

A graphic with a blue background and white clouds. The text "Open House" is in blue with a yellow outline, "2022" is in yellow on a red trapezoidal background, and "Mrs. Banks" is in blue with a yellow outline.

Open House

2022

Mrs. Banks



## About Me

- I'm from Millbrook. I graduated from Huntingdon College (cum laude), and The University of West Alabama. I have degrees in Pre-Law, Elementary Education, and a Master's Degree in Counseling. I am also a Certified Fitness Instructor.
- I am married, and my husband and I have a Maltipoo named Mallie Kate and a Mini Goldendoodle named Max.
- I love all things DISNEY, Alabama football, working out, TARGET, Starbucks, and all the naps.

\***Daily Schedule** -I will send home as soon as possible.

\***"SMORE'S Binder"** - "Left" side LEAVE at home. "Right" side (color sheet protector) bring "right" back to school.

\***Zipper Pouch for \$\$\$ envelopes:** ALL money must be placed in a labeled envelope. I cannot accept anything that is NOT labeled.

\***Reading materials:** Weekly Reading Packet will be placed in binders on Monday. Complete a section every night. Read the weekly story and Spelling/Sight words NIGHTLY!

\***Behavior sheets:** initial daily

\*Items will be added to the binder periodically.

\***Graded Papers/Important Papers:** will be placed in a color sheet protector. Anything in this sheet protector needs to be signed and returned ASAP.

# Binders

# Grades

## \*Reading

- 60% Major Grades (Weekly reading test)
- 40% Minor Grades (various activities to practice tested skills)

## \*Math

- 60% Major Grades (Test at the end of each topic)
- 40% Minor Grades (Various activities to practice tested skills, timed math fact fluency)

\*Language -Spelling Tests/Grammar Tests will be major grades.

\*Science, Social Studies -S,N,U



## Behavior System

Please see information included in your folder. Our behavior system is located on my website, and a copy is located in your Open House Packet.

## Class Dojo

We will be using Class Dojo this year! **KEEP THE APP UPDATED!**

Please sign up today while you are here! This is my main source of communication.



\*Please send ALL money in an envelope with your child's name, reason for money, amount, and teacher's name. Place in ZIPPER POUCH INSIDE THE BINDER! The office will not take money to deliver to the classroom.

\* Money will not be taken unless it is in an envelope or Ziploc bag with the above information. EXACT CHANGE ONLY! I do not have the ability to make change for you! \*All money must be taken up before 8:15. • When writing a check, it must be for the exact amount. We cannot send change home for a check written over the needed amount. •

\*Book orders are done online.



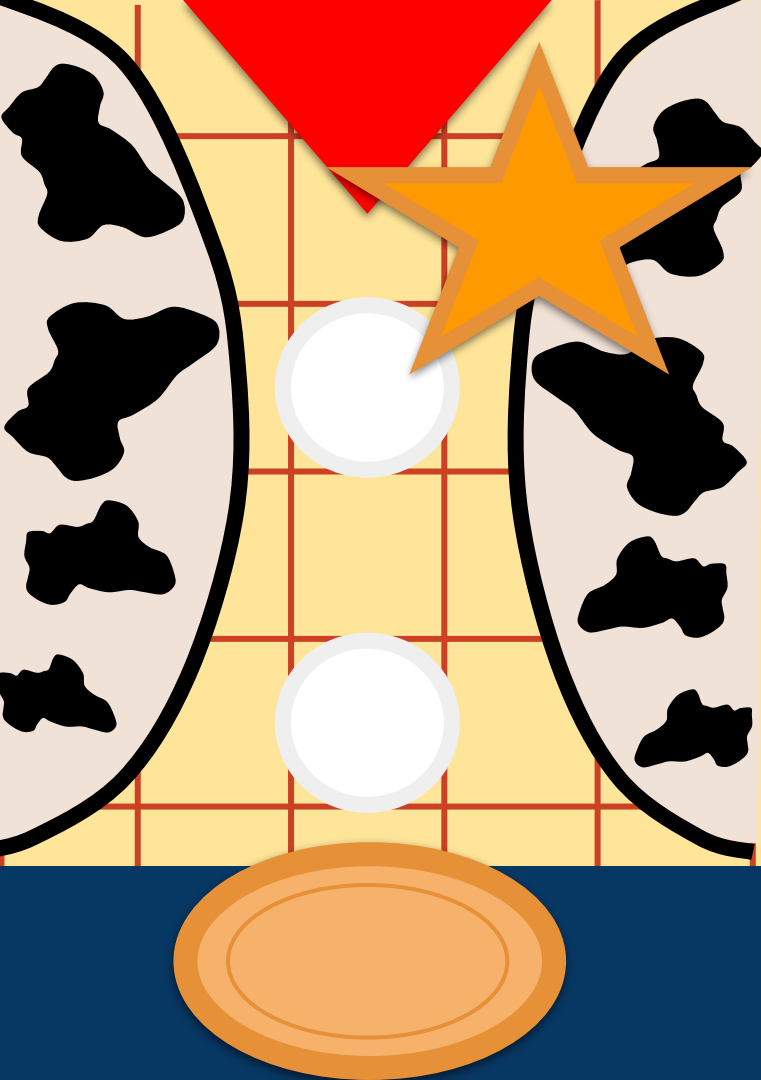
# Lunch and Snack

\*\*\* Breakfast is FREE to all students this year.

\*\*\*\* Lunch is NOT free anymore. Please fill out the lunch application on our school website (2.75 per day)

- Checks written for lunch are written to DPES.
- Snacks can be purchased with cash only-exact change, a day at a time.

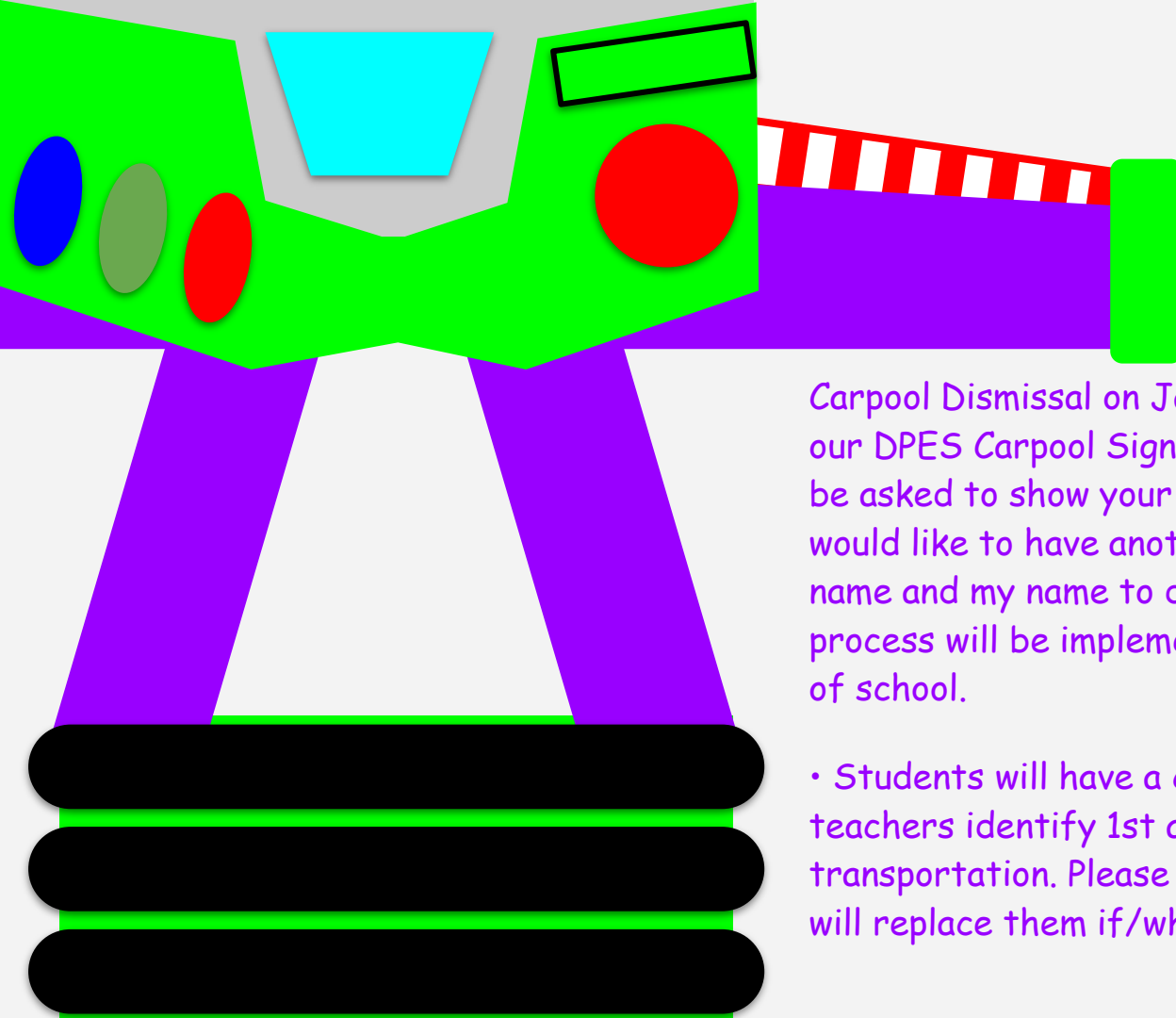




## Arrival

- You must have a carpool tag in your car
- Enter for carpool off of Jay St. (Sheila Blvd.) or McQueen Smith Road.
- Carpool drop off starts at 7:15 and ENDS AT 7:55. Please do not leave before you see the person supervising drop-off. **NO DROP OFFS IN THE FRONT LOT!**

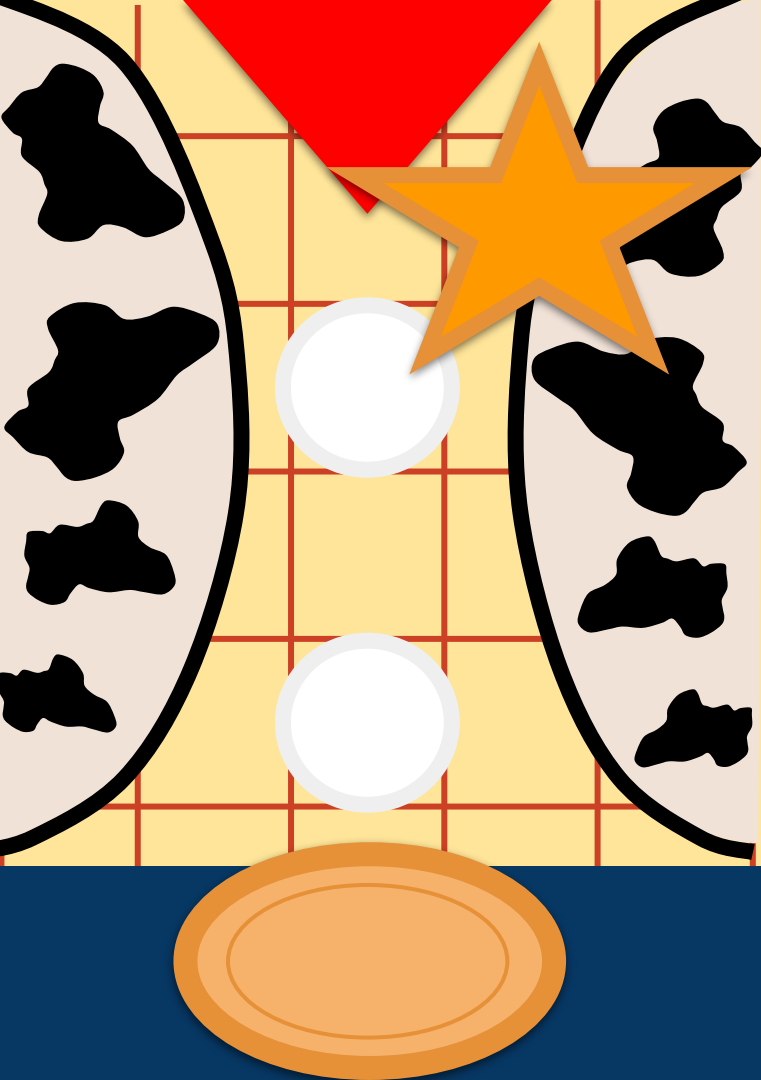




# Dismissal

Carpool Dismissal on Jay St (in afternoon): Please display our DPES Carpool Sign. If you do not have a sign, you will be asked to show your ID. If you do not have one, or would like to have another one, please email your child's name and my name to [dpescarpool@acboe.net](mailto:dpescarpool@acboe.net). This process will be implemented beginning the first full week of school.

- Students will have a color-coded tag. This will help all teachers identify 1st and 2nd graders' mode of afternoon transportation. Please leave them on your child's bag. I will replace them if/when they are damaged.



## Dismissal Continued:

- Walkers dismiss from the front Green Hall doors. Please meet your walker at the designated spot.
- **Transportation Changes must be made in writing. I will send them to the office. *NO DOJO TEXTS OR EMAILS WILL BE ACCEPTED.***
- No "check-outs" after 2:30.

# Communication

- The best way to contact me is through email and Class Dojo. We have 24 hours to respond to your email/phone calls.
- You can call the school at 361- 6400 and leave a message with the office staff. I will not receive it until my planning time.
- Weekly newsletters & graded papers will be sent home on Mondays or Tuesdays.
- Sign up for Notify Me on the school website!
- My school email address is [lindsay.banks@acboe.net](mailto:lindsay.banks@acboe.net)
- The school website is [www.dpeseagles.com](http://www.dpeseagles.com)
- Daniel Pratt Elementary School Facebook page



## Extra Information

\* **MEDICINE:** Parents must fill out a form and return it with any medicine taken during the school day to the nurse.. Students may not deliver the medicine. Cough drops are alright, just let me know and don't share!

\***BIRTHDAYS/Parties:** Single serve goodies

# CREDITS

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