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Carbon Valley Academy's Online Newsletter

August 2011

## From Principal Gjellum's Desk

Dear CVA Community,

Despite the heat of summer continuing to permeate our days, it is time to welcome you to the new school year and, if you are new to Carbon Valley Academy (CVA), welcome you to our community. I have received a warm welcome from staff, students, and parents alike. Clearly, CVA conveys a strong sense of community and offers a supportive atmosphere. Thank you!

As your new principal, I am committed to maintaining the standards of excellence that make CVA an inspirational, nurturing place for all community members – especially our students. Things might look and feel a bit different this year as we get to know each other and learn how to work together. We will continue to follow the communications pathways in our on-going effort to facilitate win-win solutions and create a safe, productive learning environment.

I am excited about our potential and our possibilities. In fact, the faculty and I are already working together to again produce great results at every level and for every student. Our success is dependent on a strong home-school connection and everyone working together. Carbon Valley Academy is so very blessed to have parents that are involved in the education of their children.

I am looking forward to speaking with every student, staff member, and parent or guardian, whether it is in person, via the newsletters, at Back to School Nights, or one of our many school events. Having parent or guardian feedback and involvement is critical to our success, and I welcome the opportunity to connect with you.

Thank you in advance, for choosing our school to educate your child. We are fortunate to be here together and make this our best year yet.

Lisa Gjellum  
Principal  
Carbon Valley Academy



## New Faces at CVA

The new school year brings new faces to CVA. We're excited to welcome the following new teachers:

Ms. Wyatt – Middle School Language Arts/Social Studies  
 Ms. Scofield – Technology  
 Ms. Vancura – Music  
 Ms. Bobbitt – Spanish  
 Mr. Ramsaur – Physical Education

Also look for some of the CVA teachers to be in new classrooms this year!

Mrs. Gjellum is the new principal. If you haven't met her yet, please introduce yourself at Back to School Night or stop by the school some time to meet her.

## First Day of School is August 17<sup>th</sup>

The first day of the 2011/2012 school year is just days away! We'll see everyone back in the classrooms on August 17<sup>th</sup>. Carbon Valley Academy will be posting important information on our Facebook page as well as sending out information via email.

For your convenience, we have attached the 2011/2012 school calendar and supply list to this newsletter (page 3 and 4, respectively).

Also attached is information about CVA's Uniform Exchange and Sale Program. You can get great deals on used uniforms for your kids and donate clothes that no longer fit your children (page 6).

And finally, if you need to purchase new uniforms for your children, information about where you can purchase uniforms locally is also attached to this newsletter (page 8).

## Important Dates

**August 16<sup>th</sup>** – Back to School Night – 5:30 – 7:30 pm; starts in the CVA gym

**August 17<sup>th</sup>** – First Day of School in 2011/2012 School Year; BooHoo Breakfast starts at 8:30 am

**August 18<sup>th</sup>** – Board of Directors Meeting – 6:00 pm Work Session; 7:00 pm Regular Meeting

**September 5<sup>th</sup>** – Labor Day Holiday – No School

Carbon Valley Academy is on Facebook! It's a great way to get up-to-date information about what's happening at the school and connect with other members of the CVA Community. There is a link to our Facebook page on the home page of Carbon Valley Academy's website: [www.carbonvalleyacademy.org](http://www.carbonvalleyacademy.org).



# Carbon Valley Academy 2011-2012

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### Important Dates

- August 10-11, 2011** Classroom Preparation
- August 17, 2011** First Day of School for Students
- September 5, 2011** LABOR DAY
- November 21 - 25, 2011** THANKSGIVING BREAK
- Dec 19, 2011 - Jan 2, 2012** WINTER BREAK
- January 16, 2012** MARTIN LUTHER KING DAY
- February 20, 2012** PRESIDENT'S DAY
- March 26 - 30, 2012** SPRING BREAK
- May 25, 2012** LAST DAY OF SCHOOL (1/2 day)  
Dismissal @ 12:00 p.m.

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### NON-STUDENT CONTACT DAYS

- \* 9 Professional Development Days
- \* 2 Conference Days - October 14, 2011 and March 9, 2012
- \* Please check with your child's teacher for specific times of conferences
- \* If for any reason this calendar must be altered, the CVA Administration may schedule makeup dates on Saturdays, during scheduled school breaks, and/or at the end of the present calendar.

### STUDENT CONTACT DAYS

- 1<sup>st</sup> Quarter 40
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Quarter 39
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Quarter 44
- 4<sup>th</sup> Quarter 48
- 171 Student contact Days**

### LEGEND

-  School Closed
-  Non-Student Contact Day/No School (8)
-  Staff Orientation
-  First and Last days of School
-  Beginning of Quarter
-  Parent Teacher Conferences (2)
-  End of Quarter

Notes: Very Similar to SVVSD but has CVA full day Professional Development days

Vacation days are generally coordinated with SVVSD calendar.



<p style="text-align: center;"><u>½ Day Kindergarten</u></p> <p>1 boxes #2 pencils (24 ct)          1 bottles washable glue          1 boxes washable markers          10 glue sticks          1 child safety scissors          1 water bottle **          2 folders **          1 clipboard **          1 bottle hand sanitizer          2 box Kleenex          2 roll paper towels          1 containers disinfectant wipes (i.e. Lysol, Clorox)          2 containers hand wipes (baby wipes)          2 boxes ziplock bags (1gal, 1qt)          1 box crayons          **Please write your child’s name on these items</p> <p>Donations of any of the following will be much appreciated: Sequins, beads (1/2 in or larger), feathers, erasers, paper plates, sand toys, games, paper cups (5oz), tape (scotch), card stock, puzzles, computer paper, etc...</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Full Day Kindergarten</u></p> <p>20 glue sticks          2 box washable markers          1 roll of paper towels          1 container of hand wipes          2 boxes of tissues          2 folders with pockets (red &amp; blue)          1 box Ziploc bags          1 pencil box **          water bottle**          1 one inch 3 ring binder with pockets**</p> <p>1 child safety scissors          2 box crayons (24ct)          2 containers Clorox wipes          1 box #2 pencils          1 bottle glue          1 bottle of sanitizer          1 pack dry erase markers          1 clipboard**</p> <p>**Please write your child’s name on these items</p> <p>Donations of any of the following will be much appreciated: Extra snacks, stickers, watercolors, beads, playdoh, white cardstock, Dixie cups, sand toys, washable ink pads, googly eyes, computer paper.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>First Grade</u></p> <p>2 pkg. of 24 pencils (sharpened)          1 pkg. 24 count crayons          3 wide ruled spiral notebooks          4 dry erase markers          1 bottle washable school glue          1 9” X 12” clip board          1 highlighter (any color)          1 roll paper towels</p> <p>3 large pick erasers          2 pocket folders          2 containers of disinfectant wipes          4 large glue sticks          3 pkg. washable markers          1 pair Fiskar scissors          1 pencil box</p> <p><b>Boys only</b> – 3 boxes of tissue, 1 ream copy paper, 1 box gallon Ziploc bags  <b>Girls only</b> –1 pkg. multi-colored construction paper (non-tablet), 1 box quart Ziploc bags, 1 pkg. sticky notes and 1 roll scotch tape</p> <p>** Donations of any of the following items would be much appreciated: Sequins, beads, feathers, tracing paper, pipe cleaners, stickers, wiggle eyes, brown paper lunch bags, paper plates, stationary, envelopes, cardstock paper, and stencils.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Second Grade</u></p> <p><b><u>Personal items labeled with name</u></b>          1 box washable crayons          2 glue sticks          1 box of washable markers          2 big pink erasers          1 small pencil sharpener          5 durable colored folders with pockets (red, green, blue, purple &amp; yellow)          2 3-ring binder notebooks with inside pockets (1 inch)          2 bottles of glue (may be kept at home for future supply)          1 wide ruled spiral notebook with holes to put in binder          1 large drawing tablet (spiral bound preferred) containing blank white paper          1 clipboard</p> <p><b><u>Shared items</u></b>          1 pkg. dry erase markers          1 sm package of model magic          1 pkg. white copy paper to share with school</p> <p>1 pair of fiskar scissors          1 ruler with inches and centimeters          1 plastic pencil box          4 boxes #2 pencils          1 boxes of tissue</p> <p><b><u>Classroom donations</u></b>          Disinfecting wipes, board games, play grounds equipment, clipboards, construction paper.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Third Grade</u></p> <p><b><u>Personal items to be labeled with child’s name:</u></b>          1 box crayons          1 pair scissors          5 folders with pockets (red, blue, yellow, &amp; any style of your choice)          4 plain spiral notebooks (red, blue, yellow, 1 style of your choice – wide ruled)</p> <p><b><u>Shared Items:</u></b>          1 bottle of glue          2 pkgs wide ruled notebook paper          3 pkg dry erase markers          1 pkg multi colored construction paper (non-tablet)          3 pkgs of 24 count #2 pencils (papermate/Ticonderoga preferred)</p> <p><b><u>Optional Items:</u></b>          1 roll paper towels          1 ream printer paper          1 container of Model Magic          1 container antibacterial wipes</p> <p>1 box colored pencils          1 small pencil box          2 glue sticks          1 pkg 3X5” index cards          3 boxes tissues          1 box Zip-lock bags          1 pkg Post-it-notes          1roll scotch tape</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Fourth Grade</u></p> <p><b><u>Personal item to be labeled with child’s name:</u></b>          1 backpack          1 box colored pencils          1 individual pencil sharpener with shaving catcher          1 composition notebook (black and white speckled, wide ruled)          2 spiral notebooks (wide ruled, single subject)          3 binders with clear plastic overlay (room for paper in front)          5 pocket folders without brads (red, yellow, green, blue, purple)</p> <p><b><u>Shared item:</u></b>          1 pkg. washable markers          1 pair scissors          1 container disinfectant wipes          2 pkg. erasers          3 highlighters          3pkg. wide ruled notebook paper</p> <p>1 plastic pencil box/bag          1 clipboard          1 ruler (inches/centimeters)          1 box Kleenex          2 glue sticks          2 pkg. dry erase markers          6 pkg. #2 pencils</p> <p><b><u>Optional items:</u></b>          Extra pkg. of pencils, construction paper, paper towels, Ziploc bags, 3 x 5 index cards, post-its, scotch tape.</p>



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 303-774-9555  
 2011-2012 Supply Lists

<u>Fifth Grade</u>	<u>Middle School</u>
<p>6 pkgs wooden #2 pencils            1 binders            3 pink pearl erasers            3 pkgs lined index cards            4 box tissues            1 pencil bag (not a box)            1 pencil sharpener            6 pkgs wide ruled paper            6 pocket folders WITHOUT brads (red, blue, green, yellow, purple)            Pad of graph paper</p> <p><b>** OPTIONAL ITEMS**</b> (although these are not required, they would be very much appreciated. Please bring in what you are able to off this list)</p> <p>Roll of paper towels            Hand sanitizer</p>	<p>Loose-leaf notebook paper            4 composition notebooks (1per subject, each to be used exclusively for 1 class)            4 packet folders (1per subject, each to be used exclusively for 1 class)            1 pkg. pencils            1 pkg. colored pencils            1 pkg. 3 x 5 lined index cards</p> <p><b>Blue and /or black pens</b>  <b>Erasers</b>  <b>1 pkg. highlighters</b></p> <p><b>Shared items</b>            1 pkg. dry erase markers</p> <p><b>Optional Items</b>            Antibacterial cleaning wipes            Hand sanitizer            Tape</p> <p>2 boxes of tissues            Graph paper            Post-its</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Pre-school (Level I)</u></p> <p>4 glue sticks            1 bottle of 4oz Washable school glue            1 pkg. LARGE Crayola crayons            1 tray watercolor paints            1 pkg. dry erase markers            1 pkg. construction paper            1 pkg. copy paper (white or colored)            1 pkg. stickers            1 box Kleenex            2 rolls paper towels            1 pkg. of wet wipes and/or anti-bacterial wipes            1 box of 5 oz Dixie cups for snacks            1 box zip-lock bags (sandwich size)            Small lunch box or snack container that will fit into a backpack (labeled with name)            Backpack large enough for a 8 ½ x 11 folder (labeled with name)            1 Complete change of clothes including underwear (put in a large ziplock labeled with child's name)</p> <p><b>**Preschool supplies are shared items and do not need to be labeled.</b></p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Pre-Kindergarten (level II)</u></p> <p>4 glue sticks            1 bottle of 4oz Washable school glue            1 pkg. fat or thin washable Crayola markers            1 tray watercolor paints            1 pkg. dry erase markers            1 pkg. construction paper            1 wide ruled spiral notebook 100 page (labeled with child's name in upper right hand corner)            1 pkg. copy paper (white or colored)            1 pkg. stickers            1 pkg. blank index cards            3 rolls paper towels            2 box of 5 oz Dixie cups for snacks            1 box zip-lock bags (gallon size)            Small lunch box or snack container that will fit into a backpack (labeled with name)            Backpack large enough for a 8 ½ x 11 folder (labeled with name)            1 Complete change of clothes including underwear (put in a large ziplock labeled with child's name)</p> <p><b>**Preschool supplies are shared items and do not need to be labeled.</b></p>

\*\*Some supplies may need to be replenished throughout the year.

\*\*Preschool is also in need of the following donated items: plastic spoons, white card stock, coffee filters, small brown paper lunch sacks, large and small paper plates, clear plastic solo cups, tissue paper, beads, roll of colored crepe paper, cotton balls, q-tips, clear contact paper



## Uniform Exchange and Sales Program

### Next Sale Dates:

**\*August 16<sup>th</sup> 5 P.M. – 8 P.M. at**

### Back to School Night

All proceeds go directly to: Carbon Valley Academy

Receive credits for uniforms or towards volunteer hours

For any uniform needs or questions, email us at: [cvauniforms@cvamail.com](mailto:cvauniforms@cvamail.com)

\*We will be available at various school functions throughout the year but are happy to meet you at the school should you need. We also have a basket in the school lobby for your donations (be sure to fill out the donation form and we will keep track of your credits).

\*If you don't have email, fill out the form, place it in the basket and we will get back to you as soon as we can.

\*Remember that scholarships are available for all reduced lunch students. See Janet Enderle.

Shop your school first for your uniform needs and find HUGE savings.

Watch the CVA website and Facebook page for future sales

↔**TURN OVER...SEE OTHER SIDE**↔

**Uniforms – Uniforms – Uniforms!!!**

We are always collecting uniforms in the CVA lobby  
Clean out your closets, get uniform credits and/or  
volunteer hours!

1. Drop off only uniform items that are in the condition you would want to buy them (no stains, tears or holes).
2. Fill out the form and place it in the box or bag with your items
3. You will receive credit for each item. You can choose to use these credits to buy other uniform items or put them towards your volunteer hours (each credit equals 15 min.)

If you want to shop the CVA Uniform store, email us and we will schedule a time to meet you at CVA.

Beginning August 1<sup>st</sup>, we will be available to meet you at CVA. Simply email us at [cvauniforms@cvamail.com](mailto:cvauniforms@cvamail.com) to set up a time.

All tops are 1 credit/\$2.50

All bottoms and dresses are 2 credits/\$5.00

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# NEED UNIFORMS?

We are a CVA family with a local business and we have what you need for uniforms...

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White, Maroon, Navy POLO Short Sleeve - from \$9

White, Maroon, Navy POLO Long Sleeve - from \$11

White OXFORD *French Toast* Short Sleeve - from \$11

White OXFORD *French Toast* Long Sleeve - from \$11

White Girls POPLIN *French Toast* (button-up with rounded collar) Long Sleeve - from \$9

White Girls POPLIN *French Toast* (button-up with rounded collar) Short Sleeve - from \$8

\* Adult Polos available

*embroidered CVA logo... just add \$5*

Khaki, Navy *French Toast* PANTS - from \$15

Khaki, Navy *French Toast* SHORTS - from \$9

Khaki, Navy *French Toast* Pleated Scooter - from \$9

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Navy, Maroon Youth Crew neck SWEATSHIRT w/ CVA Logo - \$22

Navy, Maroon Adult SWEATSHIRTS Crew Neck w/ CVA Logo - \$28

Youth Navy, Maroon Hoodie SWEATSHIRT w/ CVA Logo - \$26

Adult Navy, Maroon SWEATSHIRTS Hoodie w/ CVA Logo - \$30



Youth Embroidered Navy Full Zip with Hood SWEATSHIRT - \$28

Adult Embroidered Navy SWEATSHIRTS Full Zip with Hood - \$35

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**Contact us today...**

**303-828-6665 ask for Dave**

**or [Dave@FishesStreetwear.com](mailto:Dave@FishesStreetwear.com)**

*proceeds from each item sold donated directly to CVA*