

IMPORTANT DATES

August

August 14- Preschool Begins

August 15- Back-to-School Night 5:00pm - 6:30pm

August 23- Professional Learning Day (No School)

September

September 4- Labor Day (No School)

September 6- 2nd Grade VIP Breakfast

September 20-22- Early Dismissal 10:55am *Parent Teacher Conference*

Counselors Corner Greetings Davidson families, as we transition from our summer schedule to our school schedule, keep the amount of sleep your children need in mind. It is recommended that children 5-11 need between 9-12 hours of sleep per night. Help your children adjust to earlier bedtimes by creating a nighttime routine. Ditching electronics at least 30 minutes before bedtime prepares the brain for sleep. Additionally, reading with your child before bed creates not only a strong bond between adult and child, but also prepares the brain to dream. Sweet Dreams Dragons!

Julia Velasco McGee • School Counselor • Davidson

PBIS Respectful, On Task, Always Safe, Responsible We are off to a great start with our Positive Behavior and Intervention Support (PBIS) program! The students at school rotated through the different areas of the school last week to review expectations. We have classes earning GOLDEN TICKETS and the students are earning R.O.A.R. tickets. Our Tier 2 CICO program is also underway! The students are doing great checking in and out each day with their Mentor. Let's continue to R.O.A.R.!!!

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HEALTH OFFICE- Remember to bring your water bottle every day. It is hot outside so make sure you are hydrating. It is important. Also, the sun is shining so make sure you are wearing sunscreen or a hat.

Dear Davidson Families, we are off to a great start at Davidson, where the possibilities are endless! We are looking forward to seeing our families at Back-to-School Night on Tuesday, August 15. That is a night for parents and guardians to learn about the expectations for each grade level and get valuable information from your students' teachers. It is a night for the adults, but if you do not have childcare, students may attend. This year, we are starting VIP Breakfasts. Once a month, one grade level will have a breakfast for their students and the students' VIPs. These are Very Important People. Students may invite

parents, grandparents, aunts or uncles, foster parents, or any other important people in their lives. Students, VIPs, and teachers will enjoy breakfast together, share student work that they are proud of, and each grade level will prepare a short student presentation. This is a way to highlight all the wonderful things happening in your students' classrooms and enjoy our community.

VIP Breakfast will take place once a month from 7:30 AM - 8:30 AM. Here are the dates for each grade level, but you will also receive personal invitations in advance.

September 6: 2nd Grade

October 4: 4th Grade

November 1: Kindergarten

December 6: Preschool

January 10: 5th Grade

February 7: 3rd Grade

March 27: 1st Grade

I am looking forward to seeing the important people in our students' lives at our monthly VIP Breakfasts! As always, if you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact me via email, phone, or just stop by.

Sincerely,

Sarah Andricopoulos, Proud Principal of Davidson