



2024-2025

Attendance-Achievement-Attitude

7th Grade Students!

Dear DMS Students,

At the end of this school year, every 7th grade student will have the opportunity to attend a field trip! 7th Grade students will be going to Michigan Adventure. To be eligible for this trip, you must meet the requirements, which are tied directly to our three school goals of Attendance, Achievement and Attitude. The criteria for these trips are based on a point system, which is explained below. In this point system, less is more! Read on.....

7th Grade Michigan Adventure Amusement Park Field Trip: June 5, 2025

Eligibility is based on all three A's (attendance, achievement, attitude)- To be eligible, students can only accumulate seven points. At your 8th point, you are no longer eligible. :(

Attendance:

10-14 absences = 4 points

15-19 absences = 5 points

20 or more absences = Will not be able to participate

Tardy Plan Level 2 = 1 point per plan per semester

Administrators have the right to require a doctor's note of approval for students who have excessive absences due to a medical condition.

Achievement:

Each "E" per semester = 1 point

Attitude "Behavior":

Office Assigned Detention = 1 point per offense

SNAP suspension = 1 point per offense

Alternative Classroom = 1 point per offense

Intervention Room or ISS = 2 points per day

Out of School Suspension (OSS) = 2 points per day

Loss of Bus Privilege = 2 points per offense

Office/Bus referral = points dependent on offense & consequences

Hallway/Cafeteria Green Ticket Violations=

2nd Ticket Violation- Reteaching expectations

4th Ticket Violation- Lunch Detention, Reteaching, Parent Letter, 1 pt

6th Ticket Violation- After School Detention, Reteaching, Parent Letter, 1pt

8th Ticket Violation - Additional Violations may result in multiple after school

detentions, a parent meeting, an escort to classes, removal

from the lunchroom for an extended period of time, additional

discipline pts., a suspension, etc...

Please note that points are not limited to only the infractions listed. For example, behavior plans and referrals containing restorative practices will also be considered when reviewing behavior. As always, administrators reserve the right to pull students from events if there is a significant safety concern. Having said all this, you should know I would love to see all students go on these special trips. They are a lot of fun!

DMS Principal to Student



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8th Grade Students!

Dear DMS Students,

At the end of this school year, every 8th grade student will have the opportunity to attend a field trip! 8th Grade students will be going to Cedar Point. This trip typically costs around \$120. To be eligible for this trip, you must meet the requirements, which are tied directly to our three school goals of Attendance, Achievement and Attitude. The criteria for these trips are based on a point system, which is explained below. In this point system, less is more! Read on.....

8th Grade Cedar Point Amusement Park Field Trip: June 11, 2025

Eligibility is based on all three A's (attendance, achievement, attitude)- To be eligible, students can only accumulate seven points. At your 8th point, you are no longer eligible. :(

Attendance:

10-14 absences = 4 points

15-19 absences = 5 points

20 or more absences = Will not be able to participate

Tardy Plan Level 2 = 1 point per plan per semester

Administrators have the right to require a doctor's note of approval for students who have excessive absences due to a medical condition.

Achievement:

Each "E" per semester = 1 point

Attitude "Behavior":

Office Assigned Detention = 1 point per offense

SNAP suspension = 1 point per offense

Alternative Classroom = 1 point per offense

Intervention Room or ISS = 2 points per day

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8th Grade Students Only!

Dear 8th Grade DMS Students,

This is a big year for all of you, culminating in a field trip and the special 8th Grade Honors Night. Each of these events have their own specific criteria. I thought it would be helpful to put all of this info into one document so that it is easier for you all to keep everything straight. Here's the rundown:

Washington D.C. Trip: May 22 - 25, 2025

Eligibility is solely based on behavior. To be eligible, students can only accumulate six points. At your 7th point, you are no longer eligible. Every year a couple of students lose the trip, even the day before, because of behavior. Don't let this happen to you or your friends!

Attitude "Behavior":

Office Assigned Detention = 1 point per offense

SNAP suspension = 1 point per offense

Alternative Classroom = 1 point per offense

Intervention Room or ISS = 2 points per day

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*Email Ms. Green right away (igreen@davisonschools.org) for a registration packet if you did not attend the DC informational meeting on Monday, September 30th.

8th Grade Honors Night: TBD (Usually in May)

This is an invitation-only event. Students must earn at least 2 out of the 3 A's to receive an invite and the first one must be from the "Achievement" category. Examples of some criteria are listed below.

"A" Achievement

- High Honor Roll: Cumulative GPA of 3.80 - 4.00
- Honor Roll: Cumulative GPA of 3.5 - 3.79

"A" Attendance

- Perfect Attendance: Perfect! No days missed in both 7th and 8th grade.
- Excellent Attendance: Only missed 4 or less days combined in both 7th and 8th grade.

"A" Attitude

- Attitude: Earned all 3's and 4's for Cardinal Code on report cards in 7th and 8th grade.

***AAA Award:** Success in all three areas: Attendance, Achievement, Attitude

DMS Principal to Student