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Principal's Message

Students and families,

We are in our final push of the school year. We only have seven weeks left of the school year. It has been such a blessing to see the incredible growth and development of the students over the course of this year. I encourage each of you to keep working hard and doing your best to the end. It is a great time to be a part of Vista with all of the year-end activities. Check the calendar to see what events you can be a part of.

Sam Gibbs
Principal/Director



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www.vistautah.com

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[Calendar Link](#)

SCHOOL HOURS
Monday - Thursday 8:25am - 3:05pm
Early out Friday 8:25am - 12:55pm

A/B Schedule
Mondays and Wednesdays = A Day
Tuesdays and Thursdays = B Day
Fridays = A or B Day

Check the school calendar to know whether a Friday is an A or B Day

Kindergarten Hours:

Junior Engineering and Science Fair



From 18 awards last year to an incredible 34 awards this year, Vista students traveled to SUU in Cedar City to compete in the Junior Engineering and Science Fair.

Sage End-of-Level Testing

Reading/Listening begins next week

Spring Dance Concerts

Dance Concerts featuring Apprentice, Corps, and Principal Dance Companies, and 3rd, 4th, and 5th Grade dance classes will be on Fri Apr 27 and Sat Apr 28, at 6:00pm. Tickets will be available online at <https://bpt.me/3389739> (adults \$5, youth \$3) beginning Sat Apr 7 at 9:00am.

Art Extravaganza

Our school-wide Art Extravaganza will be held on Mon April 23 from 5:30-7:30pm, a fun evening to raise funds for kiln supplies for art classes. Art from local artists will be auctioned. Admission is only \$1.00. Families can enjoy making fun crafts. Refreshments will be available at low cost.

Your help is needed: <http://www.signupgenius.com/go/60b0f44a5ad22a46-artextravaganza3>

Yearbooks

Don't miss your chance to order a 2017-2018 yearbook. PURCHASING AND PERSONALIZATION MUST BE COMPLETE BY FRIDAY APRIL 20! (If you purchase after this date, your book(s) will be shipped to your home and are not guaranteed to arrive by yearbook signing day). Vista will not have extra books available for sale - all books must be pre-ordered by the Friday April 20. Click here for more information: www.vistautah.com/yearbook.

- M-TH: AM 8:25-11:10am * PM 12:20 - 3:05pm
- Friday: 8:25 - 12:55 AM-A Days * PM-B Days

The doors to Vista School will open at 8:15 am each morning. Please do not drop off students before that time

Talent Show Auditions

Auditions will be held on Mon Apr 9, 3:15-5:30pm for all grades. Look for the sign-up table outside the front office. Share your talents!



Vista Conservatory Classes

Payment is now due to complete semester fees and can be made online at www.vistautah.com/payments or by cash or check to Vista School's front office.

Summer program information coming soon!



PTO Corner

Color Fun Run will be on Fri April 13 from 5:00-8:00pm at Vista. Plan on an evening of great fun: 5K Run, bike races, color throws and more!

Splash Bash is scheduled for Thurs May 24 from 2:30-5:30pm at the Washington City Community Center.

Stay in the know with the PTO:

Website: <https://www.vistautah.com/pto>

Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/vistapto>

Email: pto@vistautah.com

Calendar Change

In a change from the magnet calendar, Fri April 27 will be a B Day.

2018-2019 School Year Dates

- First Day of School: Mon Aug 13
- New Parent Orientation: Thurs Aug 9, 5:00-6:00pm
- Back to School Night: Thurs Aug 9, 6:00-8:00pm

Uniform Code

Please use the following link to review the uniform policy. We are a uniform school. Please help your student to be in uniform every day. Be aware of the length of dresses, skirts and shorts, no holes in pants, sweatshirts must be Vista approved.

<http://www.vistautah.com/uniform-code>

T-shirt donations needed

Vista is in need of T-shirt donations in all colors for our Art Extravaganza. Size large is preferred, with no side seams, used or new. Please bring donations to the office as soon as possible. Questions, contact Ms. Lorentzen at elorentzen@vistautah.com.

Student Photos

During the month of April Vista's Student Council wants to celebrate the Vista students. Student Council will be making a display in the main hall where they will put up photos of Vista students. If your child would like their photo(s) displayed, please send them with a copy of the photo to give to Mrs. Richins or e-mail a photo to richins@vistautah.com. Photos will not be returned so please be sure it is a copy.

Kite Festival

K-5th grade students have received the Kite Festival Reading Chart, a program that rewards students for reading. The Kite Festival will be held Sat April 21 from 10am-6pm at Dixie State University. Extra copies of the reading chart are available in the front office. Each child needs to complete the chart to receive a free kite or free book.

Pick-up/Drop-off

Pick-up and Drop-off is in red and blue zones. In the blue zone for pick-up only, the divide from one lane to two lanes is by last name, is: A-L and M-Z. Click the link below, followed by clicking the Traffic Map button to view. The link also includes a pick-

up/drop-off tutorial. <https://www.vistautah.com/parents/traffic-carpool-and-transportation>

Jamba Juice Fundraiser

Jamba Juice discount cards are available at the front office! \$10 for buy one smoothie get one free (up to six times, value \$35). Payment can be made online at www.vistautah.com/payments or by cash or check to Vista School's front office.

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