

Dayton Avenue School

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SHELITA WATKIS, PH.D
Principal

May 16, 2025

Dear Dayton Avenue Families,

I hope all is well with you all. I would like to take this opportunity to remind you that school will not be in session on Friday, May 23 and Tuesday, May 27. Schools are also closed on Monday, May 26 for Memorial Day. I look forward to seeing all students on Wednesday, May 28.

As we look towards the end of the year, excitement is growing and our students are looking forward to our usual end of year activities.

The Physical Education teachers have been busy working on field day activities. We invite families to join us for field day. Here's what you need to know:

- Our schedule for our Dayton Field Day is as follows:

Tuesday, June 3, 2024 (Rain Date June 9)	
3rd grade	9:30
4th grade	11:45
Thursday, June 5, 2024 (Rain Date June 10)	
5th grade	9:20
6th grade	12:30

- You are welcome to come and cheer for our students as they participate in field day activities. Please remember to bring water for yourself, wear sunscreen and maybe even bring a folding chair.
- You may park in the solar panel lot just pass the circle by the fields.
- Field Day t-shirt window has been extended to the end of the day on Sunday, May 18th.

We look forward to an exciting field day experience and to be able to share this day with families.

Below is a list of other important dates. Detailed information about the 6th grade end of year activities will be shared with 6th grade families.

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- May 19 - 3rd Grade Leadership Day
- May 20 - 4th Grade Leadership Day
- May 21 - 5th Grade Leadership Day
- May 22 - 6th Grade Leadership Day
- June 13 - Flag Day Celebration at 9am (Students wear red, white and blue)
- June 19 - Schools & Offices Closed (Juneteenth Observed)
- June 25 - 27 - Early Dismissal
- June 25 - 6th Grade Moving-up Ceremony & Early Dismissal
- June 27 - Last Day of School

Thank you for your ongoing support.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Dr. Watkis", with a stylized, cursive script.

Dr. Watkis
Principal