



Village Meadows Elementary Wellness Policy Report 2019-2020



Wellness goals **MET** this school year:

Nutrition

- ✓ Participation in meal programs is promoted to families at school.
- ✓ At least 10 Smarter Lunchroom Techniques are implemented.
- ✓ Fourth and fifth grades received monthly nutrition education lessons.
- ✓ Taste tests were offered.
- ✓ In-class food demonstrations were provided by Executive Chef Cory Oppold (partner with the Blue Watermelon Project).
- ✓ Maricopa County community partnership provided nutrition education to first grade.

Physical Activity

- ✓ Students are moderately to vigorously active 50% of class time during P.E. sessions.
- ✓ Students receive formal, age-appropriate P.E. sessions.
- ✓ At least 12 essential topics (including the physical, physiological, and social benefits of physical activity) are included in the curriculum.

Outreach/Staff Well-Being

- ✓ Families receive information about health promotion efforts.
- ✓ School promotes staff participation in health promotion programs.
- ✓ The benefits of and approaches to healthy eating and physical activity are promoted throughout the school year.
- ✓ School hosts a health/wellness fair/booth.



School Wellness Lead:

Angela Knope



Wellstyles Employee Wellness

Champion: Debbie Brown



School Health Advisory

Committee: Yes

Wellness goals **in progress:**



Physical activity (recess, PA breaks, and physical education) is not used or withheld as punishment for any reason

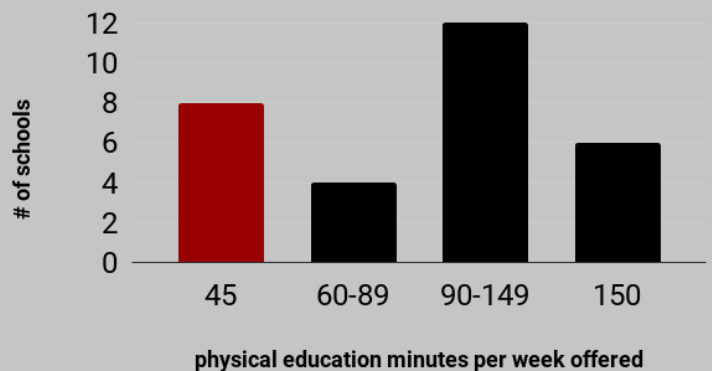


School Wellness Committee (SHAC) discusses wellness, disseminates resources, and supports other areas of staff wellness.



Teachers incorporate movement and kinesthetic learning approaches into “core” subjects whenever possible to reduce sedentary behavior during the day.

DVUSD K-5 Physical Education Minutes Per Week



* 150 minutes per week is the national recommendation. Red bar represents P.E. minutes offered at Village Meadows.



⇒ Each school’s completed Activity and Assessment Tool can be found at www.dvUSD.org — select the chef’s hat and choose “district assessment” below the wellness tab. Additional wellness resources are also available within the wellness tab.