



DAKOTA VALLEY JUNIOR KINDERGARTEN

The Dakota Valley Junior Kindergarten program is designed to provide early intervention for students who need an additional year of academic or social development to successfully learn and grow in a kindergarten classroom.

Ages Served: 5+

Notification: parents/guardians of children who qualify will be notified of their placement prior to May 1st

Cost: no cost to families

Hours: 8:10 a.m. to 3:10 p.m.

Calendar: follows the Dakota Valley School District academic calendar

Qualification Requirements:

- must reside in the Dakota Valley School District
- must turn 5 by September 1st
- must show limited kindergarten readiness in at least one of the benchmark areas (academic or social skills)
- priority will be given to children who turn 5 within seven months of September 1 **and** have attended at least one year of preschool

Transportation: eligible for busing services through the Dakota Valley School District

Please note, if you have physical, motor, or speech development concerns for your child, please contact Linda Steele at Linda.Steele@kl2.sd.us



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