

Jeepers! It's January!

Dakota Valley Elementary News

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Saturday, January 1: HAPPY NEW YEAR! 2022



Monday, January 3 - Wednesday, January 5
NO SCHOOL - winter break continues
Thursday, Jan 6 - Back to School!

Thursday, Jan 13 — PTO Spelling Bee

Wednesday, Jan 19 — 1:30 DISMISSAL

Tuesday, Jan 25 – Family Math Night

Dakota Valley Elementary School Hours
Staff: 7:45 a.m. - 3:45 p.m.

Students: 8:20 a.m. - 3:15 p.m.

PLEASE HAVE STUDENTS HERE BY 8:10 a.m.

No student is to be on school grounds before 7:40 a.m. as there is no adult supervision until this time.

Car riders are dismissed at 3:10 p.m.

Bus riders are dismissed at 3:15 p.m.

Students need to be picked up no later than 5 minutes after the dismissal bell.

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Secretary: Candy Moore
Counselor: Andrew Fisher
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Winter Weather Guidelines

Students **will** go outside for recess when the temperature and/or wind chill is **0 degrees or higher**.

Please **ALWAYS** send hats, gloves, scarves, boots & snow pants along with them each day during the cold, snowy, winter months.

Students must have these items to be able to play in the snow at recess!



Have your back-up plan in place for school being canceled due to winter weather!

Announcements are posted to our website and local radio and TV stations.

HELPFUL REMINDERS WHEN COMING TO THE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

Please remember for the safety and security of our students and staff, you must always ring the door bell when arriving and let the office staff know who you are and why you are here. Staff will further instruct you what to do when you enter the building depending on why you are here.

When **picking up a student**, you must sign them out on the sign out sheet located on the desk in the entry way and wait for the student to meet you there. Please notify the office ahead of time to ensure we can dismiss your student in a timely manner.

IF sending others to pick up your student, please let them know our guidelines and what to expect.

If you are **entering the building** for any other reason, you must always stop in the office first to sign in on our visitor sheet and wear a visitor badge the entire time you are in the building. You must then stop in the office when leaving the building to sign out and turn in your visitor badge.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR HELP AND UNDERSTANDING

GREAT JOB AND CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL INVOLVED IN THE ELEMENTARY WINTER CONCERTS! AMAZING PERFORMANCES! ESPECIALLY MRS. ECKHOFF WHO ALWAYS DOES AN UNBELIEVABLE AND FABULOUS JOB PREPARING FOR THIS EVERY YEAR!!



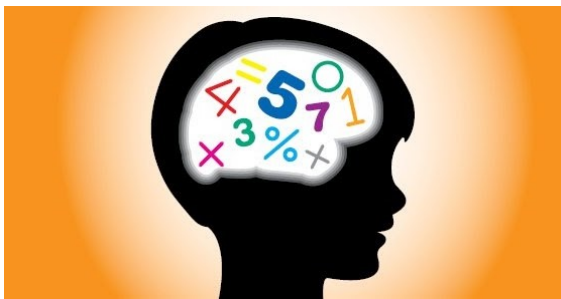
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PTO SPELLING BEE
JANUARY 13, 2022

Bee on the look out for more information with details for the Elementary School Spelling Bee!



FAMILY MATH NIGHT—JANUARY 25, 2022



Watch for more information with details on Dakota Valley Elementary Family Math Night!

Peanut / Nut-Free School

All peanut, tree nut and homemade baked goods are not allowed in the Dakota Valley Elementary School which includes classroom snacks and all in-school parties. We need to pay special attention to any items that could be shared with another student that may have an allergy. The safety of our students with nut allergies is our primary concern.

