



MARCH 13, 2025

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PARIS RIDGE ELEMENTARY

Highlights

- *START/END TIMES/UPCOMING DATES
- *PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE
- *PTO NEWS
- *MONTHLY BREAKFAST/LUNCH MENUS
- *MY RIDE APP INSTRUCTIONS

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March

DOORS OPEN AT 8:30 AM

For Breakfast Students

DOORS OPEN AT 8:35 AM

For All Other Students

SCHOOL ENDS AT 3:40 PM



MARK YOUR *Cal* ENDARS

- *03/14 - No School For Students
- *03/18 - 1st & 2nd Grade Concert @ 7:00 p.m.
- *03/20 - PTO Meeting @ 7:00 p.m. PR Cafeteria
- *03/24 - KMIS 4th Gr Parent Night 6:30-7:30 p.m.
- *03/25 - Kinder Connect 5:00-6:00 p.m.
- *03/25 - 3rd & 4th Grade Concert @ 7:00 p.m.
- *04/04 - 04/11/25 - Spring Break - No School

STAY CONNECTED



From Principal Jones

Paris Ridge Families,

We are continuing to celebrate travelling “around the world” with March being Reading Month! Our masked reader this week was a knight in shining armor, who read a book about a boy transporting himself to different timeframes through the power of reading. Next week, Mr. Frog will be hopping over to Italy to share his travels to the Colosseum, the leaning Tower of Pisa, and exploring Italian food. Our classrooms have made some very good guesses about who they feel has been the mystery readers so far. We also had a guest speaker Monday in an assembly called “Readers are Leaders.” His message was on the power of reading (combined with some silliness) about reiterating basic components that go into learning how to read.

As we move through the month, we are looking forward to seeing our 1st and 2nd grade students at their spring music concert on Tuesday night! We will also have our PTO community meeting on Thursday at 7pm (Paris Ridge cafeteria). We hope you will join us to hear about what the PTO has been working on recently, as well as tour the March decorations in the building.

As a reminder, there is no school tomorrow (Friday, March 14th) due to staff professional learning. We hope students have a nice extended weekend.

Lance Jones
Principal



From The Paris Ridge PTO

Join Paris Ridge Families on Facebook!

Please join our [community facebook group](#) for discussion, questions with answers, and photo sharing, as well as PTO updates!

Wednesday Staff Snacks

We love to be able to show our staff appreciation and one way that we do that is by showering them with fun treats and drinks on Wednesdays during the school year! If your family would like to sign up to provide a treat/drink, you can sign up here:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/8050A4AA5AC2CA7FE3-50274295-wednesday?useFullSite=true#/>

Open Board Positions 2025-2026

Please consider joining the PTO board next school year for monthly meetings (evening hours), planning, and fun. We'd love for you to reach out with any questions. If you are interested in getting more involved and would like to join the PTO, please email us at parisridgepto@calschools.org or let a current PTO member know!

Open positions for next year:

Trustee (2 open positions):

The duties for each trustee will vary with their interests and ideas and are developed at the June and August PTO Board meetings.

Save the Date!

Our next Community Meeting will be on Thursday, March 20th at 7:00pm in the PR cafeteria! Join us to hear about school updates and end-of-the year happenings, upcoming PTO sponsored events, and tour the building to see the amazing March is Reading Month decorations!

Lads and Loved Ones Dance!

The Lads & Loved Ones Dance will take place on Saturday, May 3rd! We are still in need of more volunteers to help put on this event! If you are interested, please reach out to a Paris Ridge PTO member! More info to come!



SAVE THE DATE!

MORE INFO COMING SOON!

LADS AND LOVED ONES

OUR DISCO ERA



MAY 03 2025
6PM-8PM

DANCE + ACTIVITIES

DRESS TO IMPRESS!
DISCO STYLE

DJ

FOOD
TRUCKS

FOR CCS Y5s-4th
GRADE BOYS AND A
LOVED ONE



Breakfast

March 2025

Paris Ridge Elementary
Breakfast

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
3 Main Entrees • Chocolate Chip French Toast Alternate Entrees • Oatmeal Chocolate Chip BeneFIT Bar On the Go • Blueberry Chex Cereal Bowl • Lucky Charms Cereal Bowl	4 Main Entrees • Breakfast Turkey Sausage Pizza Alternate Entrees • Cinnamon Ultimate Breakfast Round On the Go • Reduced Sugar Trix • Less Sugar Cinnamon Toast Crunch Bowl	5 Main Entrees • Bagel • Cream Cheese Alternate Entrees • Cinnamon Toast Crunch Cereal Bar On the Go • Honey Cheerios Cereal Bowl • Lucky Charms Cereal Bowl	6 Main Entrees • Scrambled Eggs • Fresh Baked Whole Grain Biscuit Alternate Entrees • Mini Cinnis On the Go • Reduced Sugar Trix • Less Sugar Cinnamon Toast Crunch Bowl	7 Main Entrees • Maple Turkey Sausage Pancake Stick Alternate Entrees • Cherry Frudel • Apple Frudel On the Go • Reduced Sugar Cocoa Puffs Cereal Bowl • Lucky Charms Cereal Bowl
10 Main Entrees • Chocolate Chip French Toast Alternate Entrees • Oatmeal Chocolate Chip BeneFIT Bar On the Go • Blueberry Chex Cereal Bowl • Lucky Charms Cereal Bowl	11 Main Entrees • Breakfast Turkey Sausage Pizza Alternate Entrees • Cinnamon Ultimate Breakfast Round On the Go • Reduced Sugar Trix • Less Sugar Cinnamon Toast Crunch Bowl	12 Main Entrees • Bagel • Cream Cheese Alternate Entrees • Cinnamon Toast Crunch Cereal Bar On the Go • Honey Cheerios Cereal Bowl • Lucky Charms Cereal Bowl	13 Main Entrees • Scrambled Eggs • Fresh Baked Whole Grain Biscuit Alternate Entrees • Mini Cinnis On the Go • Reduced Sugar Trix • Less Sugar Cinnamon Toast Crunch Bowl	14 Main Entrees • Maple Turkey Sausage Pancake Stick Alternate Entrees • Cherry Frudel • Apple Frudel On the Go • Reduced Sugar Cocoa Puffs Cereal Bowl • Lucky Charms Cereal Bowl
17 Main Entrees • Chocolate Chip French Toast Alternate Entrees • Oatmeal Chocolate Chip BeneFIT Bar On the Go • Blueberry Chex Cereal Bowl • Lucky Charms Cereal Bowl	18 Main Entrees • Breakfast Turkey Sausage Pizza Alternate Entrees • Cinnamon Ultimate Breakfast Round On the Go • Reduced Sugar Trix • Less Sugar Cinnamon Toast Crunch Bowl	19 Main Entrees • Bagel • Cream Cheese Alternate Entrees • Cinnamon Toast Crunch Cereal Bar On the Go • Honey Cheerios Cereal Bowl • Lucky Charms Cereal Bowl	20 Main Entrees • Scrambled Eggs • Fresh Baked Whole Grain Biscuit Alternate Entrees • Mini Cinnis On the Go • Reduced Sugar Trix • Less Sugar Cinnamon Toast Crunch Bowl	21 Main Entrees • Maple Turkey Sausage Pancake Stick Alternate Entrees • Cherry Frudel • Apple Frudel On the Go • Reduced Sugar Cocoa Puffs Cereal Bowl • Lucky Charms Cereal Bowl
24 Main Entrees • Chocolate Chip French Toast Alternate Entrees • Oatmeal Chocolate Chip BeneFIT Bar On the Go • Blueberry Chex Cereal Bowl • Lucky Charms Cereal Bowl	25 Main Entrees • Breakfast Turkey Sausage Pizza Alternate Entrees • Cinnamon Ultimate Breakfast Round On the Go • Reduced Sugar Trix • Less Sugar Cinnamon Toast Crunch Bowl	26 Main Entrees • Bagel • Cream Cheese Alternate Entrees • Cinnamon Toast Crunch Cereal Bar On the Go • Honey Cheerios Cereal Bowl • Lucky Charms Cereal Bowl	27 Main Entrees • Scrambled Eggs • Fresh Baked Whole Grain Biscuit Alternate Entrees • Mini Cinnis On the Go • Reduced Sugar Trix • Less Sugar Cinnamon Toast Crunch Bowl	28 Main Entrees • Maple Turkey Sausage Pancake Stick Alternate Entrees • Cherry Frudel • Apple Frudel On the Go • Reduced Sugar Cocoa Puffs Cereal Bowl • Lucky Charms Cereal Bowl
31 Main Entrees • Chocolate Chip French Toast Alternate Entrees • Oatmeal Chocolate Chip BeneFIT Bar On the Go • Blueberry Chex Cereal Bowl • Lucky Charms Cereal Bowl				

Lunch



March 2025

Paris Ridge Elementary
Lunch

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
3 Main Entrees • Macaroni and Cheese • Garlic Breadstick Alternate Entrees • Cereal, Yogurt & Cheese Fun Lunch • Cheddar Goldfish Crackers • EZ Jammer Wowbutter & Jelly Sandwich Sides for All Meals • Steamed Peas	4 Main Entrees • Popcorn Chicken • Dinner Roll Alternate Entrees • Cereal, Yogurt & Cheese Fun Lunch • Cheddar Goldfish Crackers • EZ Jammer Wowbutter & Jelly Sandwich Sides for All Meals • Mashed Potatoes • Chicken Gravy	5 Main Entrees • Buttermilk Pancakes • Colby Cheese Omelet Alternate Entrees • Cereal, Yogurt & Cheese Fun Lunch • Cheddar Goldfish Crackers • EZ Jammer Wowbutter & Jelly Sandwich Sides for All Meals • Tater Tots	6 Main Entrees • Orange Chicken • Vegetable Fried Rice Alternate Entrees • Cereal, Yogurt & Cheese Fun Lunch • Cheddar Goldfish Crackers • EZ Jammer Wowbutter & Jelly Sandwich Sides for All Meals • Seasoned Carrots • Fortune Cookies	7 Main Entrees • Grilled Cheese Sandwich Alternate Entrees • Cereal, Yogurt & Cheese Fun Lunch • Cheddar Goldfish Crackers • EZ Jammer Wowbutter & Jelly Sandwich Sides for All Meals • Campbell's Tomato Soup
10 Main Entrees • Classic Cheeseburger in Bun Alternate Entrees • Strawberry Parfait with Granola • Low Fat Mozzarella String Cheese • Cheddar Goldfish Crackers • EZ Jammer Wowbutter & Jelly Sandwich Sides for All Meals • Boston Baked Beans	11 Main Entrees • Breaded Chicken Drumstick • Fresh Baked Whole Grain Biscuit Alternate Entrees • Strawberry Parfait with Granola • Low Fat Mozzarella String Cheese • Cheddar Goldfish Crackers • EZ Jammer Wowbutter & Jelly Sandwich Sides for All Meals • Seasoned Corn	12 Main Entrees • Whole Grain French Toast Sticks • Scrambled Eggs Alternate Entrees • Strawberry Parfait with Granola • Low Fat Mozzarella String Cheese • Cheddar Goldfish Crackers • EZ Jammer Wowbutter & Jelly Sandwich Sides for All Meals • Tater Tots	13 Main Entrees • Italian Meatball Sub Alternate Entrees • Strawberry Parfait with Granola • Low Fat Mozzarella String Cheese • Cheddar Goldfish Crackers • EZ Jammer Wowbutter & Jelly Sandwich Sides for All Meals • French Fries	14
17 Main Entrees • Alfredo Chicken Pasta Alfredo • Whole Grain Garlic Texas Toast Alternate Entrees • Turkey Ham & Cheese Wrap • EZ Jammer Wowbutter & Jelly Sandwich Sides for All Meals • Seasoned Broccoli	18 Main Entrees • Classic Chicken Sandwich Alternate Entrees • Turkey Ham & Cheese Wrap • EZ Jammer Wowbutter & Jelly Sandwich Sides for All Meals • Smile Potatoes	19 Main Entrees • Mini Maple Madness Waffles • Turkey Sausage Patty Alternate Entrees • Turkey Ham & Cheese Wrap • EZ Jammer Wowbutter & Jelly Sandwich Sides for All Meals • Hash Brown Patty	20 Main Entrees • Chicken Corn Dog Alternate Entrees • Turkey Ham & Cheese Wrap • EZ Jammer Wowbutter & Jelly Sandwich Sides for All Meals • Seasoned California Vegetable Blend	21 Main Entrees • Marinara Sauce • Cheese Stuffed Breadsticks Alternate Entrees • Turkey Ham & Cheese Wrap • EZ Jammer Wowbutter & Jelly Sandwich Sides for All Meals • Savory Green Beans
24 Main Entrees • Beef Nachos Alternate Entrees • Muffin, Goldfish & Yogurt Fun Lunch • EZ Jammer Wowbutter & Jelly Sandwich Sides for All Meals • Seasoned Corn • Salsa	25 Main Entrees • Jumbo Crispy Chicken Tenders • Garlic Breadstick Alternate Entrees • Muffin, Goldfish & Yogurt Fun Lunch • EZ Jammer Wowbutter & Jelly Sandwich Sides for All Meals • Crinkle Cut French Fries	26 Main Entrees • Whole Grain French Toast Sticks • Turkey Sausage Patty Alternate Entrees • Muffin, Goldfish & Yogurt Fun Lunch • EZ Jammer Wowbutter & Jelly Sandwich Sides for All Meals • Tater Tots	27 Main Entrees • Beef Hot Dog on Whole Wheat Bun Alternate Entrees • Muffin, Goldfish & Yogurt Fun Lunch • EZ Jammer Wowbutter & Jelly Sandwich Sides for All Meals • BBQ Baked Beans	28 Main Entrees • Cheese Pizza Alternate Entrees • Muffin, Goldfish & Yogurt Fun Lunch • EZ Jammer Wowbutter & Jelly Sandwich Sides for All Meals • Seasoned Peas
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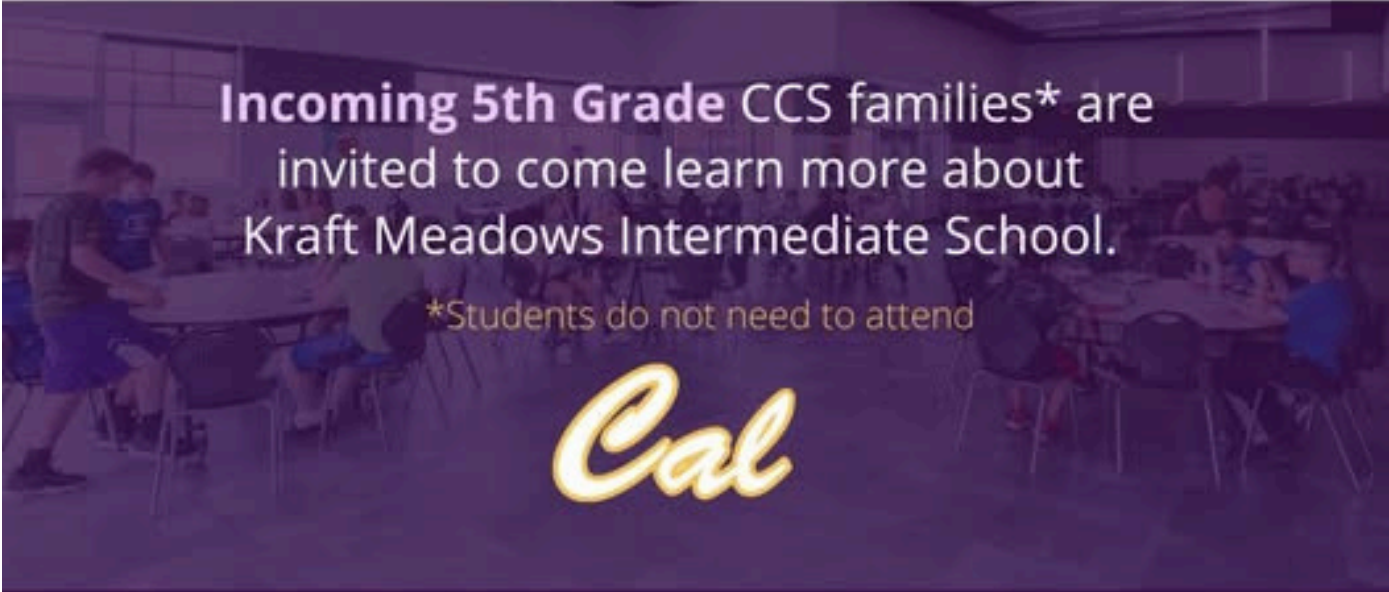
**INCOMING 5TH GRADE
PARENT PRESENTATION**

JOIN US!
MARCH 24

6:30 - 7:30 PM

Kraft Meadows Intermediate
School Cafeteria

If you are unable to join the presentation, the
recording will be available on the KMIS
website.



Incoming 5th Grade CCS families* are
invited to come learn more about
Kraft Meadows Intermediate School.

*Students do not need to attend

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KINDER/Y5 *Connect* NIGHT

5:00 - 6:00 PM for Kindergarten
At Your Zoned* Elementary Building
Caledonia, Dutton, Emmons Lake, Kettle Lake
and Paris Ridge

5:30 - 6:30 PM for Young Fives
ONLY
at Caledonia Elementary

This is for families interested in learning more about Kindergarten and Young Fives at CCS! For families interested in the Young Fives program, please note that Young Fives is offered ONLY at Caledonia Elementary.



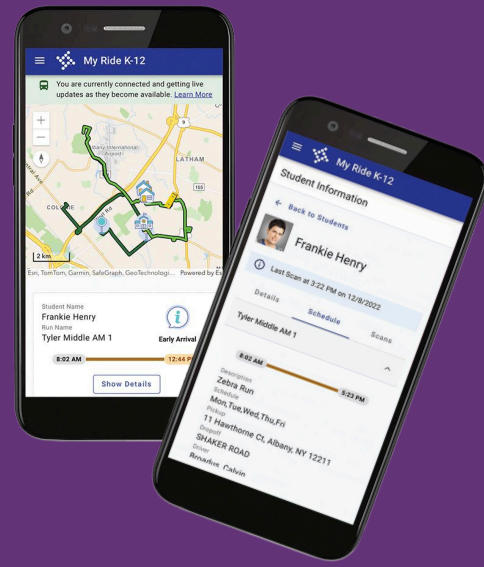
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- Select CCS
- Enter Your Student ID #
- Select Your Student's School
- Add Siblings the Same Way



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- School Directories
- Parent Quick Links
- Communication
- Newsletters
- Athletic Information
- And more!

OUR PROCESS

1

VISIT OUR WEBSITE

Community flyers will be posted on our website and pushed out to our app for families to view upcoming events and community information.

2

SUBMIT A FLYER

The district accepts submissions from non-profit organizations of non-curricular flyers that have a social, recreational, or educational value for students

3

SUBSCRIBE

Follow the Community Section on our app, or subscribe to be notified by email on our website.

We're Digital!



www.calschools.org/community/community-events-flyers

Community Flyers





Subject: Introducing the My Ride K-12 App for Bus Transportation Updates
December 4, 2024

Dear Caledonia Families,

We are excited to introduce the **My Ride K-12 app**, a new tool designed to improve communication between families and the CCS Transportation Department. This app provides a convenient way for parents and guardians to stay informed about their student's bus transportation.

With the **My Ride K-12 app**, you can securely access:

- Your student's assigned bus route and stop location.
- Scheduled pickup and drop-off times.
- Real-time updates about the bus's arrival each day.

The app is available for download on both [Apple](#) and [Android](#) devices. Families can also access the same information through the [My Ride K-12 website](#).

Resources to Help You Get Started

We've made getting started easy by providing helpful resources:

- [User Guide for My Ride K-12](#)
- [My Ride Support](#) (Tutorials & Guides)

If you have any questions or need additional assistance, please contact the **CCS Transportation Department** at **616-891-0224**.

For more information and links to download the app, visit the [Transportation section on the CCS website](#).

We're confident the My Ride K-12 app will make your family's bus transportation experience even smoother. Thank you for your continued partnership as we enhance services for our students.

Sincerely,

Michaellita Fortier
Director of Transportation