be allowed to enter school through either the Chase Street gate or the main entrance on Noble Avenue to walk to the children's classrooms. Ten minutes after dismissal, all students who are not picked up and are not in the LA's BEST program will be sent to the Auditorium, where you may pick them up until 6:00 PM.



After-School Programs

LA's BEST is available for all students in Grades K-5. You can obtain an application in the Main Office or visit the Coaches in Room 32 for more information. Youth Services (YS) is for students in Grades 2-5 only. If a student in Grade 2 or above is not in the LA's BEST program, they will automatically be sent to the YS Coach if not picked up by 3:00 PM.

