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Tamuning Elementary School Back to Traditional School Schedule

Tiyan, Guam – The Guam Department of Education (GDOE), **Tamuning Elementary School is please to announce that the school will resume the Traditional School Schedule starting today, January 31, 2024. This means that students from Second to Fifth grade will be in school for the full week, from Monday to Friday**.

- Bus riders: Bus will pick-up at their designated time and area.
- Car riders: Drop off at 7:15am, at the front of Buildings A and C.
- Walkers: The gate will be open by 7:15am.

Tamuning Elementary School had implemented an Alternating Schedule in which two student populations had to alternate their presence on campus every other day. Students were divided into two Cohorts that alternated between attending school in-person or online. The alternating schedule has been in effect since the start of the school year.

Superintendent Dr. Erik Swanson, PhD. expressed his appreciation for the Tamuning Elementary School team for their dedication and hard work in ensuring a safe learning environment for the school students. He acknowledged their team resilience and cooperation as they continue to deal with the challenges of maintaining and repairing school facilities.

Principal Geraldine D. Quejado said, "We are delighted to welcome all of our students back to campus at the same time, and we are very grateful for the patience, support, and cooperation of our students, parents, and the community." She also would like to thank the untiring work of Assistant Principal Leanna Smartt, faculty and staff would like to express our appreciation to GDOE Leadership, Facilities and Maintenance, and the Capital Improvement Projects, who have worked hard to make this happen.

For more information you may contact Tamuning Elementary School @671-646-8058 or email at mtreyes@gdoe.net

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