

AUGUST 2021

DEER PARK ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

A message from our Principal, Ms. Krapfl

WELCOME BACK, DEER PARK FAMILIES!

Welcome back to the 2021-2022 school year! I hope you had a relaxing summer. I am looking forward to working with you and your child(ren) again this year. At Deer Park, we are committed to providing your child(ren) with rich learning experiences. I personally believe in and take pride in always doing what is best for students. I will continue to use this guiding principle when making decisions about our school.

We are utilizing predominately electronic communications. Our Back To School On-Line Process makes it easy for families to update their information before school starts. If you need more information about our online process, don't hesitate to contact the office.

This year, Deer Park is beginning the year with approximately 480 students. We continue to have new families moving in, and we welcome these new families to our school. I

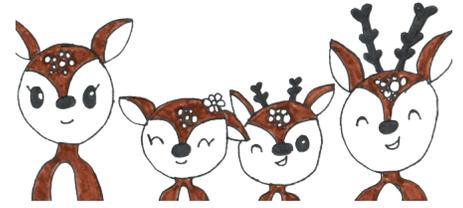
I look forward to meeting all of you and seeing all the familiar faces of our returning families.



School Fees 2021-2022

School fees for 2021-2022 are now available. The school fees can only be paid online, and we will not be collecting cash or checks. These funds are vital to our special programs (Art, Music and PE) and for maintaining student technology and digital resources.

You find the school fees in the Pasco County Schools Parent Portal.



MARK YOUR CALENDAR

August 10

- The first day of school for students is Tuesday, August 10th
- Staff and students may wear a face covering
- Parents can walk your child to the classroom door on this first day only
- Kindergarten parents can walk your child(children) the first week of school only.

Coming Up September

- Sept. 1 - Student Fall Pictures
 - 3:45 p.m. PTA Board Mtg.
 - 4:30 p.m. PTA General Mtg.
- Sept. 6 - No School due to Labor Day
- Sept. 7 - 4:00 p.m. McBuck Night
- Sept. 8 - Early Release Day at 12:50 p.m.
- Sept. 14 - SAC Meeting 4:00 p.m.

Time to celebrate!

Our school has been recognized for its resilience in implementing a school-wide Positive Behavior Interventions and Supports (PBIS) framework during the 2020-2021 school year.

PBIS is a set of behavioral and biomedical science strategies that enhance student quality of life and reduce problem behaviors.

National research shows that full implementation of this framework leads to improved student outcomes. By establishing this framework, we develop student skills, make changes to the school environment, acknowledge appropriate student behavior, and use data to identify needed supports for our students.

As a result of this work, we are being recognized by the FLPBIS Project for achieving PBIS Model School status. This award demonstrates our commitment to the effective implementation of PBIS and our efforts towards achieving positive and equitable outcomes for all students.



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Important Links

Deer Park Website

<https://dpes.pasco.k12.fl.us/>

Student School Hours:

Mon-Fri

8:40 a.m. - 2:50 p.m.

Office Hours:

7:45 a.m. - 4:00 p.m

