



DESOTO PRIVATE SCHOOL

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Dear Parents:

It is my pleasure to welcome you to our 2018-2019 **ACADEMIC SCHOOL YEAR**. The 2018-2019 School Year Calendar will be available the first week of school. Please make note of this information.

Remember that the FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL will be Monday, August 20, 2018. Kindergarten through Sixth Grade classes begin promptly at **8:00 a.m.** Three and Four Year old Preschool classes begin promptly at **8:15 a.m.** **Preschool classes will be dismissed at 12:00 noon** and will be followed by lunch and extended day care. **Five year old Kindergarten classes and First and Second Grade classes will be dismissed at 3:30 p.m.** and will then go into extended day care. **Third through Sixth Grades will be dismissed at 3:50 p.m.** and will then go into extended day care.

OPEN HOUSE will be on **Saturday morning, August 18, 2018** from **9:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.** We would like to see all parents and students attend to meet their teachers for the new year.

ALL NEW STUDENTS must complete the enclosed **Enrollment Record** and **Medical Statement**. The Medical Statement requires a **Record of Immunizations** and a **Physician's signature** that child is in good health. All students **entering the Five Year Old Kindergarten** must have received their booster series since their fourth birthday. **Hepatitis A vaccination** is now required for all 3 year olds through 1st Graders. **Children turning 12 must have Hepatitis B & Varicella boosters.** **Please return required papers to the school office by August 8, 2018.**

RETURNING STUDENTS: Please be sure to **UPDATE ALL PERSONAL INFORMATION** for your family's **enrollment forms**. It is urgent that we be able to contact you **in case of emergency**. See **Parent Information Update Form** in front office or **complete new enrollment form**.

UNIFORMS: **MILLS UNIFORM COMPANY** is our **official uniform company**. **ALL UNIFORMS MUST BE PURCHASED FROM MILLS UNIFORM COMPANY!** Khaki shorts and pants are worn with polos shirts. **All new polo shirts must be embroidered with our school crest.** Children may wear **navy, red, and white polo shirts**. **Girls must purchase a jumper or skirt set for Fridays.**

*** Please buy enough uniforms **NOW** to begin the first two weeks of school. You can always add more items after the "Buying Frenzy" in July and August. To order online: www.millswear.com or shop at Mills Store at 13615 Welch Road #102 (972)385-3121. **BUY UNIFORMS WHEN SIZES Are AVAILABLE!**

→ SUPPLY LISTS for GRADES 1-6: If you have primary students, your supply list will be enclosed. **First and Second GRADERS** should bring their supplies on the first day of school. **Third through Sixth GRADERS** should bring their supplies along with an **organized notebook** (see Instructions) the first day of school.

★ **LUNCH:** Kindergarten (5K) and Primary students (1st-6th grades) may bring a **SACK LUNCH** or purchase a lunch for **\$2.50**. Sack lunches and snacks need to be placed in a **lunch box with your child's name on it**. **Lunch is included in weekly fee for Preschool students.**

BREAKFAST FEES Breakfast is available daily for **\$2.00**. **CASH ONLY!** **Breakfast may NOT be charged!*** **(Outside breakfast may NOT be brought into the school.)**

We look forward to a challenging and rewarding school year. **Please call the office if your plans have changed regarding Fall Enrollment as we have a waiting list.** Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely yours,

Kenneth Larson
Headmaster

★ **PARENTS WILL BE REQUIRED TO SIGN A FINANCIAL OBLIGATIONS CONTRACT THE FIRST WEEK OF SCHOOL.**

