

# STEDMAN — ELEMENTARY —



**STEDMAN**

A Community  
Growing Together

Creemos unidos  
como comunidad



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**NEW!**  
Click on the  
important dates  
for flyers and  
more info!

## Important Dates:

Wednesday 9/11 - 6:00pm, First PTA Meeting

Tuesday 9/17 - INDIVIDUAL PICTURE DAY

Wed. - Friday 9/18-9/20 - 5th Grade to Balarat

Friday - 9/27 - No School - DPS planning day

Monday - 9/30 - No School - Stedman Day



# Note From Principal Trotter

Greetings Stedman Families!

It's been a wonderful week and there are so many exciting things happening around the building. We officially kicked off our KNIGHT of the Week celebrating KINDNESS and our KNIGHTS on the Move celebrations are underway.

Our School wide Weekly Focus: We will be focusing on relationship building and maximizing learning time through strong first instruction. Students will fully engage in grade level content and they will be able to show what they know through collaborative conversations with peers.

News you can use: Stedman has gone GREEN!!! In case you missed it I am proud and excited to announce the Academic Success of our Stedman KNIGHTS. Based on our academic achievement and growth scores from the 2023/2024 school year we are now rated by the state as a Green School. This is a HUGE deal. My most sincere appreciation goes out to all of our teachers, staff, students, families and community members that have supported us every step of the way. Thank you all for pouring into our students to ensure every Knight thrives!!!

To ensure that you don't miss a thing our community newsletter and KNIGHT Life News will be sent to families every Sunday.

We're excited about the year ahead and all the amazing things we will achieve together. Go KNIGHTS!

In collaboration,

Robbin Trotter  
Principal



# The #Knightlife News



Each week we'll share a glimpse into the school and what we're up to along with important updates and information from Principal Trotter.

A big thank you to Mr. B for bringing the #Knightlife News to the Stedman Community!

# In case you missed it!

## STEDMAN —ELEMENTARY— Is a Green School!



This morning we celebrated all the hard work and dedication of our Stedman Staff and community which has led to our improved student achievement and academic growth!

Want to know more?  
Check out this flyer for more information on understanding the school Performance Framework!

SPF Rating	What does that color rating mean?
Distinguished	High-quality school that demonstrates strong results across most areas.
Meets Expectations	Quality school that demonstrates good results in many areas, with a few areas in need of some improvement.
Accredited on Watch	School that demonstrates results in some areas and/or has several areas in need of improvement.
Accredited on Priority Watch	School that demonstrates low results overall and/or has multiple areas in need of significant improvement.
Accredited on Probation	School that demonstrates minimal results overall and has many areas in need of significant improvement.



Registration is closed, but families can still reach out directly to Coach Schneider or stop by the registration booth Monday after school if they are interested in joining one of the teams!

Hey 4th and 5th Graders! Flyers went home with your students but we still have some spots left to fill for our fall sports coming to Stedman this year!

## ELCSports

### FALL SOCCER 2024



#### Registration Information

- Registration Dates: 8/26-9/6
  - Lottery (if necessary) on 9/5
- For all 4th and 5th Graders!
- Season Cost: \$35
- Requirements:
  - Fill out online registration
  - Submit an updated physical

#### League Information

- 9 Week Season (9/9-11/2)
- Week 1-2: Practice Only
- Week 3-8:
  - 1 practice
  - 1 game on Thursdays
  - Games will be held weekly at Westerly Creek
- End of Season Tournament: Saturday, 11/2

**Coach Information:**  
Name: Coach Schneider  
Contact: [megan\\_schneider@dpsk12.net](mailto:megan_schneider@dpsk12.net)  
Practices: Tuesday 4-5:30pm



#### Questions?

Email [ELCSports@dpsk12.net](mailto:ELCSports@dpsk12.net) or call PS NUMBER

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### FALL FLAG FOOTBALL 2024



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- Weeks 3-8:
  - 1 practice
  - 1 game on Wednesday
  - Games will be held weekly at Westerly Creek
- Week 9: Practice and End of Season Tournament on Saturday, 11/9



**Coach Information:**  
Name: Coach Schneider  
Contact: [megan\\_schneider@dpsk12.net](mailto:megan_schneider@dpsk12.net)  
Practice: Mondays 4-5:30pm



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# Back to School Night... Thank you for coming!



We loved seeing everyone at Back to School Night - Thank you to everyone who came! If you weren't able to attend please make sure you connect with your teacher to get any information you may have missed!



Please Note: the District has made a change to the lunch program this year. Every student is welcome to one FREE full school lunch (which includes milk), if your student does not get a whole school lunch, they must pay for a milk. Milks are \$0.75 and can be paid for with cash or by loading money on your students myschoolbucks account in the [Parent Portal](#).

## Upcoming Volunteer Procedures and Opportunities

- **In the Classroom:** Must be scheduled with the teacher. A sign up will be shared by your teacher in their weekly newsletter.
- **School wide:** A sign up to volunteer in the school in a broader way will be shared in our newsletter here, coming soon!
- **Get a head start!** People looking to volunteer in the building will need to fill out the [DPS volunteer application](#) and complete the [volunteer background check](#).

# VOLUNTEER



# Look what's coming...

MES DE LA HERENCIA HISPANA

## ¡PIDE UNA CANCIÓN!

1. Pide tu canción favorita de artista(s) Latinoamericanos y/o Hispanos
2. Escucha (y baila) tu canción los viernes antes de la escuela.



Usa el código QR para pedir tu canción



Use the code to request a song

HISPANIC HERITAGE MONTH

## REQUEST A SONG!

1. Request a song by a Latin American/Hispanic artist using the form.
2. Listen (and dance) to your song on selected Fridays at drop-off

Our very own, Principal Robbin Trotter, will be sitting on a panel at DPS's first ever Black Excellence Summit!

Celebrate with us at the 1st Denver Public Schools'

# BLACK EXCELLENCE SUMMIT

SAVE THE DATE



RSVP

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WHEN: SEPTEMBER 14, 2024

WHERE: UNIVERSITY OF DENVER, STURM BUILDING

REGISTRATION: 8 AM-9AM  
EVENT TIME: 9AM - 3:30 PM

parents, Educators, Community Members



- Professional Development and Learning Opportunities for **Everyone**
- Opportunities to Celebrate and Advocate for more Black Excellence
- Resource Fair with Community Partners
- Share Feedback, Interview, & Connect
- Celebrate the Impact and Momentum of Black Excellence in DPS!

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**Facebook:**

[www.facebook.com/stedmanschool](http://www.facebook.com/stedmanschool) - be sure to LIKE us there!

**Instagram:** @stedman\_elementary

The 2024-2025 Stedman school calendar can be found [here](#).



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