

# OAK HILLS EAGLEGRAM

March 2, 2020

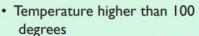
#### Sick students

Dear Parents, With the flu season upon us and the sicknesses happening around the world, please remember that if your child is sick, it is best to keep him/her home. If you send your child to school sick, we have 476 students plus adults in the building every day that could potentially get sick as well. In addition, we have students with compromised immune systems that are more susceptible to being infected than other students. This is a tough time of year, especially with the recent outbreak and the long-lasting flu virus that happens each year. We appreciate your attention to this matter. Thank you for all you do. Please refer to the information below.

# HOW SICK IS TOO SICK FOR SCHOOL?

FLU SEASON IS HERE. WHICH MEANS GERMS ARE SNEEZING THEIR WAY INTO SCHOOLS





- Sore throat, cold and persistent cough
- Vomiting (more than two times in 24 hours)
- · Diarrhea
- Severe or long-lasting abdominal pain
  - · Rash with fever
  - Strep throat
  - Head lice before first treatment
    - Illness prevents me from participating comfortably in activities
  - Illness results in a greater need for care than school staff can provide.

Davis School District Nursing Services guidelines, Davis County Health Department and American Academy of Pediatrics



## Send me to school:

- Runny nose or occasional cough, but no other symptoms
- No fever, without fever-reducing medicine in 24 hours
- Sore throat with no other symptoms
- Strep throat after 12 hours of treatment
- No vomiting or diarrhea for 24 hours



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### **Background Checks for Volunteers**

Dear Families, In our efforts to provide increased safety for our students, we have begun the process of ensuring that volunteers complete a background check through Davis School District if they are working outside the line of sight of a district employee. Our school is a better place to learn because of you and your willingness to sacrifice your time to support teachers and students in the classroom. If you are working inside the classroom, helping at a party, copying and correcting papers, you do not need this background check. Field trips where volunteers are not always with the entire group are an example of when a background check is necessary. Many of you have already been to Farmington to complete this process. Initially, volunteers were charged the standard processing fee of \$40, however, it now costs \$28 and needs to be done at the District office located at 45 E State Street in Farmington. If you are unable to pay the fee, please contact me to discuss other possibilities. Because this is a new process, the wait times may be lengthy. If you have specific questions about the background check, you may call the District at 801-402-5550. This background check will be valid throughout all of your children's time in Davis District. We are grateful for all that are willing to volunteer at the school and school-related activities. This school is great because of you!

### **Appreciation**

Thank you to those parents who have gone to the District to complete their background check. I know the wait time is lengthy, and I apologize for that. I do want to thank you so much for your willingness to help us protect our students. If you want to attend upcoming field trips with your student, please take the time to get the background check done.



#### **Scooters**

We have 4 scooters in the front office that may belong to one of your students. If your child has lost/left a scooter at school, please check with Laura in the office. Thank you!

#### Yearbooks

There is one week left to purchase yearbooks for \$15. This can be done by logging into your myDSD account – click on payments, then pay for fees/lunch, then optional fees and scroll down to yearbook. Next week, the price will be \$20 and you will have to make the purchase through Lifetouch.











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#### Musical

The musical is almost here! The students have been working hard, and it's almost time to see their work pay off. We are excited to see a full house.

Performance dates are as follows:

Pumbaa Cast – March 9<sup>th</sup> & March 11<sup>th</sup> @ 7pm, March 13<sup>th</sup> @ 4pm

**Timon Cast** – March 10<sup>th</sup>, 12<sup>th</sup>, & 13<sup>th</sup> @ 7pm

On the day of the performances, please park in the church parking lot which is located west of the school. Thank you for your support!

#### Reflections Winners

We have two Oak Hills students who earned Awards of Merit at the State Reflections level. **Ally Brunson** won for her 3D Art and **Elizabeth Geilman** won in the category of Literature. Way to go, girls! We are so proud of you and your accomplishments!



### Looking Ahead...

Mar 4<sup>th</sup> – PTA Meeting & Picture Day

Mar 6<sup>th</sup> – Popcorn Friday

Mar 9th-13th - Musical

Mar 23<sup>rd</sup> - NO SCHOOL, Professional Day

Mar 30<sup>th</sup> – Apr 3<sup>rd</sup> – NO SCHOOL, SPRING BREAK





The link to the weekly EagleGram is posted on the home page of the school website at <a href="https://oakhills.davis.k12.ut.us/">https://oakhills.davis.k12.ut.us/</a>. Simply scroll down on that front page and click on EagleGram Newsletter. There is even an archive of past letters.

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