

WELCOME TO THE TATANKA ROOM

“Language and culture tell children where they came from and who they are. Because birth to 5 is the time of developing an identity and a sense of self, it is essential that American Indian Head Start programs give children positive, rich, comprehensive, and affirming educational experiences grounded in the unique culture and language of the children.” - Office of Head Start

Welcome to Tatanka!! We are happy to have you in our class this year. Your teachers will be Mr K and Miss Awna. Each day we will spending time learning the Dakota Language and doing ALOT of play based learning. Please avoid sending your child in clothes that you don't want to get ruined as our curriculum is play based. (: With that being said we also ask you send your child with an extra set of clothes that can be kept at school. If you have any questions please feel free to email/call us.

We are here to help raise the next generation of Dakota Language Speakers and to promote school readiness by enhancing the social, emotional and cognitive development of the most at risk children.

Please find attached to this letter our daily schedule and “All About Me” for your teachers to get to know them a little more. We are so excited to see you face to face October 19th 2020!