

Avon Kindergarten 2019-2020

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Avon
Kindergarten Curriculum
and Specials

Classroom Curriculum

Language Arts

Math

Social/Science/Health

Social/Emotional Learning

All teachers strive to differentiate for students, meaning each child's ability is considered when planning curriculum

Kindergarten staff will be using a variety of activities and a fluid learning environment for core curriculum to best meet the varying needs of all learners, as stated in the District Mission Statement.

Music

Teacher: Amy Wilwerding

Length: 50 minutes/week

Content: Music and rhythm activities



Art

Teacher: Shania Hirdler

Length: 50 minutes/week

Content: Basic art skills



Media

Teacher: Cathy Studer

Length: 25 minutes/week

Content: Book checkout



Makerspace

Teacher: Cathy Studer

Length: 25 minutes/week

Content: Creating and building with group projects



Physical Education

Teachers: Kim Holt

Length: 25 minutes/4
days per week

Content: large motor



Tennis shoes are required!!

PBIS Behavior Curriculum

Positive Behavior is Celebrated!

-Pawsitive Slips

Was caught acting PAWSitively!

-  Being Respectful
-  Being Responsible
-  Being Safe
-  Being a Learner



-Office Referral Forms

Processing Conference Grades K-2

What I did

This is how I feel



A better choice would have been

When I return to class, I will

Student: _____

Staff: _____

Parent: _____

Date: _____ Time: _____

Logistics of Avon Area Kindergarten

Morning Routine



- Bus arrives at 8 a.m.; walkers/drop offs can arrive at 8 a.m.
- Backpacks placed in lockers
- ALL children have the option to have free breakfast until 8:15
- Recess until 8:30

Dismissal

Bus Riders

- Students dismiss at 3:00
- Students walked to bus by teacher

Pick Up/Kids Co./Walkers

- Students dismiss at 3:00
- Students are walked to lobby for pick up or to Kids Co.

Dismissal Notes

-A physical note is required for ANY change in schedule

END OF DAY

-Pick-Up Line

-Main parking lot

-If weather is unsuitable for walking, we expect arrangements will be made for picking up your child.

-Phone calls/voicemails after 12:00 are difficult to return and may be missed...we will do our best!!

Meals at School

Breakfast

-At this time, there is no charge for breakfast and it is provided daily

Snack

- Order form \$20.00
- Choice to send daily

Lunch

- Please let the kitchen or your child's teacher know ahead of time (9 am) if you will be eating lunch with us so the proper amount of food can be made.
- Please practice your child's lunch number with him/her
- An allergy table is utilized for those who have need



Of Special Consideration

Medication

-School Nurse, Kelly Orbeck, is the only person allowed to administer prescription medication

-Medications must be in original prescription container with a written note

Medical Forms

-All forms must be turned into the office by Wednesday, August 28, Open House night.

-Any medical concerns can be discussed with Nurse Kelly in confidence.

Lunch Money Special Treats

- Lunch accounts are family accounts
- Lunch can be deposited online (a form must be submitted), or brought into school with your child. Lunch money must be in sealed envelope with the words “lunch money” and your child’s name written on the front

- Birthdays are recognized, as well as holidays
- Any treats/snacks must be healthy or a non food item
- Please keep in mind any food allergies
- Information will be forthcoming

If absent...

-Notify Brenda Levinski as soon as possible. Make sure to include the child's teacher name and basic symptoms for the Mn Dept. of Health please!

-Please let us know in advance of any upcoming absence, if possible

-Please notify if absence is due to highly contagious illness

Building Security

-You are always welcome!

-Visitors must sign in at the Office and Visitor Badge must be visible

-Please check out when you leave, through the lobby please

-A.L.I.C.E./Emergency procedure drills practiced as mandated

Other Notes...

Label everything, **except** school supplies please!

-Extra set of clothing can be stored in locker in plastic bag case of “accidents”

-Check lost and found often, items not claimed will be donated

-Early bedtimes are helpful! :)

-Tennis shoes are required each day!

-Please call/email with any comments or questions!!!

Mrs.Meyer's
notes for her classroom

Communication...

- My first means of communication is always e-mail or phone call to a parent.
- I will also have the REMIND app set up so we can text if you would like. Info is attached.
- There is an everyday folder it is called our B.E.E folder. Bring. Everything. Everyday.
- The B.E.E Folder will come home every night. There is a back to school side for important notes you need to return and a stay at home side for other papers.
- The empty sheet in front of the folder is for activities to complete at home if you wish.

Snack...

There are 2 choices for snack.

- 1. Sign up for snack-cart through the school. 20.00 per Trimester or 60.00 per year.
- 2. Pack your child a healthy snack each day in a container or small baggie.

- Of course, I will have an extra box of crackers or graham crackers for those incidents where a child forgot their snack.

*Financial aid is available if neither of these choices work for you. Please let me know!