



David Cameron Elementary

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Welcome to David Cameron Elementary. Most of all, welcome to Kindergarten! Some of you may be veterans at this, while for others it is a first experience. Our teachers are eager to meet our newest David Cameron students.

The children will have **three days** of gradual entry with an option to meet the Kindergarten teachers **on the playground** from 1-2 on Thursday afternoon with their parents. Your child's schedule will be as follows:

<u>Thursday,</u> <u>September 10th</u>	<u>Friday, September</u> <u>11th</u> (Parents stay for first 30 minutes)	<u>Monday,</u> <u>September 14th</u>	<u>Tuesday,</u> <u>September 15th</u>	<u>Wednesday,</u> <u>September 16th</u>
Time: 1:00- 2:00 (With Parents)	Meet teachers outside on back hockey court	Group B 9:00 am - 11:00	Time: 9:00-12:00 pm	First FULL day for ALL Kindergarten students
Place:Back Playground	Group A 9:00 am - 11:00	Group A 12:30 pm - 2:30 pm	All Kindergarten Students come.	Time: 8:45am – 2:38 pm (regular school day)
Family meet and greet with K teachers	Group B 12:30 pm - 2:30 pm		(Bring a snack)	Please bring snack, water and lunch

*****Students will need snacks, a water bottle and a full lunch starting Wednesday*****

Please provide your child with a healthy snack in a reusable container (that your child can open) and a water bottle each day. Please be aware that some students in our school have severe peanut allergies. Please try to avoid these foods in lunches as much as possible. On the first day parents and caregivers will drop students off outside at the gaga ball pit where the Kindergarten teachers will direct you to line up. Teachers will then take the students inside and students will be taken back out to the kindergarten line ups for pick up.

School supplies: Supply lists can be found on the website. Please do not label their supplies as teachers have a system to do this, however label all clothing and shoes.

Starting Kindergarten is a big milestone for families. Please continue to work with your child to develop skills such as being able to put on their own coat and shoes, eating from a lunch kit, using the bathroom independently, using words when frustrated, and following directions. Adjusting to the new school routine will take time and patience, but it will happen!

We look forward to a wonderful school year with you and your child. Have a great summer and we'll see you in September!

Sincerely,
Ceilidh Deichmann
David Cameron Acting Principal