# Important Dates for the 2013-2014 School Year

Kindergarten is from 8:45 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. if your child is in the half day only program. If your child is full day the times are 8:45 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. There is a fee for the full day program, please visit the office for more info. or ask your child's teacher.

\*\*\*Early Release Times- Half day students will be out at 10:15 on early release days. Full day children will have school until 12:05 on Early Release Days. We do have an aftercare program that you can sign up for and use for your child on early release days but you will need to make these arrangements in advance. There are a couple times during the year when after care is not available so be sure to check on things before these days come up.

E-mail Ms. Crane or Mrs. Barbee with any questions <a href="mailto:tina.crane@dvusd.org">tina.crane@dvusd.org</a>, <a href="mailto:susan.barbee@dvusd.org">susan.barbee@dvusd.org</a>

Be sure to call the attendance line if your child is going to be absent- 623-376-4590

Please add these dates to your calendars

# **July- August**

July 31st and August 1st Kindergarten Testing from 8:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

7th- Curriculum Night for Kindergarten Parents Only- 5:00 to 6:00 p.m. (Adults Only)

8th- Meet the Teacher Night-5:00-6:00 pm For children and adults

### 12th- First Day of School

26th- Volunteers Begin in each classroom- be sure to attend a Volunteer Training Class-Volunteers can not volunteer without the class- if you've taken the class in the past 3 years you should already be cleared and ready to go- It's going to be a great year!

23rd- Early Release Day

# September

2nd- Labor Day, No School

### 13th Early Release

20th- First Cooking Day in Kindergarten- Cooking Time is 2:30 p.m. to 3:15p.m.

#### October

4th- Early Release

11th- Cooking Day! in Kindergarten-Cooking Time is 2:30 p.m. to 3:15p.m.

14th- Fall Break Day- No School

**16th, 17th, 18th- Early Release Day's for Parent Teacher Conferences**- There is no after school care on the 16th as this is a Kinder Only Early Release Day

#### November

### 1st- Early Release Day

11th- No School- Veteran's Day

15th- Fall Celebrations in the K classrooms -2:00 p.m. to 3:10 p.m.

22nd- Cooking Day in Kinder Cooking Time is 2:30 p.m. to 3:15p.m.

28th and 29th- No School- Thanksgiving Break

### **December**

#### 6th- Early Release Day

13th- Winter Celebrations in the K Classrooms 2:00 p.m. to 3:10 p.m.

18th- Winter Program in the Cafeteria at 6:15 p.m. Children need to be in the classrooms at 6:00- we will bring them as a group to the Cafeteria at 6 for the show

# 20th- Early Release Day & Pajama Day in Kindergarten- wear your p.j.'s to school!

24th to Jan 6th- Winter Break

# **January**

6th- First day of School in 2014!

# 10th- Early Release

20th- No School- MLK Day

24th- Cooking Day in Kinder Cooking Time is 2:30 p.m. to 3:15p.m.

### **February**

#### 5th- No School

14th Valentines Celebrations in Kindergarten 2:00 p.m. to 3:10 p.m.

17th-President's Day- No School

21st Cooking Day in Kinder Cooking Time is 2:30 p.m. to 3:15p.m.

### March

### 7th- Early Release Day

12th, 13th, 14th <u>Early Release Days for Student Directed Conferences- You will need to bring your child with you to your conference appointment. (no after school care on the 13th)</u>

17th-21st- Spring Break

# **April**

3rd- Field Trip -Wildlife World Zoo- all students will need to be at school by 8:45 a.m. to ride the bus to the zoo. All children- half day & full day children, both. We will return to school at 1:30 p.m. Half day children will go home at 1:30 all others may stay until 3:30.

### 4th- Early Release

11th-Cooking Day in Kinder Cooking Time is 2:30 p.m. to 3:15p.m.

18th- No School Spring Break Day

# May

### 2nd- Early Release

9th-Last Cooking Day in Kinder Cooking Time is 2:30 p.m. to 3:15p.m.

14th- Kindergarten Show- All children will need to be at school at 6:00 p.m. on this day. Please drop off the children at their classroom and then proceed to the cafeteria. The show will begin at 6:15 p.m. and finish at approximately 6:45 p.m. All students will be dismissed after the show. (You may wish to send a family member early to save seats in the cafeteria. Please let us know if you are unable to bring your child to the show so that we are not waiting for you to arrive.)

16th- End of year Celebrations-2:00 p.m. to 3:10 p.m.

20th Summer Birthday Celebration! Send in treats if your child has a birthday during the summer! (between May 22nd and Aug. 12th)

22nd Last Day /Early Release- Water Day-Report Cards go home today

\*Please save this to refer to throughout the year.