D118 and VERMILION COUNTY HOME VISITING

Did you know there are free home visiting services throughout Vermilion County?

The H.O.M.E. Hands On Meaningful Experiences Program provides home visiting services that offer family-focused services to expectant parents and families with children up to age 3 who reside in District 118. Brandye Kizer and Debbie Plush, Parent Educators offer information about what a child should be doing at each developmental stage, help families to locate needed resources, fun family events, education, support, and free books! In addition to personal home visits and group connections, our Family Store helps supply baby items and household products for H.O.M.E. participants. In November we attended the FESTIVAL of TREES, made Swedish Meatballs and had enough to send home to freeze, and in December we will have RU-DOLPH come visit and hand out gifts to our Birth-3 families!! If you are interested in home visiting services, or even learning more about them, please

call Niah at (217) 483-BABY (2229).



With flu season upon us, the district continues to work to keep all children healthy. Everyone is doing their part:

- Custodial staff is working diligently to clean all surfaces including water fountains, door handles, and desks.
- Staff is modeling and teaching hygienic coughing, sneezing, and nose blowing.
- Teachers encourage hand washing and disinfect surfaces and materials.
- Nurses are working with parents to send students home and make sure they are well enough to return.

How can you help?

- ♦ Please continue to teach your children proper hand washing and how to cover a cough or sneeze.
- ♦ Remember it is very important for your child to remain home until they are fever-free for 24 hours, without the use of a fever reducer (Tylenol or Ibuprofen).

If you have any questions regarding Influenza A, recommendations for treatment of symptoms, or general health information, please don't hesitate to call the school nurse.







SOUTH VIEW UPPER ELEMENTARY —

SPARTAN NEWS



FEBRUARY, 2018

We LOVE our performing arts at South View!





Mr. Legg and his orchestra had an amazing performance at the 365 Club breakfast!



SVUE Green Machine will be performing at the Midwest Classic!

All SVUE Students need to have an ID card.
Replacement ID cards are available at the office for \$5.00.

February Calendar

Early Dismissal 2:45PM

Staff Professional Development. Wednesday, February 14th, 2018.

BOE meeting 6:30 PM

6:30 PM Wednesday, February 14th, 2018

No School Presidents' Day

Monday, February 19th, 2018

Family Council

Wednesday, February 21, 2018 5:15 PM

Early Dismissal 2:45PM

Staff Professional Development. Wednesday, February 28th, 2018.

BOE meeting.

6:30 PM Wednesday, February 28th, 2018 Page 2 Spartan News

Please mark your calendars for the following early dismissal days! Students will be dismissed at 2:45 PM on these days:

Wednesday, February 14

Wednesday, February 28

Tuesday, March 20

Thursday, March 22

Wednesday, April 4

Wednesday, April 11—Students will be dismissed at 12:00 today Wednesday, May 9

No school on Monday, February 19 No school from Friday, March 23 through Friday, March 30 No school on Monday, May 28

Do you have a child entering Kindergarten?

There are some important requirements you should be aware of before school starts. Until completed, your student will not be able to attend school. Our goal is that every child have all of the requirements completed at registration.

Proof of the following is required:

Physical exam (must include diabetes screening) • Up to date immunizations •
 Lead screening • Proof of residency • Court house issued birth certificate

Copies of heath examination forms are available in the school office or from your health care provider.

Don't forget to plan ahead! Proof of an eye exam is due October 15th and proof of a dental exam by May 15th.

If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact your child's school.



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GO SPARTANS!

Ways to Stay Connected at SVUE





ClassDojo



Did you know parents AND students can sign up on Class Dojo? Keep track of daily behavior, classroom happenings, and upcoming events. Have you liked "South View Upper Elementary" on Facebook?

SVUE COMPUTER CLUB

Computer Club is in full force and exploring the world of technology.

Group A meets every Monday and Group B meets on regular dismissal Wednesdays.



Computer Club Dates

GROUP A:	GROUP B:

2/5 2/7

2/12 2/21

2/25 3/7

SVUE Basketball

Basketball will be starting the week of February 12th!



Computer Club students, Jemil and Ankit, use code.org to help with computer programing.

Scholastic Bowl Meeting Dates

5th Grade: 2/6, 2/13, 2/20, 2/27

6th Grade: 2/8, 2/15, 2/22, 2/29



Yearbook Meeting Dates

2/8 2/15 2/22