



## STAY IN TOUCH

Bryant Website

[www.bryant.dbqschools.org](http://www.bryant.dbqschools.org)

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## CALENDAR

The Week Ahead

### Monday Feb 6

- Preschool Registration 7:30am
- Orchestra Group Rehearsal 3:00-4:30pm
- Leisure Services Basketball 3-4:30pm
- Girl Scouts Gr. 2 3:15-4:45pm
- Girl Scouts gr 4 6:00-7:30 pm

### Tue Feb 7

- Band Group Rehearsal 3:05-3:45 pm
- Girl Scouts Gr 3 6:30-7:30pm

### Wed Feb 8

- Leisure Services Basketball 3:00-4:30pm

### Thursday Feb 9

- Choir 7:30-8:00 am
- Girl Scouts-Kindergarten 5:30-6:30pm

### Friday Feb 10

**NO SCHOOL – PROFESSIONAL LEARNING DAY FOR TEACHERS!**

### Looking Ahead!

Conferences

Wednesday and Thursday

February 23 and 23

**No SCHOOL**

**THURSDAY & FRIDAY**

## Preschool Registration is MONDAY

Preschool registration is February 6<sup>th</sup> at 7:30 am. Openings are filled on a first-come basis. There are 10 mornings and 10 afternoon openings available.

There are only two requirements for your child to attend the Free Four-Year Old program:

1. Your child must be 4 on or before September 15<sup>th</sup>, 2017
2. Your child must be a resident of Iowa

You may go on to the district website to obtain the forms for registration. Complete the forms and bring them with you to registration. This will speed up the time that it takes for enrollment. We will have packets available that day in the office.

To register your child, please make sure that you bring along your child's birth certificate for proof of age. We also can accept passports or signed immunization certificates.

## Community Gathering

Last Friday, our 4<sup>th</sup> grade hosted our community gathering, but MANY students and staff were able to participate in "The Human Hungry Hippo" game. Go onto the Bryant Family Organization's Facebook page to see great pictures of the activities! The students loved cheering on their classmates and teachers.

Each Community Gathering has focus on a different character trait or social skill. The 4<sup>th</sup> grade reminded us about the importance of cooperation.

## Professional Development Day

This upcoming **Friday, February 10<sup>th</sup>**, all of the teachers in the Dubuque Community School District will be participating in a full-day of professional learning. There are a variety of different sessions to meet the learning needs of all of our teachers. We become the students so that we become stronger teachers!



## Time to Sign Up for Conferences

Our spring conferences are right around the corner, and we need you to get your conference time scheduled. We will be using the same scheduling program and procedures as we did in the fall. The conference website is <https://www.myschoolsystems.com/dubuque/bryant/>

The conference website will open to schedule your conference on Thursday, February 9 at 3:30pm. In case you need reminders, we will be sending your child's log-in information, password and instructions for the scheduling program home on Thursday, February 9. If you have any difficulty with scheduling, please give our office a call.

## Valentine's Day

February is right around the corner. Many students look forward to sharing notes of friendship with their peers and teachers on Valentine's Day. We believe this is an opportunity for students to spread kindness and build community within their classroom. To make this day a success, we ask that everyone adhere to the following guidelines:

- Students are welcome to bring cards or notes to share with their classmates and teachers, but are not required. IF sharing cards, there must be one for EVERY child. (Classroom teachers will send home class lists)
- All Valentines should be of good taste and deliver kind messages.
- No food or candy should accompany the Valentines. This assures safety for all of our students.



## Before School Supervision

Please remember that there is not supervision on the playground until 8:00am Monday through Thursday, and until 9:00am on Fridays. There is an increasing number of students on the playground prior to that time. Help us to keep all students safe by having students on time, but not too early!