# DDMS NEWSPAPER Welcome Back

**ISSUE 1** 

John D. Rockefeller, the first billionaire of the United States and once the richest man on Earth was asked by a reporter, "How much money is enough?" He calmly replied, "Just a little bit more".



I think we all feel that way about summer too! We all want just a little bit more!

### WANT TO BE FEATURED IN THE NEXT EDITION OF THE DDMS NEWSPAPER?

We are looking for students to have their work published in the upcoming editions of the DDMS Newspaper. If you are interested in writing an article to be published in the newspaper, we would love to have you! Topics should be related to school and DDMS. They can include....

- 1. Upcoming events
- 2. Your opinion about something going on in school
- 3. Sports/clubs/activities
- 4. Any anything else you can think of school related

You can submit articles at anytime! Please type them using Google Docs and share them with Mr. Batista at batistar@dvsd.org. Space in the newspaper is limited, so keep your articles to five paragraphs or less. Your article may be picked for the next edition! Teachers, you can submit things too!

Be on the lookout for the upcoming newspapers. Features this year will include a new section called "How to succeed in school", and everyone's favorite, "Do you recognize this picture?"

## HOW TO SUCCEED IN SCHOOL

#### Must be present to win

**Be in school, on time, every day.** When you miss school, you miss lectures, notes, class discussions, assignments, quizzes, and tests. It doesn't matter how good you are about making up your work, you can never make up all of what you miss, even if you're out of school for only one day. To be successful, you must be in school every day. Unless you have an extended illness or a chronic health problem, you should miss no more than **five or six days of school a year**, or about **one day every marking period.** Remember, period 1 starts at 8am. Please make every effort to get to school before that time.

"Being on time means arriving 10 minutes early" -Trevor Woodruff, Bucknell University Women's Basketball Coach (and former DDMS Teacher)

"Half the battle is showing up" -Stephen Hawking

#### Things that don't require any knowledge, skills, or ability

Here is a list of things you can do to help you succeed in school, that don't require any knowledge, skills, or ability.

- Being present and on time
- Having a pencil and your materials
- Trying your best
- Having a positive attitude
- Taking the teacher's advice/being teachable

## **DO YOU RECOGNIZE THIS PICTURE?**

This is a closeup picture of something at DDMS. Do you know where this is? If so, fill in the spaces below and have your teacher put that in Mr. Batista's mailbox. Winners will be announced in the next newspaper. Students and teachers can submit answers.



| Name   |  |
|--------|--|
| Grade  |  |
| Answer |  |