

## Deerfield by the Month

August: Back To School Night, School Begins!

September: School Pictures, Walk-a-Thon

October: Parent Teacher Conferences, 6th Grade Egyptian Masks, 3rd Grade Pumpkin Day, Red Ribbon Week, Boo Grams

November: 4th Grade Indian Project, 6th Grade Greek Olympics

December: Kindergarten Gingerbread Man Day, Holiday Grams, Christmas Sing

January: 6th Grade Science Fair, Reading Contest Begins

February: Parent Teacher Conferences, 1st Grade 100th Day Celebration, Val-O Grams, Reading Contest Ends

March: 6th Grade Shakespeare Plays & Fair, 3rd Grade Leprechaun Traps, Parent Input Forms, White Ribbon Week, Kindergarten Registration

April: 1st Grade Plant Life Cycles, Faculty & Staff Appreciation Week

May: 4th Grade Utah Cultural Day, 4th Grade County Fair, 6th Grade Rocket Launch, 3rd Grade Egg Drop, 5th Grade Hope of America, Kindergarten Cookie Day, Dance Festival, School Ends



## Welcome To Deerfield Elementary!



### Deerfield Elementary

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### check us out online!

- [deerfield.alpineschools.org](http://deerfield.alpineschools.org)
- Instagram @Deerfieldelementary
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## Learning and Achievement for ALL

Deerfield Elementary is an AMAZING school with great students, parents, teachers, and staff! Deerfield offers a variety of academic interventions and enrichment opportunities, including Target Time, Star Reading, and the Soaring Eagle Award. We also have several extracurricular activities such as Student Council and Knowledge Bowl!

We know parents like to stay informed about what is happening at school. Here are some of the ways that Deerfield does this: Wednesday Folders - any notes, flyers, etc. will come home on Wednesdays; Deerfield Dispatch - each Tuesday I send an e-mail with announcements, upcoming dates, and other important information; the Deerfield PTA Facebook page, Instagram @Deerfieldelementary, Twitter @Deerfieldeagles, the Deerfield website (deerfield.alpineschools.org), and the PTA website (deerfieldpta.com).

I feel so fortunate to be the principal of such a terrific school! Don't hesitate to contact me if you have any questions, at (801) 610-8106 or at [cknadler@alpinedistrict.org](mailto:cknadler@alpinedistrict.org).

-Caroline Knadler, Principal

### Bell Schedule

Mondays: Track 1 8:00 am - 1:15 pm	Track 2 9:15 am - 2:30 pm
T-Fridays: Track 1 8:00 am - 2:15 pm	Track 2 9:15 am - 3:30 pm
Kindergarten: Mondays AM 9:15 am to Noon	PM 12:35 pm - 2:30 pm
T- Fridays AM 9:15 am to Noon	PM 12:35 pm - 3:30 pm

### Lunch Times (Recess/Lunch/Return)

3rd Grade: 10:55/11:10/11:30	4th Grade: 11:45/12:00/12:20
2nd Grade: 11:05/11:20/11:40	5th Grade: 12:05/12:20/12:40
1st Grade: 11:25/11:40/12:00	6th Grade: 12:25/12:40/1:00

### Recess/Bad weather Days

When the temperature reaches 20 degrees (with the wind chill taken into effect) or it is steadily raining/snowing, we will call for inside morning/recess. A blue flag will be posted outside the gym hallway doors letting students know it is an inside morning when they arrive. All students (1st - 6th) will go into the gym until the bell rings and their teachers pick them up. Kindergarten students should go to their classroom on inside days. We also check the air quality and will call an inside day if the quality is poor.

### Parent Involvement

At Deerfield, we are lucky to have two parent organizations that support us as well as help us improve! The PTA runs a number of fantastic programs, such as Take Home Reading, Red Ribbon Week, class parties and more! Be sure to join the PTA at Back-To-School Night! The School Community Council (SCC) helps write the School Improvement Plan and determines how the Trust Land funds will be used to improve student learning. Look for information about taking part in the SCC in September each year.

### General Information

- Attendance at school is very important to your student's academic success. Parents will be contacted after excessive absences.
- Parents are asked to notify the school prior to, or the morning of their child's absence. The school phone number is (801) 610-8106.
- Students arriving late must check-in in the office with a parent or a note from a parent.
- Upon arrival at school, students should stay outside to play until the bell rings. At that time, teachers will escort students to their classrooms while other teachers will be waiting by the classroom door to greet the students.
- The office is open from 7:30 am to 4:00 pm.
- All parents and visitors must check-in in the front office and pick up a visitor/volunteer badge.
- To check out your student during the day, you or someone on your Emergency Contact list must come to the front office with photo ID to sign your student out.
- If students roller blade or ride a skateboard, scooter, or bike to school, they must walk them when they get onto school grounds. Bike racks are located at the back of school. PLEASE be sure to lock up your bikes!

### Parent Drop off and Pick up Guidelines

Safety is very important to all of us. Please follow these guidelines to insure the safety of our students, staff and patrons.

- Upon entering the school driveway, please maintain a single file line in the right hand lane. The left lane is reserved for cars exiting the school. Vehicles should pull up to the most forward spot before stopping. Please do not block the crosswalks. The bus lane is reserved for buses 15 minutes before and after school for both tracks.
- Students should enter and exit vehicles on the curbside of the vehicle.
- If you need to come into the school for any reason, please park in the parking lot.
- If parents park on the street, students should use the sidewalk near the crossing guard and not cut through the parking lot. Students dropped off on the north side of the street should cross using the crossing guard.

### Breakfast/Lunch

Breakfast and lunch are served at school each day. Breakfast is served from 7:30 - 7:55 am and 8:45 - 9:10 am. The student price for breakfast is \$1.00. The student lunch price is \$1.75. Free and reduced meals are available to those who qualify. Forms are provided upon registration and can also be obtained at any time from the office. Parents are welcome to eat with their student. Please check in at the front office first. Adult breakfast costs \$1.65 and lunch is \$3.85. Lunch menus and the link to pay online are on the Deerfield Website: <http://deerfield.alpineschools.org/>

