



Durango Early Learning Center

THE DELC DIGEST

MAY 2024

Important Dates

- 6/13 Rainbow Day!
- 6/15 Income Surveys for 24.25 due!
- 6/19 NO SCHOOL JUNETEENTH
- 6/28 PJ DAY & School Family Time 10:00am
- 7/1 - 7/5 SUMMER BREAK
- 8/16 Last Day of 2023.2024 School Year



- 6/7 Ava & Eleahor
- 6/16 Eisllyn
- 6/23 Soren S
- 6/24 Conrad



Thank you to all of our Spring clean-up helpers!!

Love helping in the garden? See Emily if you are interested in watering over July summer break or doing some weeding in our garden spaces!



**PRESCHOOL
GRADUATION
&
PICNIC!**

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 14TH
5:30PM ON THE DELC GRASS



**Pajama Day
&
School
Family Time**

Friday, June
28th

10:00AM

Alyssa, will be working in the Green Room two days a week for the summer. Alyssa is a senior at Animas High School and DELC alum. This will be Alyssa's fourth summer helping out at DELC!



Meet
Alyssa Dempsie!

Summer =
Sprinkler Days!



Your child's classroom will reach out with a schedule of days in June! Children will bring a swimsuit & towel for time on the grass with sprinklers and water table fun!



RAINBOW DAY IS
THURSDAY, JUNE
13th

WEAR YOUR FAVORITE COLORS TO SCHOOL! WE WILL CELEBRATE LOVE FOR ALL OF OUR FRIENDS WITH A BUBBLE & POPSICLE DANCE PARTY!

Movement with
Ms Amanda
returns in June!

Tuesday, 6/5 and
Friday, 6/21

- Sun Room 9 - 9:30
- Green Room 9:30 - 10
- Rainbow Room 10 - 10:30

Tuesday, 6/12 and
Tuesday, 6/26

- Purple Room 9 - 9:30
- Orange Room 9:30 - 10
- Blue Room 10 - 10:30



Conscious Discipline Corner

POWER OF
UNITY:
We're all in this
together!



Power of Unity

"HOW DO I CONTRIBUTE?"

To build a School Family (or a Connected Home Family), you must start with yourself.

Practice seeing past the beliefs and behaviors of others to view them as an extension of yourself. See the unity underlying us all. Shift from asking, "How do I **get** the world to go my way?" to, "How do I **contribute** to a better world?"

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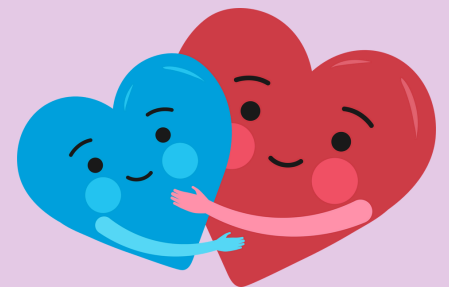
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This Week's Conscious Commitment:

"I am willing to acknowledge that on some level, we are all interconnected to each other. This oneness cannot be seen but is sensed and felt on a deeper level. I am willing to embrace everyone as part of my extended family, treating each person as I wish to be treated."

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pg. 164 of *Conscious Discipline: Building Resilient Classrooms*



REMINDER:
NO SCHOOL
WEDS 6/19
in honor of
Juneteenth!

Income
surveys for
24.25 school
year are due
June 15th!



COFFEE
81301
Durango, Co
ROASTERS

Coffee & Mug Fundraiser

ORDER FORMS WITH CASH OR CHECK MADE OUT TO DELC DUE 5/10
COFFEE DISTRIBUTION ON 5/17

- \$15 PER 1 LB BAG
- CHOICE OF:
 - COLORADO BLEND (MEDIUM)
 - EASY RIDER (ESPRESSO)
 - COSTA RICA (LIGHT)
 - BRAZIL (MEDIUM/DARK)
 - DECAF
- \$20 FOR A COFFEE MUG WITH DELC LOGO AND YOUR CHILD'S PHOTO
- SPECIAL DEAL! \$30 FOR 1 BAG OF COFFEE + 1 MUG (\$5 SAVINGS)



Thank you for
supporting our
coffee & mug
fundraiser!

We raised \$820!

Durango Early Learning Center Land Acknowledgement

Welcome to the Durango Early Learning Center. We respectfully acknowledge that the school is located in Durango, Colorado, the ancestral and unceded territory of the Ute (Núu-ágha-tévvé-éé), Diné (Navajo: Naabeehó Bináhásdzo), Hopi (Hopituh Shi-nu-mu) Pueblos, Apache and Zuni (Shiwi'ima) People who have been stewards of this land throughout generations. As early childhood care providers and educators of our future generation, it is our responsibility to acknowledge the impacts of the unkind acts that have led to the unfair and inappropriate treatment of people that traditionally lived here and still live here today. We lead by example and share stories of this land that are respectful to the people and the real history of this region. As we teach our children, we strive to nurture a culture that takes responsibility for our actions, and is curious, honest, and inclusive to the diverse backgrounds in our community.

#HonorNativeLand