



BACK TO SCHOOL!

Greenwood ECE-8
School
Denver, CO

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Mrs. Dillon's Family Newsletter

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Principal's Letter

Dear Families,

Leaves are beginning to fall from the trees and nights are getting colder. As our mornings become cooler, please be sure to send your children with jackets or sweaters. Fall is a time for change and renewal. Talk to your children about the seasonal changes all around. Take time to admire the changing colors and say 'Good-bye' to summer.

Mrs. Marie Greenwood visited at the end of September with her grandson. She will turn 96 years old on November 24th. We will plan a celebration to honor her contribution to Denver's children. Mrs. Greenwood is so proud of this school named after her. She was excited to hear that the school is now rated 'Average' by the state. Let us all continue to work for the benefit of the children, in her honor.

Thank you for your continued support and communication. I am finding myself more and more at home here every day!

Sincerely, Devin Dillon

Achievement Corner

Did you know that only 24% of our 8th Grade Students are currently Proficient in Reading, as measured by CSAP.

We are targeting these students throughout the school year to get that number up!

Here are a few of the things we are doing:

- AVID for 8th Grade Students
- Spanish Literacy Classes
- Mentors for Every 8th Grade Student
- Open Computer Lab from 7:30-8:00 Monday-Friday for 8th Grade Students

October Learning Tips

Literacy: Every student needs to read at least thirty minutes each night. If your child is reading below grade level, be sure Reading comes first. Make it fun by reading online stories. Here are some fun websites to check out.

Math: While waiting in line at the grocery store, practice math facts with your children. Give them problems to do in their heads while you wait. Make every minute a Math minute!

Reminders to Students

- Uniforms are an important part of Greenwood ECE-8 School. Please be in uniform, shirts tucked in every day. Go Greenwood!



Reminders to Parents

Please do not park in the traffic lanes in front of the school. Stop only long enough to pick up and drop off. This will help ensure the safety of our kids!

Fall Break is October 29, 30 and 31st. Have a safe and happy fall intermission!

This Month's Highlights

Tuesday, October 7th

PTO 7:30-8:15 A.M.
CSC 5-7 PM

Wednesday, October 8th

Walk to School Day!
Family Math Night: 5-7 PM

Friday, October 17th

Early Release Day
Students dismissed at 11:45

Parent-Teacher Conferences

Monday, October 27th 3-7 PM

Tuesday, October 28th 3-7 PM

Our goal is to meet with 100% of our families for fall conferences. Please plan to meet with your child's teachers to find out how you can support their learning at home!

Thank You Parents!

Special thanks are due the following parents:

All parents who attended last month's PTO meeting. It was a great turn out!