



Carrolltowne Elementary

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Our Vision:

Carrolltowne Elementary is committed to ensuring each student acquires the skills and knowledge base necessary for life-long success. Individual student success will be achieved through hard work, collaboration, networking,

Our Mission:

The mission of Carrolltowne Elementary is to support and motivate students to become confident and responsible learners.

Principal's Corner

The early morning chill along with the intense blue evening skies validate that fall has finally arrived! So much has happened since those late August summer days. In fact, we have been very busy at Carrolltowne with establishing beginning of the year routines, revisiting the Cardinal R.U.L.E.s (Positive Behavior Intervention System or PBIS), the Wall Celebration, assessment, instruction and student (and, staff) re-adjustment to the school day.

Our PBIS team has been meeting every week to review the feedback and refine our Cardinal R.U.L.E.r incentive program. The R.U.L.E.r Store opened last week to an overwhelming crowd of students! We are looking at additional dates and times to meet the needs of our students for their R.U.L.E.r exchange. Students, parents and staff have given positive feedback about the changes made to our school-wide behavioral expectation program. Thank you for your honest feedback!

Staff have distributed **14, 773** RULERS in August and September; and,

1,210 RULERS in the cafeteria in September!

This has been a very busy month for our PTA and I want to thank the PTA Executive Board and each of our volunteers for their assistance with Open House, Volunteer Trainings, the Wall Celebration, Fun Run, School Store and Kindergarten "Boo-Hoo".

Our October, parent invitational conferences are underway with our next scheduled night on October 15th. Our November conference night, November 12th is for all other interested parents. You may call the office beginning **October 26th** to schedule a conference. Conference night will begin at 5 and end promptly at 8:30 for staff. The last conference of the evening will be scheduled at 8:15 p.m. Staff are available to conference with parents throughout the year whenever there is a parent or teacher cause for concern or celebration about student progress. Our plan is to formally schedule another round of conferences on the evening of January 21st. A reminder that due to the October, November and January

evening conferences, teachers will not be conducting conferences on November 23rd and 24th.

The first report card will be distributed **November 6th** and there will be a system-wide change in the way that your child's math and reading levels are reported. You will see a statement that reflects that your child 'is meeting/exceeding grade level expectations' or, that your child 'is not meeting grade level expectations'. This is a change from previous years' reporting statements. As always, if you have a specific question about your child's progress, please contact your child's teachers.

American Education Week is scheduled for **November 16th to 20th**. Additional information about that week will be coming home shortly.

Our next newsletter will be a combined November/December newsletter. Please be sure to check our school and PTA websites for updated information throughout the year.

Wishing everyone healthy fall days!

Mrs. Ball

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Dates to Remember:

- Oct 6 —Parent/Teacher Conferences (Teacher Requested)**
- Oct 9—IDENT-A-KID Program**
- Oct 12—Spirit Day, Fall Colors Day**
- Oct 15—FUN RUN**
- Oct 15 —Parent/Teacher Conferences (Teacher Requested)**
- Oct 16—Schools Closed for students and 10 month staff**
- Oct 20—FUN RUN RAINDATE**
- Oct 22—Nov 3—Book Fair**
- Oct 29—2 Hour and 45 Minute System Wide EARLY DISMISSAL, Dismiss at 1:00 PM. ECSN students DO NOT attend.**
- Oct 30—Second Marking Period Begins**
- Oct 30—Spirit Day, Black & Orange Day**
- Nov 3—16—Spirit Wear Sale**
- Nov 5—Student Picture Make-up Day, 11:15-1:30**
- Nov 6—Spirit Day, Number Day**
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- Nov 16—20—American Education Week**



Counselor's Corner

Happy fall! I hope this newsletter finds everyone getting back into the groove of school! I know that with the start of school, and the start of sports, and clubs, etc., the stress we took all summer to get rid of can creep back into the forefront. I thought I would take this portion of the newsletter to share some de-stress tips. If this is your first time reading the newsletter, many times my October letter includes what my role is at Carrolltowne. Now all that information is available on the Carrolltowne School Website: <http://www.carrollk12.org/ces/> under "School Counselor". Please feel free to peruse that information at your convenience.

Last year I found a wonderful resource called *Be the Boss of Your Stress: Self-Care for Kids* by Timothy Culbert, M.D., and Rebecca Ka-

jander, CPNP, MPH. It is about recognizing how your mind, body, and spirit work together in order to help you feel your best. It also emphasizes the importance or the "power" of the positive. Culbert and Kajander say that "people who:

- eat well and get enough exercise and sleep
- think positively and believe they can help themselves
- feel hopeful, peaceful, and supported by loved ones

have an easier time handling stress... to successfully be the boss of your body it's important that you make the choice to do it."

We all know that stress can give us headaches and stomachaches, make us lose sleep, change our appetite,

and interact differently with loved ones. Culbert and Kajander recommend "Six Quick Tips to Sack Stress":

1. Talk to someone you love and trust.
2. Stay positive.
3. Have a laugh!
4. Stay active and have fun.
5. Take care of yourself.
6. Stick with your daily routines.

Remember that it is important to recognize when you or your children are stressed, and to make a point to do something to counteract or change those feelings. As parents, we are the coaches and models for healthy ways to deal with stress and worry. So, grab a funny movie, or do some easy yoga moves, but show your children that we can handle it – together!

Carroll County Volunteer Program: Making a Difference!

Level II Volunteers (classroom helpers, tutors, chaperones, mentors, etc) are required to attend an annual training session at least seven (7) school days prior to volunteering. School Days are defined as days when schools are open for students. Many schools include volunteer training sessions with other school activities/events, so look for dates and times in school newsletters and e-school updates. Volunteer training obtained during the 2008-2009 school year was only valid through *September 30, 2009*. Trainings are held throughout the county. **Refer to the link below for additional training dates.**

Thanks in advance for supporting student achievement by volunteering in our schools.

<http://www.carrollk12.org/Assets/file/CCPS%20News/volunteer09-10.pdf>

Carrolltowne's Upcoming Volunteer Training Dates

**October 22
November 10**

All sessions begin promptly at 7:00 PM unless otherwise noted. **Please plan to arrive in the school cafeteria by 6:50 pm.** Other dates and locations can be obtained by clicking on the Volunteer Training link to the left.

Asbestos Notice

The Asbestos Hazard Emergency Response Act (AHERA) requires all buildings owned or leased by the Board of Education of Carroll County to prepare and make available all asbestos management plans. The building asbestos management plans are available for review at the individual Carroll County school locations and at the Office of Plant Operations, located at 191 Schaeffer Avenue, Westminster, MD 21157.

Asbestos management plans are required by the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) and depict the location, amount, condition, and response action projected for any asbestos containing materials (ACM), if any are located in the school or building.

Business Products News

PBIS: CARDINALS R.U.L.E.

Attention Carrolltowne Families and Friends:

If you have a Martins, Safeway, and/or Giant Bonus Card we need you to renew your commitment for the 2009-2010 year! Have your Bonus Card ready and it only takes a minute.....

Martins - A+ School Rewards

visit MartinsAplus.com or call 1-888-448-4642

School ID #00267

Safeway - eScrip

visit eScrip.com or call 1-800-400-7878

Group ID #149513220

Giant - A+ Bonus Bucks

visit Giantfood.com/aplus or call 1-877-275-2758

School ID #01749

If you have a Food Lion MVP card we need you to sign up today – and once you do, you do not have to sign up again.

Food Lion – Lion Shop & Share

Visit foodlion.com or call 1-704-633-8250 ext. 3810

School ID#30199

Carrolltowne participates in several other programs that allow us to earn free money/merchandise for our school.

Box Tops for Education - clip box tops from General Mills cereals, Pillsbury rolls and cookies, Yoplait yogurt, Hamburger Helper, select Betty Crocker products, Huggies, Cottenelle, Ziploc, Scott, Kleenex, Kotex, Depends, and Hefty paper products and waste bags. The school receives **10 cents** for each box top – which adds up quickly!

Campbell's Labels for Education - clip and save **UPC's** and **lids** from participating Labels for Education brands which include **Campbell's, Prego, Swanson, Pepperidge Farm and V8!** Remember – the front panel labels are no longer accepted. Each UPC earns **points which can be redeemed for supplies/equipment** for our school.

Tyson's Project A+ – cut off the Tyson's Project A+ 1-2-3 portion of the packaging. Each label earns **24 cents**.

Have your student bring the Box Tops, Campbell's UPC's and Tyson's Labels to school and drop them into the collection bins just inside the school's entrance.

Thank you for your continued support!

The Business Products Committee

CARDINALS RULE



Ready to Learn

Use my Manners

Learn for now and Later

Every time and place counts

**Caught You!
Congratulations!**

14, 773 EVERY WHERE
TIMES!

1,210 CAFETERIA TIMES!

Keeping Us All Healthy: Fever Guidelines



Students with a temperature of 100 degrees or more may not return to school until fever free for 24 hours without medication (like Acetaminophen (Tylenol) or Ibuprofen (Motrin)). Please remember that body temperatures are normally lower in the morning, and a student's fever may again spike as the day progresses. This policy will help your child receive the rest they need to recover and be ready for the academic setting, and also help us reduce the spread of infection within the classrooms. It is also a good practice to keep students who have been vomiting even without a fever home for 24 hours.

Nurses Notes

****PLEASE READ THIS POLICY FOR STUDENTS WHO ARE ILL WITH FEVER.**

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INFLUENZA LIKE ILLNESS:

****PER CDC GUIDELINES:**

CARROLLTOWNE ELEMENTARY HAS SET UP A SEPARATE WAITING AREA FOR STUDENTS WHO ARE EXHIBITING SIGNS AND SYMPTOMS OF INFLUENZA LIKE ILLNESS. THIS AREA IS SEPARATE FROM OTHER STUDENTS WHO ARE IN THE HEALTH ROOM.

STUDENTS WHO ARE SENT TO SCHOOL AND EXHIBIT SYMPTOMS OF AN INFLUENZA LIKE ILLNESS ON ARRIVAL, OR WHO BECOME ILL DURING THE DAY AND ARE EXHIBITING SYMPTOMS OF AN INFLUENZA LIKE

ILLNESS, WILL BE ASSESSED, AND THE ROOM UTILIZED WHILE THE STUDENT IS WAITING FOR PARENT PICK UP. STUDENTS WHO ARE ILL AND BEING SENT HOME WILL BE DISMISSED AND SIGNED OUT FROM THIS AREA.

Seasonal Flu Mist and H1N1

The State Health Officer has suspended the seasonal Flu Mist program as of October 2, 2009. Carrolltowne has finished the administration of dose 1 of the seasonal Flu Mist. We plan to restart the seasonal Flu Mist program (for those students needing the second dose of seasonal Flu Mist) at a later date, after the completion of H1N1 Flu Mist. The reason for the suspension of the seasonal Flu Mist is related to the H1N1 Flu Mist program. Since there must be at least 3 weeks between Flu Mist doses, DHMH wants to make sure students can receive the H1N1 Flu Mist when it is available.

Seasonal Flu Information

Fast Facts

Always remind children to:

Cover their nose and mouth with a tissue when they cough or sneeze—have them throw the tissue away after they use it.

Wash their hands often with soap and water, especially after they cough or sneeze. If water is not near, use an alcohol-based hand cleaner.

Remind them to not to touch their eyes, nose, or mouth. Germs often spread this way.

Approximately 1/5 of the U.S. population attends or works in schools. (U.S. Dept of Ed, 1999).

Some viruses and bacteria can live from 20 minutes up to 2 hours or more on surfaces like cafeteria tables, doorknobs, and desks. (Ansari, 1988; Scott and Bloomfield, 1989)

Nearly 22 million school days are lost annually due to the common cold alone. (CDC, 1996)

Addressing the spread of germs in schools is essential to the health of our youth, our schools, and our nation.

Students need to get plenty of sleep and physical activity, drink water, and eat good food to help them stay healthy in the winter and all year.

Symptoms

Symptoms of flu include fever (usually high), headache, extreme tiredness, dry cough, sore throat, runny or stuffy nose, and muscle aches. Nausea, vomiting, and diarrhea also can occur, but are much more common in children than adults.

Spread of the Flu

Flu viruses are thought to spread mainly from person to person through coughing or sneezing of people with influenza. Sometimes people may become infected by touching something with flu viruses on it and then touching their mouth or nose. People with influenza can potentially infect others beginning 1 day before symptoms develop and



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up to 5 days after becoming sick. That means that you may be able to pass on the flu to someone else before you know you are sick, as well as while you are sick.

Preventing Spread of the Flu in Child Care Settings

Yearly flu vaccination is the first and most important step in protecting against this serious disease. Two kinds of flu vaccine are available in the United States.

Yearly flu vaccination should begin as soon as vaccine is available and continue throughout the influenza season, into December, January, and beyond. While influenza outbreaks can happen as early as October, influenza activity peaks most often in February.

About 2 weeks after vaccination, antibodies that provide protection against influenza virus infection develop in the body. Vaccination, along with other measures, also may help to decrease the spread of influenza among children in the child care setting and among care providers.

Recommend influenza vaccination for children and care providers in child care settings.

Vaccination is the best method for preventing flu and its potentially severe complications in children.

CDC recommends that all children aged 6 months up to their 19th birthday get a flu vaccine.

Certain groups of children are at increased risk for flu complications.

CDC also recommends that people in contact with certain

groups of children get a flu vaccine in order to protect children from the flu.

Remind children and care providers to cover their noses and mouths when sneezing or coughing.

Advise children and care providers to cover their noses and mouths with a tissue when sneezing or coughing, and to put their used tissue in a waste basket.

Make sure that tissues are available in all nurseries, child care rooms, and common areas such as reading rooms, classrooms, and rooms where meals are provided.

Encourage care providers and children to wash their hands or use an alcohol-based hand rub as soon as possible, if they have sneezed or coughed on their hands.

Encourage parents of sick children to keep their children home. Encourage sick care providers to stay home.

Encourage parents of sick children to keep the children home and away from the child care setting until the children have been without fever for 24 hours, to prevent spreading illness to others. Similarly, encourage sick care providers to stay home.

The above information was taken from the CDC website.

Picture Make up Day!

Thursday, November 5th

If your child was not in attendance or did not attend Carrolltowne Elementary on September 14th, please call the office and request a picture form to be sent home with your child to have his/her picture taken to appear in the school yearbook.

You also have the option of ordering picture packages of your child.

Forms must be turned in to your child's teacher before picture make up day, November 5th.

If your child had their picture taken on September 14th, and you are not satisfied with the outcome, please return your child's picture packet (intact) to your child's teacher before picture make up day on November 5th.

Envelopes and order forms will be held in the office to have children pulled from class to have their pictures taken.



Fine Arts Team

Physical Education— This October we will be participating in many exciting activities in Physical Education classes. Children in Grades K-3 will be participating in units involving Locomotor Patterns, Striking Skills, and Modified Volleyball Skills. Students in Grades 4 and 5 will be working on Football Skills and Striking Activities.

Also, from October 5-18 the school will be participating in Project ACES. This is a county-wide event designed to encourage children to exercise sixty minutes a day for a two-week period. More information will be coming from Health and Physical Education classes about this event.

Finally, please remember that Thursday, October 15 is the annual Fun Run at Carrolltowne. Please make sure that your child is dressed to participate on this exciting day!

Vocal Music— Last spring, we said goodbye to Mrs. Ready, who accepted a full time vocal music position at Hampstead Elementary School. We are pleased to welcome Mr. Dundore to the Carrolltowne music department this year. Mr. Dundore has been teaching at ORMS for the past 4 years. His responsibilities there include both instrumental music instruction and general music classes. He will be teaching all 3rd and 4th grade students at CES this year, and we are glad to have him with us.

It is very important to begin each school year with a review of previously learned music concepts, as each year the students progress to a higher level of musical understanding. In September, all students worked on their rhythm reading and performance skills, and on their sing-

ing skills. Kindergarten students have been echoing and responding to “steady beat.” They have also been differentiating between the talking and singing voice. First grade classes have been performing 4 voice functions and reviewing characteristics of these voices, have learned to read and play quarter notes at various tempi, and are preparing for eighth notes. Grade 2 students reviewed quarter notes, eighth notes, and quarter rests, and are now reading songs from music books and analyzing what the notes and symbols on the staff tell us. Grade 5 students studied music and performance traditions in Africa, and connections between African music and music in our country. Students enjoyed African game songs, call and response songs, and highlife music. They also created their own instruments for performance in a drum circle.

Mr. Dundore is having a great time discovering new things about Carrolltowne and enjoying working with the 3rd and 4th Grade General Music Classes! 3rd grade general music classes are learning about melodic shape and its importance in singing songs. Can we tell when a song’s melody goes up, or when it comes down? How can we move to show what the melody is doing? Singing and listening will help us determine which way the melody moves.

Mr. Dundore’s 4th grade general music classes are learning about songs from around the world. How can we tell where a song comes from? Listening to the lyrics, instrumentation, and rhythm, among other things, will help us discover the ori-

gins of many songs!

You can supplement your child’s music experience by encouraging your child to sing, to move to music, to play instruments, and to analyze what they hear when listening to music. Please feel free to contact us at any time if you have questions regarding the vocal music program. Have a great year! *Mrs. Saxton & Mr. Dundore*

Health Class— With the completion of the school remodel, Health classes were welcomed back to our previous location inside the main building. We are very excited to be back in our old home! We began the year reviewing the Cardinal RULES for Health classes. Now that classes are back in the “swing”, we are looking ahead to some special events!

The “Project ACES – Active Children Excel in School” physical activity challenge will take place for all students K-5 from October 5-18. This is the 11th anniversary of this award winning program! It encourages at least 60 minutes of total activity each day for all students in an effort to promote a healthy lifestyle. You should have already received the parent letter and bright orange booklet with the calendar inside to keep track of your child’s activity time each day. Remember to write in the total activity time for each day and be sure to count recess time and P.E. class time. If your child is sick, they are excused for that day. Please sign and return the orange booklet during the week of October 19th. Even if your child did not meet the goal of 60 minutes per day, they should still turn in their signed orange booklet to get credit

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for participating. Students have the chance to win prizes and our school has the opportunity to earn money towards new PE and Health class equipment. We really appreciate the support of all of our excellent Carrolltowne families!

October is also when we observe Fire Prevention week. Second graders will participate in a program sponsored by the Carroll County Fire Department. The local Fire Department will be bringing their safety trailer to Carrolltowne for 2nd grade to explore. We are excited about this learning opportunity!

Students in 2nd and 4th grades will participate again this year in drug prevention and safety programs with the Carroll County Youth Intervention Task Force. The task force consists of Maryland State Troopers that are assigned to schools within the same geographic region. Carrolltowne's Youth Intervention Officer is no longer TFC Paul Schur, who has taken another position with the Maryland State Police. Our new YIO officer is TFC Chris Pickett. He will present a safety program to 2nd and 4th graders in November. A drug awareness/prevention program will be presented to 2nd and 4th graders in May. Students participate in DARE programs throughout Middle and High School grades as well.

Media—Well, Carrolltowne students are off to a great start here in Media Land. Kindergarten is getting the hang of selecting their own picture books from our Kindergarten display cases and they are now starting to

learn the difference between Fiction (F) and Non-Fiction (NF) by using the terms Fake (F) and Not Fake (NF). I will be incorporating computer technology skills to help assess their learning.

First grade has come to media this year with a solid foundation of library skills from last year. They've come with the understanding of what the names of parts of a book, but are now being introduced to how a book is made with Mrs. Rivera. Mrs. Voight's classes are beginning their author study. What is an author and what can we learn about them from their books?

Second grade is starting the year off with search strategies needed to find the perfect book. Students are learning how to use a visual online public access catalog to search and locate books in the media center. Students enjoy the ability to use their technology skills as well as their media skills to accomplish this task.

Third, fourth and fifth grade are jumping right into the skills they will need to use throughout the year. These skills include: researching using technology such as online databases and search engines, interpreting information, locating and summarizing text information, and most importantly, citing information. We have taken the book fair theme that will be showcased this October, Destination to the World and have challenged our 3, 4, and 5th grade students to inform our school community of far off places with the theme Passport to the World. Our goal is for our

students to inform us with information we would need if we were traveling to other countries.

Now, speaking of book fair.... Get ready; it runs from October 22 till November 3rd this year. Wish lists will be handed out during the week of October 26th. Book fair night will be on November 2nd with a special shopping day the morning of November 3rd. Be on the look out for more information...Remember books are a fabulous way to share the holidays... As always, if you have any questions please don't hesitate to drop us a note.

Cafeteria News

If your financial situation has changed you may qualify for free or reduced lunch. Applications are given to each student at the beginning of the school year and are accepted throughout the school year. Once approved, your child's status is strictly confidential. Working parents who qualified for aid won't lose eligibility during the year if their financial situation improves.



HOW TO REPORT AN ABSENCE OR CHANGE OF DISMISSAL

YOU CAN REPORT AN ABSENCE OR LATE ARRIVAL BY:

Calling the absence hotline at 410-795-5673. (Calls can be made during non-school hours)

Leave a message on the answering machine with the following information: The date the absence will take place, your child's name, your child's teacher and the reason your child will be out (i.e. fever, cough, out of town trip, Dr's appt, Dental appt, etc.)

Due to the concerns of the H1N1 virus, we are asking that you follow up all phone call absence reports with a note giving symptoms of the illness.

Emailing the school office at: cesattendance@k12.carr.org (please include your child's name, teacher, and the reason for being absent). You may also cc your child's teacher. All email addresses can be found on the Carrolltowne Elementary Website.

Sending in a handwritten note to the teacher when the child returns to school.

**Please do not send notification of absences to the Change of Dismissal email addresses.
Thank you.**

YOU CAN REPORT A CHANGE IN DISMISSAL OR EARLY DISMISSAL BY:

Submitting a handwritten note to your child's teacher on the day of the change.

Faxing a note to 410-751-3534 (note to include child's name, child's teacher, date of dismissal change, and how the child is to be dismissed). **Note must be received prior to 3:30 pm. Parent must call the school office to confirm receipt of the fax, 410-751-3530.**

Emailing the office secretaries: dmfarnu@k12.carr.org, djglass@k12.carr.org, lpwhart@k12.carr.org (all 3 email addresses must be on the same email submitted).

Emails must be submitted prior to 3:30 pm. Include the child's name, teacher, date that the change will take place, and change to be made. A reply/confirmation email will be sent back to the parent to confirm receipt. If the parent has not received a confirmation email, please call the school office at 410-751-3530 prior to 3:15 pm.

Carrolltowne's Refrigerator Page—REVISED 9.15.09

TWO HOUR FORTY-FIVE MINUTE EARLY DISMISSALS:

(1:00 P.M. Dismissal)

SYSTEM WIDE EARLY DISMISSALS:

Oct 29, Nov 9, Dec 23, Jan 22, Mar 15, Apr 1, June 10

ELEMENTARY ONLY EARLY DISMISSALS:

Dec 3, Feb 5, May 11

Students who attend the Early Childhood Special Needs (ECSN) classes will not attend school on these early dismissals days.

Lunch and Specials schedules are altered on these days. Please refer to the *2 Hour and 45 Minute Early Dismissal Lunch Schedule* to the right.

2 HOUR AND 45 MINUTE EARLY DISMISSAL LUNCH SCHEDULE

Kindergarten—10:30-11:00

Fourth Grade—10:45-11:15

First Grade—11:10-11:40

Fifth Grade—11:20-11:50

Second Grade—11:45-12:15

Third Grade—11:55-12:25

Daily Lunch and Specials Schedules

Lunch Schedules:

Revised 9.15.09

Kindergarten—11:20-11:50

First Grade—11:45-12:15

Second Grade—12:20-12:50

Third Grade—12:05-12:35

Fourth Grade—12:40-1:10

Fifth Grade—1:00-1:30

Specials Schedules:

Revised 9.15.09

Fifth Grade- 9:20-10:20

Kindergarten—10:20-11:20

Second Grade—11:20-12:20

First Grade—12:35-1:35

Third Grade—1:35-2:35

Fourth Grade—2:35-3:35



Parents will receive phone alerts and e-mails from the CCPS AlertNow rapid communication system utilizing contact information from emergency cards.

LATE OPENING AND EARLY DISMISSAL SCHEDULES

Grade	1 Hour Late Opening	2 Hour Late Opening	1 Hour Early Dismissal	2 Hour Early Dismissal
Prep A.M.	Schedule 10:15 - 11:45	Schedule 11:15 - 12:50	Dismiss as usual	Dismiss as usual
Prep P.M.	Schedule 1:10 - 3:45	Schedule 2:10 - 3:45	Dismissal at 2:45	Canceled
Grades K thru 5	Schedule 10:15 - 3:45	Schedule 11:15 - 3:45	Dismissal at 2:45	Dismissal at 1:45

