

Welcome to Silva Valley Kindergarten Round-Up



We are so happy
to have you here
today!



4/25/25

First Things First

1. Kindergarten Questionnaire- Tell us about your child
2. Welcome back returning families.
3. Hello to our new families.



What is the purpose of Kindergarten Round-Up?



How are classes formed?

- Number one priority is to balance classes
- AM is heavily requested
- The bonus of PM is that Extended Day is a smaller group experience, though placement is still not guaranteed





Important Things to Know Before the First Day

- Backpacks
- Snack
- Hot Lunch
- Practice using backpacks and lunchboxes over the summer
- Please label clothing and belongings
- Drop off at the beginning of the year
- Never park in the bus turnaround during hours stated on sign.
- Suggested supply lists will be posted on Kindergarten website
- MOST IMPORTANT... Please be on time for drop off and pick up.

After-School Care

Extended Day

- County-run program on campus
- Students are chosen by lottery
- Lottery opens in early to mid-July
- Schools do not have any say on who gets in



KinderCare

- La Borgata location (by Raley's)
- Transportation for AM session ONLY, provided by KinderCare

No transportation available for CSD Adventure Zone

Volunteers

We love volunteers!

- If you'd like to volunteer in any way or attend field trips, you'll need to be fingerprinted through the district. Check-in with the front office for help getting this process started!



School Hours

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday

AM 7:45-11:15

PM 11:16-2:46

Wednesdays

AM 7:45-10:30

PM 10:30-1:15



Kindergarten does not observe minimum days as our schedule is already a minimum day

School Attendance

What if my child is sick?

- Contact the office by phone or email to report the absence
- Attendance Matters
- Excused / Unexcused absences
- Chronic Absenteeism = 10% of school
- Truancy
- Independent Study Contracts
- The office is ready to assist you!



Support Staff

- Health clerk
- Psychologist
- Counselor
- Speech therapist
- Special Education professionals



Please check with your teacher next year if you feel that your child needs a referral to any of the above.

Reading Aloud to Your Child Can Make a HUGE Difference

“Parents who read one picture book with their child EVERY DAY will expose their child to approximately 78,000 different words each year. From birth to kindergarten those children will have been exposed to 1.4 million more words than children who are not exposed to books. It is a fact that reading to your child will directly impact their future language skills and academic success.”



Thank you for coming and
WELCOME to the Silva Valley Family!



You'll hear from us
in June with your
class placement!

