



DaVinci Academy

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Food Service Program

Current Lunch prices -
including milk

Hot, Alt. or Emergency

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.)

NEED TO KNOW.....

Session 1- After School Clubs & Activities -Registration Ends Soon

Registrations for Session 1 of the Extra-Curricular activities and clubs are open. These classes begin October 2nd and the session runs 6 weeks to November 16th.

Click here to [view the classes](#).

You will be able to register for classes online, but you will need to pay by cash or check at the office. Just print out the receipt you receive as a confirmation and submit it with your payment. If you do not receive a confirmation email please contact [Holly Fischer](#) to make sure you are, indeed, registered.

Some classes are already full or close to being full so get your registrations in soon.

Parent-Teacher Conferences

Conferences will be Monday October 16th 12 p.m. - 8 p.m. and Tuesday October 17 8 a.m. - 4 p.m.

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

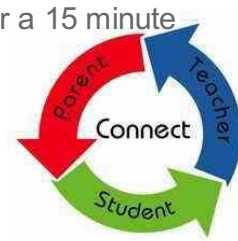
Current Breakfast Price:

- 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.

K- 5th grade will be able to sign up for a 15 minute conference time via Bloomz.

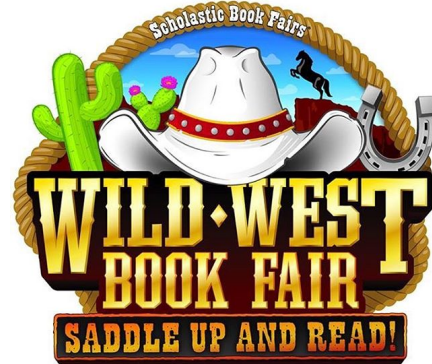
Middle School teachers will send out information about drop in conferences soon.



The book fair is almost here!

[\(Rachel Brown\)](#)

On Oct.13th There will be a preview day for students to walk through the fair and think of a wish list for their parents.



Our Sale days will be Oct 16th from 12- 8 p.m. and Oct 17th 8 a.m.- 4 p.m. during conferences.

Books purchased at the fair will help the library to purchase new books as well as replace books that have seen better days.

We will also have a Teacher Wish List board. Show love to our wonderful teachers and purchase a requested book for their classroom.

Volunteers are needed. Please make sure you have had your back ground check done first . If you can help out please email [Rachel Brown](#). Volunteer times are::

Oct. 16th 12-4pm
Oct. 16th 4-8pm
Oct. 17th 8am-12pm
Oct 17th 12pm-4pm

This is such an exciting way to stock our beautiful new library!

Box Top Contest

We will have a Box Top contest Monday September 25 through Monday October 23rd. Watch for the collection sheet to come home with your child.

The top 3 classes will each win a pizza party!



School Picture Order Forms

If you are planning on purchasing pictures you may order online per instructions on the order form or turn in the detached envelope with payment and order to the school office. Payments can be made at the school office for exact change only. *Checks must be written to Scherling Photography.*

If you decide that you would like to have your child have a retake picture, please check the Retake box and turn the form into the school office. Please do not send money with retake order forms.

All retakes will get a new order form. **All orders and retake forms must be turned into the office by Wednesday, September 27.**

Students who were not here for pictures or would like to have a retake will have their picture taken on Friday, September 29.

Parking Lot Safety

We want you to get through the lot efficiently at drop off and pick up, but you need to do it safely as well.

Please drive slowly all the way through the parking lot.

Thank you.



My School Color Run for DaVinci Academy - 9/23



There is still time to register, but we can not

guarantee you will receive a t-shirt or a color packet.

Early Packet Pick Up will be available on **Friday, September 22nd from 4:00 to 6:00 p.m. at DaVinci Academy.**



DaVinci Academy welcomes you to join us as we run, walk, and jog while raising funds for our school! This fun run/walk is open to **EVERYONE** in the community and we hope to see you there!

The My School Color Run is an un-timed fun run/walk featuring a 5K. Throughout the course participants will experience color splash zones where they'll be doused in color and end with a final color toss celebration!

- Check in starts at 9:00 a.m.
- Race Starts at 10:00 a.m.

Any late registrants (people who registered after midnight on Sept. 8th) are not guaranteed a T-shirt, bib, or color packet. Late registrants may stop at the registration table at 9:55 a.m. on Saturday morning to check for extra T-shirts and supplies.

SHARE WITH YOUR FRIENDS WHEN YOU REGISTER
#myschoolcolorrn #davinciacademy

At a glance

WHAT: My School Color Run for DaVinci Academy
WHEN: Saturday, September 23rd, 2017 at 10:00 a.m.
WHERE: National Sports Center 1700 105th Avenue NE,
Blaine, MN 55449
REGISTER: DaVinciMSCR.eventbrite.com
CONTACT: [Robyn Creary](mailto:Robyn.Creary@da VinciAcademy.org) 763-754-6577

NICE TO KNOW.....

PTO Meeting 10/2

The next PTO Meeting will be on Monday October 2nd at 6:15 p.m. The PTO is seeking people interested in joining the PTO Board. Listed below are the positions we seek to fill immediately.

- President
- Vice President
- Treasurer
- Secretary
- Sub Committee
- Active Participants

If you are interested in filling one of these positions please contact [Crystal Higgins](#) or [Nicole Hartfield](#) and join us at the next meeting.

[PTO Flyer](#)

New Attendance Line!

The Attendance Line number is (763) 252-6130.

If your child is going to be absent please remember to call the 24 hour attendance line. The message should state your student's name, grade and the reason for the absence.

If your child is going to miss 3 or more consecutive days, fill out an [Extended Absence Form](#). The form should be filled out and returned to the office four to six week prior to extended absence.

ON GOING.....

Volunteer Background Checks

[\(Brenda Gerard\)](#)

Are you one of our awesome DaVinci Academy volunteers or would you like to be a volunteer?

Has it been two years or more since you completed a background check consent form?

If so, a background check consent form will need to be

completed and turned into the school office along with payment of \$10.

As appropriate for the protection of our students, **volunteers who have contact with students will be asked to submit to and successfully complete a background check every two years, at their own expense.** If you cannot afford the processing fee at this time, do not let that stop you from volunteering, contact [Ms. Lach](#) to discuss.

Below you will find a copy of the criminal background check consent form. You may also find the form on the DaVinci Academy web site under the volunteering tab, pick one up at the back to school event on August 10th or at the school office at anytime.

Once we have your completed form and payment, you will be able to sign into the Helpcounter computer terminal and begin volunteering!

Thank you again to our wonderful volunteers!

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Click [here](#) to download the background check form.

Review Our School Policies

Please review the [School Policies and Procedures](#) annually as they are subject to change. **The policies and procedures can be found on our website under Our School.**