

Sacopee Valley Elementary

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"The education all students deserve"

Welcome Letter 2015-2016

Welcome to Sacopee Valley Elementary School (SVES). We are a PreK-3 school serving the communities of Baldwin, Cornish, Hiram, Parsonsfield, and Porter. At Sacopee Valley Elementary School, we are a community of **HAWKS**. Our students are helpful, kind, and safe learners who work hard and have great attitudes. Our staff provides a nurturing and engaging learning environment for all students.

H-Helpful
A-Awesome Attitude
W-Worker
K-Kind
S-Safe

- Learners who help themselves and help others whenever it is needed.
- Learners who are positive and accept responsibility for their actions.
- Learners who work and do their best everyday.
- Learners who use kind words and actions with everyone.
- Learners who follow the rules and make healthy choices to keep everyone and everything safe at school.

Our school goals for this year include:

1. Create and maintain a positive learning community where all members of the learning community feel safe, valued, and respected.
2. Students are attending school on a regular basis and are actively engaged in their learning.
3. Research-based instruction and standards-based assessments are utilized in every classroom with every learning opportunity.

To support these goals we are implementing standards-based report cards, participating in Count Me In- A Maine Attendance Initiative, School-wide expectations-HAWKS, and Standards-based instruction and assessment. We are excited to welcome back our veteran staff members and to offer a hearty welcome to our new staff members. We encourage parents and community members to participate in our school as volunteers, chaperones, or members of our Parent Teacher Club (PTC).

For information, please check out our school website at www.sad55.org/SHESweb or our tweets at [SVES@South Hiram Hawks](https://twitter.com/SVES@SouthHiramHawks).

We are looking forward to a great year!

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