

## **Aa**

Art Your child will participate in an organized art class at least once a week.

Attendance Attendance is taken daily. Good attendance is very important. This helps your child keep up with the work and establish good habits and friendships.

Allergies If your child has food or medicine allergies, please let the nurse, as well as myself know.

Absences In case of an absence you should call (456-6905) or send a note stating why your child was absent. The note should contain your child's first and last name as well as the teacher's.

## **Bb**

Birth Certificate Your child's birth certificate needs to be on file.

Birthdays We will celebrate each child's birthday on his/her special day, if we are in school. If we are not, we will celebrate it as close

to the day as we can. You may send in treats for your child to share with the class.

Breakfast There is a breakfast program provided for all students beginning at 7:35 a.m.

Bus Your child will be met on the first day of school by a teacher and walked to his/her class. At the end of the day, he or she will be put on the bus. This will continue until the child feels comfortable doing it by her/himself. If there is a change in you child's routine, please send a note to let us know, so we can turn it into the office. This note should contain your child's first and last name and the teacher's name as well. **Changes in routine can only be taken by note.**

Bus Driver All bus drivers have been instructed NOT to let your kindergartner off the bus without a parent at the bus stop. This is for the safety of your child. A note is required from you in order for this to change. This note must be sent to the office and again, must contain your child's first and last name, the teacher's name and the bus number.

## **Cc**

Counselor Counselors are on staff to help students. We will go to the counselor every other week as a class. The counselor will discuss self esteem, conflict resolution, and many other topics such as these with the children.

Clothes A season appropriate change of clothes is a great thing to send with your child. This will be used in case of an accident, toilet, falling in the mud, etc. These should be labeled with your child's first and last name and put in a brown bag.

Curriculum The curriculum is a child centered one. We teach reading, writing, math, science and social studies.

## **Dd**

Discipline Daniel Boone Elementary is a fight free school. Each teacher develops his/her discipline incorporating conflict resolution. You will receive more information on discipline from your child's teacher.

## **Ee**

Early Dismissal In case of early dismissal due to weather conditions, please let the teacher know if there will be any changes in you child's routine.

Emergency Number Please give the school, as well as the teacher, a number in case we need to get in touch with you in an emergency.

## **Ff**

Flag We will say the Pledge of Allegiance each day. If you prefer your child not participate, please let the teacher know.

FUN We'll all have this feeling this year if we work together.

Fundraiser The P.T.O. will be having a fundraiser in October. Your child may be asked to sell items for this. If you prefer your child not to participate, please send the packet back to school when it is sent home.

## **Gg**

Getting along Working with other children and teachers is important in kindergarten.

## **Hh**

Homework From time to time, your child may bring home some activity to do with your help. These activities will take a short amount of time and will allow you to see how your child is progressing.

## **Ii**

Immunization Your child's immunization records need to be on file in the office.

## **Jj**

Junk Your junk can be our treasure! When you are throwing something away, please consider how we can use it in some way.

## **Kk**

Kindergarten What this year is all about!

## **LI**

Latch Key There is a Latch Key Program provided by the school for those parents who work or need care for their children before or after school. Please call 456-6905 ext. 5348 for more information.

Library Your child will go to the school library at least every other week. They will be learning library skills and checking out books.

Lunch Check with your child's teacher for your child's lunch time. Free and Reduced Lunches are available for those who qualify. Check with the cafeteria for the proper papers to fill out.

## **Mm**

Medicine Prescription medication needs a doctor's note and over the counter medication needs a note from the parent with time and dosage to be administered. All medicine should have your child's first and last name and the teacher's name. The medicine will be sent directly to our school nurse.

Money There may be times when you need to send money to school. Please put the money in an envelope with you child's first and last name, the teachers name and what the money is for i.e. lunch, book order, fundraiser, etc.

Music Your child will attend music class at least one a week.

## **Nn**

Name This will be one of the first academic areas worked on in kindergarten.

Notes If you send a note, please put it in an envelope with your child's first and last name and the teacher's name. Please remind your child there is a note in his/her book bag. Please send a note explaining any changes in his/her routine.

Nurse There will be a nurse on duty at school daily.

## Oo

Optimistic We are very optimistic about this year. We are looking forward to it and we hope you and your child are too.

## Pp

Parent – Teacher There will be conferences in October and in March. Other individual conferences will be scheduled should the need arise.

Principals Mr. Slusser is our Principal. Mrs. Schowe is our Assistant Principal. You can contact them at 456-6905.

P.E. Your child will participate in Physical Education classes everyday. Please have tennis shoes available to your child everyday.

P.T.O. Parent-Teacher Organization works hand in hand for the needs of the children at Daniel Boone. You will be receiving information throughout the year.

## Qq

**Quiet Time** There will be a quiet time each day. This will be some time after lunch, depending on your child's teacher. This will last no longer than 30 minutes. Your child will be asked to rest not nap.

## Rr

**Recess** Your child will have recess one time each day. We will be going outside unless there is bad weather or it is unbearably cold. If your child is to stay inside due to health reasons, a note is required.

**READ** Make a time to read to your child DAILY. Reading together is an ESSENTIAL part of your child's reading progress.

**Report Card** Your child will be issued a report card at the end of each quarter. Please sign and return the card to school with your child.

**Routine** If you must change your child's daily routine, please do so by written note only.

## **Ss**

**School Times** School begins each day at 8:00 a.m. and ends at 2:50 p.m.

**Snack** Your child will have a snack everyday. You child's classroom teacher will be sending you additional information.

**Supplies** Please visit the supply link on the home page for a list.

## **Tt**

**Transportation** Students should not be dropped off or picked up behind school in the bus area. This is for the safety of everyone. Parking is located on Vosholl and Kuhl.

## **Uu**

**Unique** Your child is unique. We want to get to know each one of our students to help her or him reach their potential.

## **Vv**

Volunteers Parent volunteers and involvement in class is both helpful and essential. Please let us know if you are interested in helping in our classrooms in any way. We could always use some help reading a book, on field trips, picture days, field days, etc.

## **Ww**

Weather Since we are going outside for recess most days, please dress your child appropriately for the weather.

## **Xx**

Exciting This year may be exhilarating, exasperating, or exhausting but we hope that together we can make it an exciting time for your child.

## **Yy**

Year This school year will begin in August and end in May.

## Zz

Zillions We know we haven't answered all the questions and there must be a zillion of them in your head. If you have any questions, don't hesitate to ask. You can call your child's teacher at 456-6905 or write a note.