

Dundee Highlands Elementary School

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September Update

We have had a fantastic first few weeks of school! I have enjoyed visiting all the classrooms and seeing so much excitement about learning. Students have also done an outstanding job of showing how they CARE about self, others and DHES.



DHES Safety Reminders

Keeping all of our students safe is our top priority. To ensure that all of our students stay safe here at school, please remember the following:

- Only store bought treats are allowed to be distributed for birthdays or school celebrations.
- Pets are not allowed on school property, even the friendliest pets.
- Car riders must be picked up in the "Kiss and Go" lanes.
- Please use crosswalks when walking to and from school.

Thanks for your help in keeping Dundee Highlands and our students safe!

2019-2020 Early Release Dates

Friday, August 23
Friday, September 20
Friday, October 25
Friday, November 22
Friday, December 13
Friday, January 17
Friday, February 14
Friday, March 13
Friday, April 17
Friday, May 8



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Information from Aramark

Students can order hot lunch every day. Students can also purchase milk without having to purchase a hot lunch meal. The cost of a hot lunch is \$3.00 and the cost of just a milk is \$0.50.



DHES PTC

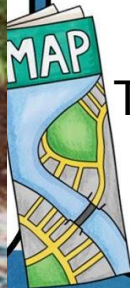
Thank you to the DHES PTC for supporting our first PBIS-CARE assembly.

Message Learned:
Be the Best YOU!

Early Release Information

All students in Kindergarten through grade 5 attend school from **8:00 AM to 11:45 AM**. Lunch will be served on early release days. The early release lunch and recess schedule will be as follows:

- 10:00-10:30—Kindergarten and 5th grade
- 10:35-11:05—1st and 4th Grade
- 11:10-11:40—2nd and 3rd Grade



Transportation will be provided to students who regularly ride the bus.



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Social-Emotional Monthly Message

Back to school season is here and emotions may be running high. Here are five ways to help ease your child's school anxiety and start off the year with a smile.



-Ask questions: "How are you feeling about school?" Younger students may want to draw a picture. The exchange opens communication and offers support.

-Read together: There are books about starting kindergarten or starting a new school. There are also books with main characters who may be anxious or nervous to start school. Ask your local librarian for books on these topics.

-Play school: This can be helpful, especially for younger students. If you have older students, enlist them to play and be good role models.

-Go Back-To-School shopping: A new shirt, backpack, lunchbox, special pencil can all help kids get excited about going to school.

-Make a lunch menu: Enlist your child's help in planning what to take for lunch or snack time. This can give them something to look forward to each day at these special times.





September 2019

M	T	W	TH	F
2 No School	3	4	5	6
9	10	11 Patriot Day-Wear Red, White or, Blue	12	13 School Store
16	17	18	19	20 Donuts with Dudes (7:15-7:45am) Early Release Dismissal at 11:45am
23	24	25 Start with Hello Day - Wear Green	26	27 School Store
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