DODGE CITY MIDDLE SCHOOL FIFTH GRADE ORIENTATION

APRIL 29 AND MAY 2

Dear Fifth Grade Teachers and Students,

Beginning on April 29th through May 2nd fifth grade students will be scheduled to attend a building orientation at the Dodge City Middle School. As a part of the building orientation, Principal King will present an overview of middle school life. Student Council members will conduct tours of the campus, and students from Holeman's speech classes will present a skit about the middle school. Each class visiting our school will also take an SRI reading assessment. The building orientation has been designed to give your child a smooth transition from elementary school to middle school. The following dates have been assigned to schools and classes for building orientations and SRI reading assessments.

VISITING SCHOOLS: LINN AND MILLER (129)

• Tuesday, April 29th (8:30 - 10:30 AM)

BUILDING TOURS & ORIENTATION SCHEDULES: ASSIGNMENT AREAS

- <u>Auditorium</u> Skit about middle school life given by speech and drama class.
- <u>Campus Tours</u> By Student Council guides.
- <u>Cafeteria Orientation</u> Principal and Assistant Principal gives overview of middle school.
- **<u>Reading Assessment</u>**: Student groups will be assigned to computer labs to take SRI.

GROUP I: Starts with Orientations

Group ABaker (22)Group BTerrian (22)Group CMoe (23)

GROUP II: Starts with SRI Assessments

| Group A | Gleason (22) |
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| Group B | Ambler (18) |
| Group C | Heeke (22) |

| GROUP I: 8:30 – 10:30 (Baker, Terrian & Moe) | | | |
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| TIME | LOCATION 1 | LOCATION 2 | LOCATION 3 |
| 8:30 - 8:50 | Auditorium (Group A: Baker) | Tour (Group B: Terrian) | Cafeteria (Group C: Moe) |
| 8:50 - 9:10 | Auditorium (Group C: Moe) | Tour (Group A: Baker) | Cafeteria (Group B: Terrian) |
| 9:10 - 9:30 | Auditorium (Group B: Terrian) | Tour (Group C: Moe) | Cafeteria (Group A: Baker) |
| 9:30 - 10:30 | Baker SRI Room 408 | Terrian SRI Library | Moe SRI Room 102 |

GROUP II: 8:30 – 10:30 Orientation (Gleason, Ambler & Heeke)

| TIME | LOCATION 1 | LOCATION 2 | LOCATION 3 |
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| 8:30 - 9:30 | Gleason SRI Room 408 | Ambler SRI Library | Heeke SRI Room 102 |
| 9:30 - 9:50 | Auditorium(Group A:Gleason) | Tour (Group B: Ambler) | Cafeteria (Group C:Heeke) |
| 9:50 - 10:10 | Auditorium (Group C: Heeke) | Tour (Group A:Gleason) | Cafeteria (Group B: Ambler) |
| 10:10 - 10:30 | Auditorium (Group B: Gleason) | Tour (Group C: Heeke) | Cafeteria (Group A:Gleason) |

VISITING SCHOOLS: NORTHWEST AND SUNNYSIDE (117)

• Friday, May 2nd (8:30 - 10:30 AM)

BUILDING TOURS & ORIENTATION SCHEDULES: ASSIGNMENT AREAS

- <u>Auditorium</u>: Skit about middle school life given by speech and drama class.
- <u>Campus Tours:</u> By Student Council guides.
- <u>Cafeteria Orientation</u>: Principal and Assistant Principal gives overview of middle school.
- **<u>Reading Assessment</u>**: Student groups will be assigned to computer labs to take SRI.

| GROUP I: Starts with Orientations GROUI | | GROUP | II: Starts with SRI Assessments |
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| Group A | Enriquez (14) | Group A | Broome (23) |
| Group B | Enriquez (13) | Group B | Owens (22) |
| Group C | Schmidt (23) | Group C | Ferreiro (22) |

GROUP I: 8:30 – 10:30 (Enriquez)

| TIME | LOCATION 1 | LOCATION 2 | LOCATION 3 |
|--------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------------|-------------------------------|
| 8:30 - 8:50 | Auditorium (Group A: Enriquez) | Tour (Group B: Enriquez) | Cafeteria (Group C: Schmidt) |
| 8:50 - 9:10 | Auditorium (Group C: Schmidt) | Tour (Group A: Enriquez) | Cafeteria (Group B: Enriquez) |
| 9:10 - 9:30 | Auditorium (Group B: Enriquez) | Tour (Group C: Schmidt) | Cafeteria (Group A: Enriquez) |
| 9:30 - 10:30 | Room 408 (Group C: Schmidt) | Library (Group B: Enriquez) | Room 102 (Group A: Enriquez) |

| GROUP II: 8:30 – 10:30 Orientation (Broome, Owens, Ferreiro) | | | |
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| TIME | LOCATION 1 | LOCATION 2 | LOCATION 3 |
| 8:30 - 9:30 | Room 408: Broome SRI | Library: Owens SRI | Room 102: Ferreiro SRI |
| 9:30 - 9:50 | Auditorium(Group A:Broome) | Tour (Group B: Owens) | Cafeteria (Group C: Ferreiro) |
| 9:50 - 10:10 | Auditorium (Group C: Ferreiro) | Tour (Group A:Broome) | Cafeteria (Group B: Owens) |
| 10:10 - 10:30 | Auditorium (Group B: Owens) | Tour (Group C: Ferreiro) | Cafeteria (Group A:Broome) |

Please note that transportation will be arranged for all schools except for Northwest. Parents wanting to attend the building orientation may do so by meeting your child at Dodge City Middle School.

On Thursday, May 1st, an informative meeting for all fifth grade parents will be held in the middle school auditorium. The meeting will begin at 6:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. Sixth grade faculty and students will present a program entitled "The Five Things We Believe." Mr. King will give an overview of middle school programs and policies. Please make every attempt to attend this important meeting.

Sincerely,

Michael D. King Principal, Dodge City Middle School