

# DAVIS PARENT NURSERY SCHOOL ASSOCIATION

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The Davis Parent Nursery School (DPNS) is a parent cooperative nursery school in association with the Davis Joint Unified School District Adult Education Program, and has been in continuous operation since 1949. At DPNS, children learn valuable social skills while enjoying stimulating, play-based educational activities. Their parents acquire knowledge about effective parenting skills while experiencing the joy of being involved in their child's education. This experience provides a sound basis for both parent and child as the child continues his or her schooling.

DPNS offers your child a rich program of activities under the direction of professionally trained Davis Joint Unified School District teachers. At nursery school, children have a chance to explore the world around them through first-hand experiences. A wide variety of materials and activities are provided for this purpose. Playground and climbing structures help define and exercise large muscles. Puzzles and small toys help to develop small muscles and coordination. Blocks and housekeeping areas provide occasions for replaying life situations, and music, art and handicraft opportunities offer broad aesthetic and cultural experiences. In addition to all this, there are many special activities - cooking and science projects, interesting visitors, field trips, etc. - to further broaden each child's experience.

Parents of DPNS children also receive many benefits through participation in the program. DPNS parents are assured that their child is getting the finest available nursery school experience. Parent education classes allow parents to have discussions with professionals and other parents on topics ranging from sibling rivalry to first aid to children's books. Classroom participation gives parents the valuable opportunity to observe their child's learning and social styles. This knowledge will help parents in making informed choices about their child's academic future. More important, it nourishes the parent/child relationship at school and at home. Finally, DPNS offers parents the opportunity to meet and form lasting friendships with other parents of children the same age. There is a strong sense of community at DPNS, and we look out for each other long after our children move on to Elementary School. It is true that parents must give of their time, energy and talents to make this cooperative program successful, but they will find that it is well worth the effort! We invite you and your child to share in the warm and supportive atmosphere that makes DPNS so unique.

## SESSIONS OFFERED FOR THE 2010 - 2011 SCHOOL YEAR

| Location  | Session                 | Days & Times                     | Eligible Ages<br>(Birthdays between...) | Maximum<br>Class Size | Tuition / Mo<br><i>Subject to Change</i> |
|---|-------------------------|----------------------------------|---|-----------------------|--|
| <b>Central Davis<br/>426 West<br/>8<sup>th</sup> Street</b> | Pre-K                   | Mon –Th, 1-4:00 pm               | May 2005 – Aug 2006                     | 22                    | \$254                                    |
|   | 5-Day Morning           | Mon – Fri, 9-11:45 am            | Dec 2005 – May 2007                     | 29                    | \$299                                    |
|   | Mixed Age<br>Playgroups | Fri, 1-2:30 pm<br>Fri, 3-4:30 pm | Age: 15 mo – 2y3m<br><u>upon entry</u>  | 11                    | \$42                                     |
| <b>South Davis<br/>1447 Danbury<br/>Street</b>              | 2-Day Morning           | Tu/Th, 9-11:30 am                | May 2007 – May 2008                     | 24                    | \$125                                    |
|   | 3-Day Morning           | M/W/F, 9 am-12 pm                | Dec 2005 – Nov 2007                     | 29                    | \$192                                    |
|   | Older Playgroup         | Mon, 1-2:30 pm                   | Nov 2007 – Aug 2008                     | 11                    | \$42                                     |
|   | Mixed Age<br>Playgroup  | Mon, 3-4:30 pm                   | Age: 15 mos – 2y3m<br><u>upon entry</u> | 11                    | \$42                                     |

For additional information, please visit our website ([www.davisparentnurseryschool.com](http://www.davisparentnurseryschool.com)) or call 757-5377 and leave a message for the Registrar. Partial tuition assistance may be available for families in need.