



Hello 2019-20 Kindergarten Families,

Welcome to University Park! We are excited to have you in our classes. In kindergarten, we will have so much fun exploring with all of our senses as we read, write, play, exercise, and bring out the authors, readers, mathematicians and scientists in ourselves. Please save the following dates as we kick off the school year:

- **Thursday, August 15:** School supply drop-off, 4:30-5:30. Meet your teacher, see your classroom, and bring your own picnic to enjoy outside from 5:30-6:30!
- **Monday, August 19 AM:** Kindergarten Student Orientation (1st day for grades 1-5)
Each student has an assigned time to visit inside the classroom at 9:15-10:00, 10:15-11:00 or 11:15-12:00. We will welcome your student in a “soft start” to help children become familiar with some routines and their new surroundings. Parents please stay on campus and join the PTA for coffee and Kleenex on the playground.
 - [Click here for your student's orientation time.](#)
- **Monday, August 19 (1pm-4pm) and Tuesday, August 20 (8am-4pm):** Individual Show What You know Appointments: Each family is asked to use the link for their child's teacher to sign up for a time on either Monday afternoon or Tuesday. [Click on the name of your teacher below to sign up.](#)
 - [Ms. Cardenas](#)
 - [Ms. Jones](#)
 - [Ms. Havenar](#)
 - [Ms. Morof](#)
- **Wednesday, August 21:** First Day of School

We look forward to getting to know you soon!

The UPark Kindergarten Team,

Ms. Judy Cardenas, judith_cardenas@dpsk12.org
Ms. Anne Jones, anne_jones@dpsk12.org
Ms. Cara Havenar, cara_havenar@dpsk12.org
Ms. Alexis Morof, alexis_morof@dpsk12.org