Welcome Back Aviators!

Our mission is to have all students at Davis Middle School improve academic achievement in the areas of math, reading, and writing as measured by district and state assessments in preparation for high school, college, career, and life.

My name is Dan Bartels. I am proud to serve the students, staff, and community as the principal of Davis Middle School. The 19-20 school year will be our 7th year. We are looking forward to serving 750 students in grades 6, 7 and 8. We are excited to start our mission. See below for school start dates:

August 14th (Wednesday)  1st Day of School for Students in 6th Grade Only  7:40 a.m. - 3:05 p.m.
August 15th (Thursday)   1st Day of School for all students           7:40 a.m. - 3:05 p.m.

At Davis Middle School, we are proud to provide all students a safe and secure learning environment that is grounded in the academic fundamentals. The Davis staff works diligently to determine student needs and talents on an individual basis. Instruction is differentiated to maximize each student’s opportunities to achieve at their very highest potential. Expectations at Davis are high for all students in the classroom, at all school functions, and in the community.

This year we are asking you to update your Student and Family Information forms at Davis during our Back-to-School Orientation. Your preprinted forms will be available at the first station as you enter the cafeteria. We’d like to encourage all parents and students to attend. The orientation dates are as follows:

August 8th (Thursday)   NEW Students to Davis Orientation  3:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.
August 12th (Monday)    RETURNING Students to Davis Orientation  3:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.

Please visit the Davis web site (davis.ops.org) for orientation documents including PTO, health, sports, meal applications and school pictures, etc. You will find specific links pertaining to your student here as well. To make your visit more efficient, please print, complete and bring the forms with you to Back-to-School Orientation.

As the principal of Davis Middle School, I want to welcome you to our school. To help us achieve our goals, I encourage you to involve yourself in your child’s ongoing educational development. Close cooperation between students, staff, parents, and the community is vital in the success of our students at Davis. We truly believe it takes an entire village to educate a child. If you have any questions or need information not found on the Davis website (davis.ops.org), I encourage you to call the school at 531-299-2340.

Remember, Davis is where a student’s future takes off.

Sincerely,

Dan Bartels
Principal