



DaVinci Academy

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Important Dates

11/3 Last Day of the
Trimester

11/3 Fall Play
Performance, 6:00 pm

11/4 No School

11/4 Fall Play
Performance, 6:00 pm

11/5 Fall Play
Performance, 1:00 pm

11/14 Finance Committee,
6:30 pm

11/16 Policy Committee,
3:30 pm

11/17 1st Grade Bartering
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Greetings!

To the left, you will find helpful links to important pages on our website (School Links), and will provide a quick list of upcoming events (Important Dates.)

Seussification of Romeo & Juliet - Performances November 3-5



11/21-11/25 No School

11/28 School Board Mtg,
6 pm

Food Service Program

Current Lunch prices -
including milk

Hot, Alt. or Emergency
Lunch:

- Full Pay = \$3.50;
- Free/Reduced = \$0.00

Vegetarian Lunch:

- Full-pay = \$4.50;
- Reduced-price = \$0.40;
- Free = \$0.00

A La Carte Items -
charged to ALL
students:

- Milk-only = \$0.50;
- Pre-Ordered Extra slice of pizza = \$1.50,
- Emergency meals = \$3.50
- Extra Entree (Grade 6-8 only) = \$1.50

Current Breakfast Price:

- Full-pay = \$1.75
- Kindergarten = \$0.00
- Reduced-price = \$0.00
- Free = \$0.00

Go [here](#) to apply for free or reduced-price meals or to find out more about the food service program.

PTO News

Link [here](#) to the PTO website or download the most recent [newsletter](#) (dated April 2016) for recent information.

The whimsical language of Dr. Seuss will bring a whole new meaning to a classic play with The Seussification of Romeo & Juliet, playing November 3-5. It's a reinvention of Shakespeare's tragic love story, complete with rhymed couplets, creative wordplay, and fantastical machines – similar to something Dr. Seuss might have come up with if he ever had his way with the script. You won't want to miss this bright and colorful, turned-upside-down version of the classic tale - there are sure to be lots of surprises afoot!

November 3 at 6 PM
November 4 at 6 PM
November 5 at 1 PM

Tickets available at the door; \$3 for adults, \$1 for students, and under 5 are free.

Click [HERE](#) to see a trailer!!

End of Trimester 11/3 & No School 11/4

Please remember that the last day of the trimester is Thursday 11/3. We encourage you to check your parent portal on Infinite Campus to ensure all assignments are in. If you are having any problems logging in to your parent portal account, please contact [Stephanie Bacigalupo](#).

Also note, there is no school on Friday, November 4.

Middle School Concert Choir - 11/15

Join us for an evening of singing! Our middle school choir concert is Tuesday, November 15th at 6:00 pm. Come enjoy various styles of music including jazz, choral, classical, and popular. We hope to see you there! Choir students should meet at school at 5:30 pm wearing black and white dress clothes.

Look What We Raised Last Year!

Label All Apparel

Help reduce our lost and found! Please label all clothing, outerwear and lunch boxes.

(Consider using
[NameBubbles](#))



Give to the Max day is coming up this November 17th and we have a new goal this year - THE NEW PLAYGROUND!

Last year donations went to enhancing our arts program by purchasing new microphones and other audio components. Donating to the school on Give to the Max Day is a great way to kick off the Capital Campaign to raise money for outdoor fun and learning at our new site. Watch for more information as we get closer to November 17th.



Blue Ribbon Award Celebration



Celebrate our amazing Blue Ribbon honor by joining us for lunch at Aquatore Park. There will be food trucks, bouncy houses, face painting, fire and police, cake and lots of fun. Keep your fingers crossed for beautiful Minnesota fall weather so we can enjoy our time together as a DaVinci family.

Watch your email for an Evite!

Saturday, November 12
11:00 AM TO 1:00 PM
Aquare Park
9191 Lincoln Street
Blaine, MN 55434

Session 2 Extra Curricular Classes Registration Deadline

([Holly Fischer](#))

Classes for the next session of after school activities will begin on Monday, November 7th. We opened registration up for those classes and all registrations are due by the end of the day on Thursday, November 3rd. You can view and sign up for the classes being offered [HERE](#).

Quick reminder about pick up time

Our teachers have families too and when students are picked up after the 4:15 pm end time of classes it puts a strain on their plans. Please make every effort to pick up your child at 4:15 pm so that our teachers can get home too. Families who are consistently late for pick up may lose their opportunity to be involved in after school classes. Thank you.

2017-18 Enrollment is Now Open

We are now accepting applications for the 2017-18 school year for students who would like to attend DaVinci Academy for grades Kindergarten through 8th grade. To complete an application for the next school year click [here](#). Click on the Online Enrollment. Sign up through our new online enrollment system and then complete and submit the application.

All new students who are interested and not currently enrolled at DaVinci Academy, including siblings, must complete an application. Applications are due by January 31 to be included in the lottery for the 2017-18 school year.

Our next Information Session for prospective families is November 8th at 6:00 pm. Information Sessions are for those who may be interested in attending DaVinci Academy for Kindergarten or 1st grade. Please feel free to share this information with your family or friends.

2015-16 Yearbooks for Sale

If you didn't get a yearbook *last year* and would still like to purchase one, we have a small quantity available. The price is \$20 per yearbook. Send check or cash to the school office with a note "15-16 yearbook purchase". They will be available on a first-come, first-serve basis.

Food Service

([Lee Swearingen](#))

All students that want to have school provided breakfast or lunch are **required to order meals and parents/guardians are responsible for funding their child's food service account to maintain a positive balance.** Please see the food service [webpage](#) for details on ordering and paying for meals.

Emails are sent out around the 15th of each month. If you are not receiving both the breakfast and the lunch order emails and would like to order meals, please send a request [here](#).

If you want to apply for free or reduced price meals, please complete and return this [Application for Educational Benefits](#).

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