

Hello Parents,

Many of you have mentioned that you would like a chance to **meet all the firsts grade teachers** before the end of the year. We were able to secure a date for all of you to meet the teachers, ask any questions, see the classrooms, and get a feel of what the first grade program is like. They are available on **May 9th from 3:15-4:00!**

Your children will be doing a "Shadow day" in first grade on May 29th, 30th and 31st. During this time they will experience what it's like to be a first grader at AISU. Earlier this week, we took several students on a small tour of the first grade. We were even able to peek into a few of them. We want to make this transition for them as smooth and positive as possible. When we place your child into their new first grade class, a lot of thought, heart and consideration goes into the decision.

AISU's Bubble Run: Is on Saturday, May 5th at 10:00 at AISU. This sounds like such a fun event for the whole family. You can learn more and register for the event [here](#).

Dinosaur Park Field Trip: Thursday, May 17th at the Eccles Dinosaur Park in Ogden. This will be another **all day** event for your kindergartners. We will be leaving AISU at 8:45 and returning at 2:30. If you would like to help chaperone, you can click [here](#).

Darling Daughter Dance: Friday, May 18th in the AISU Atrium from 6:00-9:00. This is the 4th annual Darling Daughter Dance and it is a huge success with all the little ladies. It's a chance for your daughters to get all dolled up and dance with their dad, uncle, grandpa, brother, mom...or whoever is available to come and dance with your little girls! We have attached a flyer below for more information.

DIBELS testing is coming up in May, Our literacy team is going to perform the DIBELS assessment on ALL kindergartners. DIBELS (Dynamic Indicator of Basic Early Literacy Skills) are a set of procedures and measures for assessing the acquisition of early literacy skills from kindergarten through sixth grade.

We have included **several attachments below** to assist you in helping your child be as successful as possible on the DIBELS test. We will let you know in May when the exact date will be, but in the meantime, we recommend practicing each day with your child.

Summer Reading Tutoring Available: Students can have one-on-one tutoring from the literacy staff for 4 weeks this summer. If they get enough students signed up, they can possibly add more time slots. But it's first come, first serve. Sign up today! Please see the attachment below for more information.

Snack: **If your child's name begins with the letter J**, it's your child's turn to **donate snack** for the week. Please remember that we try to have a low sugar (if possible) snack each day. If you are able, please provide a snack for 54 children **for at least 1 day** during the week. Please be advised, we do have a child with a serious allergy to Nuts!

Upcoming:

May 5th- Bubble Run 10AM- **See attached Flyer**

May 11th-Movie Night 7 PM

May 11th- AISU's Got Talent in the PAC 7:00 PM

May 17th- Dinosaur Park Field Trip: **(\$5 for those who have not donated the yearly amount) ALL STUDENTS ATTEND ALL DAY** Depart AISU at 8:45 return at 2:30

May 18th- Darling Daughter Dance 6-9 PM- **See attached Flyer**

May 22nd & May 24th- Last Student Led Conferences- You can sign up [here](#) for a scheduled time to meet with us.

May 25-May 28th- **No School**

May 29th-31st- First Grade Shadow Days

June 4th-7th- Book Fair

June 6th- Kindergarten Graduation!!! 10:00 am in the PAC ALL STUDENTS ATTEND AM SESSION

June 8th- Last Day of School: Field Day ALL STUDENTS ATTEND AM SESSION

Enjoy the beautiful weekend with your sweet children!

The Dragonfly Team

"The greatest gifts we can give our children are the roots of Responsibilities and the wings of Independence"

-Gnana