

*Welcome to the Diamond Mind*

**DIAMOND VALLEY**

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Dear Students and Parents:

Welcome to Diamond Valley Middle School! Our staff is committed to making the 2019-2020 school year an exciting and demanding one where each student is pushed to reach their full potential. The DVMS teaching staff is equipped with experience and fully trained to help support our students with the Common Core State Standards and the rigor that goes along with them. At DVMS we will foster and support a student-centered approach, which centers around the concept of a “Diamond Mind”. It is our goal to help each student discover the treasure of learning and the value of being prepared to take on the challenges waiting for them after graduation. In each student lies a “Diamond Mind”. We are excited to partner with you to help your child become more successful academically, socially and emotionally.

At Diamond Valley Middle School, we will provide the essential components of a quality school program. Diamond Valley will be utilizing recently adopted SBE curriculum in ELA and Math to deliver high quality teaching and learning experiences. In addition, we will pilot new History curriculum, as well as utilize Rigorous Curriculum design units in science. DVMS is excited to offer before and after school tutoring every day for any student who needs support. In addition to providing academic support, we offer a variety of extracurricular activities to meet the interests of our student body, and we highly encourage all student to become involved.

Parents, we would like to personally encourage and challenge you to become actively involved in your child’s middle school education. Research shows that your involvement will have a will have a positive lasting impact. We welcome you to the DVMS family and encourage you to participate as often as possible. We are excited to launch our PTSA and are looking for parents that are willing to partner with us. For our non-English speaking parents, we offer an English Language Advisory Committee (ELAC) to help keep all parents informed and involved. If you are interested in the PTSA, ELAC, or volunteering, please stop by the office to sign up. There is no stronger team than staff, students, and parents working together to provide a safe, rigorous and meaningful education for our students!

On behalf of all the DVMS staff and faculty, we would like to personally welcome our students to the 2019-2020 school year. We encourage you to join in the strong tradition of school spirit and DVMS pride! We will be here with you every step of the way. We encourage you to study hard, get involved early and often and enjoy these middle school years. We will provide you with all of the necessary tools for immediate and long-term success, however, it will be your responsibility to pick the tools up and use them.

We couldn’t be more excited to participate in a year full of social, emotional, and academic growth with you. Have a great year and GO DIAMONDBACKS!

We look forward to a wonderful school year. If you have questions, please contact the school at 951-925-2899.

Sincerely,

Jonathon Workman  
Principal