



OCTOBER 18, 2024

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PARIS RIDGE ELEMENTARY

Highlights

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- *PICTURE RETAKE DAY!
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- *WEEKLY BREAKFAST/LUNCH MENUS
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- *FOOD SERVICE -FREE AND REDUCED
- *LUNCH APPLICATION INFORMATION

CONTACT INFO

PARIS RIDGE CONTACT INFO

**PARIS RIDGE
PHONE**
616.891.7330

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616.891.8639

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

- *10/21 Picture Retake Day 9:00
- *10/22 & 10/24 - P/T Conferences
- *10/31 Halloween Activities & 1/2 Day
- *11/27-11/29 Thanksgiving Break - No School

STAY CONNECTED

Panther Families,

We are winding down another week here at Paris Ridge! Our school is such an amazing place! We are looking forward to seeing families next week at Parent Teacher Conferences. This is a great time to further connect with your child's teacher, hear specifics on what students are learning about, and how best to collaborate with our team to help students grow as much as possible. As a reminder, our annual book fair (which is generally held during fall conferences), will be moved to the winter this year.

Speaking of books, we are excited to share that we have hired a librarian! With some of the shuffling that took place at the end of last year, we have not had a dedicated staff member to work in our library. This is great news for better serving our classrooms. Additionally, working with our PTO, each classroom (and our library) is getting a huge influx of new books to support student interests and help with grade level specific reading skills. We are excited for the books to arrive and unpack them!

It is supposed to be a gorgeous weekend! Enjoy the amazing fall weather and have an awesome weekend!

Go Panthers!

Lance Jones
Principal

Reminder



PICTURE RETAKES

Monday, October 21 @ 9 a.m.



FROM THE 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!

Box Tops Info!

Next week is National Box Top week! There will be so many extra bonuses available! If you haven't already- download the Box Top app, select Paris Ridge as your school, use referral code Z1PH8T40, and scan your grocery receipts. It's so easy to use! We have already earned over \$150 this school year and our goal is to hit \$600!

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#/>

October 2024

Paris Ridge Elementary

Breakfast

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
	1 Main Entrees • Breakfast Turkey Sausage Pizza Alternate Entrees • Cinnamon Ultimate Breakfast Round On the Go • Blueberry Chex Cereal Bowl Fruit & Vegetable Bar	2 Main Entrees • Maple Turkey Sausage Pancake Stick Alternate Entrees • Cinnamon Toast Crunch Cereal Bar On the Go • Honey Cheerios Cereal Bowl Fruit & Vegetable Bar	3 Main Entrees • Turkey Ham & Cheese Croissant Alternate Entrees • Mini Cinnis On the Go • Reduced Sugar Tix Fruit & Vegetable Bar	4 Main Entrees • Bagel • Cream Cheese Alternate Entrees • Cherry Fruite! On the Go • Cinnamon Chex Cereal Bowl Fruit & Vegetable Bar
7 Main Entrees • Turkey Sausage, Egg & Cheese Breakfast Pocket Alternate Entrees • Oatmeal Chocolate Chip Benefit Bar On the Go • Lucky Charms Cereal Bowl Fruit & Vegetable Bar	8 Main Entrees • Breakfast Turkey Sausage Pizza Alternate Entrees • Cinnamon Ultimate Breakfast Round On the Go • Blueberry Chex Cereal Bowl Fruit & Vegetable Bar	9 Main Entrees • Maple Turkey Sausage Pancake Stick Alternate Entrees • Cinnamon Toast Crunch Cereal Bar On the Go • Honey Cheerios Cereal Bowl Fruit & Vegetable Bar	10 Main Entrees • Turkey Ham & Cheese Croissant Alternate Entrees • Mini Cinnis On the Go • Reduced Sugar Tix Fruit & Vegetable Bar	11 Main Entrees • Bagel • Cream Cheese Alternate Entrees • Cherry Fruite! On the Go • Cinnamon Chex Cereal Bowl Fruit & Vegetable Bar
14 Main Entrees • Turkey Sausage, Egg & Cheese Breakfast Pocket Alternate Entrees • Oatmeal Chocolate Chip Benefit Bar On the Go • Lucky Charms Cereal Bowl Fruit & Vegetable Bar	15 Main Entrees • Breakfast Turkey Sausage Pizza Alternate Entrees • Cinnamon Ultimate Breakfast Round On the Go • Blueberry Chex Cereal Bowl Fruit & Vegetable Bar	16 Main Entrees • Bagel • Cream Cheese Alternate Entrees • Cinnamon Toast Crunch Cereal Bar On the Go • Honey Cheerios Cereal Bowl Fruit & Vegetable Bar	17 Main Entrees • Turkey Ham & Cheese Croissant Alternate Entrees • Mini Cinnis On the Go • Reduced Sugar Tix Fruit & Vegetable Bar	18 Main Entrees • Maple Turkey Sausage Pancake Stick Alternate Entrees • Cherry Fruite! On the Go • Cinnamon Chex Cereal Bowl Fruit & Vegetable Bar
21 Main Entrees • Turkey Sausage, Egg & Cheese Breakfast Pocket Alternate Entrees • Oatmeal Chocolate Chip Benefit Bar On the Go • Lucky Charms Cereal Bowl Fruit & Vegetable Bar	22 Main Entrees • Breakfast Turkey Sausage Pizza Alternate Entrees • Cinnamon Ultimate Breakfast Round On the Go • Blueberry Chex Cereal Bowl Fruit & Vegetable Bar	23 Main Entrees • Bagel • Cream Cheese Alternate Entrees • Cinnamon Toast Crunch Cereal Bar On the Go • Honey Cheerios Cereal Bowl Fruit & Vegetable Bar	24 Main Entrees • Turkey Ham & Cheese Croissant Alternate Entrees • Mini Cinnis On the Go • Reduced Sugar Tix Fruit & Vegetable Bar	25 Main Entrees • Maple Turkey Sausage Pancake Stick Alternate Entrees • Cherry Fruite! On the Go • Cinnamon Chex Cereal Bowl Fruit & Vegetable Bar
28 Main Entrees • Turkey Sausage, Egg & Cheese Breakfast Pocket Alternate Entrees • Oatmeal Chocolate Chip Benefit Bar On the Go • Lucky Charms Cereal Bowl Fruit & Vegetable Bar	29 Main Entrees • Breakfast Turkey Sausage Pizza Alternate Entrees • Cinnamon Ultimate Breakfast Round On the Go • Blueberry Chex Cereal Bowl Fruit & Vegetable Bar	30 Main Entrees • Bagel • Cream Cheese Alternate Entrees • Cinnamon Toast Crunch Cereal Bar On the Go • Honey Cheerios Cereal Bowl Fruit & Vegetable Bar	31 Main Entrees • Turkey Ham & Cheese Croissant Alternate Entrees • Mini Cinnis On the Go • Reduced Sugar Tix Fruit & Vegetable Bar	

If you have a food allergy, please notify us. Ask your cafeteria manager if changes were made to today's menu so we can help keep you safe!

Menus Subject to Change We try our best to serve our menus as posted; however, sometimes last minute changes occur. Please check with the cafe manager prior to the meal if you have any concerns.

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
	1 Main Entrees • Chicken Nuggets • Breadstick Alternate Entrees • Cereal, Yogurt & Cheese Fun Lunch • Cheddar Goldfish Crackers • EZ Jammer Woubutter & Jelly Sandwich Sides for All Meals • Crinkle Cut French Fries	2 Main Entrees • Mini Corfetti Pancakes • Turkey Sausage Link Alternate Entrees • Cereal, Yogurt & Cheese Fun Lunch • Cheddar Goldfish Crackers • EZ Jammer Woubutter & Jelly Sandwich Sides for All Meals • Hash Brown Patty	3 Main Entrees • Rottini Pasta • Italian Meat Spaghetti Sauce Alternate Entrees • Cereal, Yogurt & Cheese Fun Lunch • Cheddar Goldfish Crackers • EZ Jammer Woubutter & Jelly Sandwich Sides for All Meals • Fresh Vegetable Medley	4 Main Entrees • Jumbo Crispy Chicken • Tenderloin • Dinner Roll Alternate Entrees • Cereal, Yogurt & Cheese Fun Lunch • Cheddar Goldfish Crackers • EZ Jammer Woubutter & Jelly Sandwich Sides for All Meals • Seasoned Corn
7 Main Entrees • Chicken Corn Dog Alternate Entrees • Turkey Ham & Cheese Wrap • EZ Jammer Woubutter & Jelly Sandwich Sides for All Meals • Seasoned Potato Wedges	8 Main Entrees • Popcorn Chicken • Dinner Roll Alternate Entrees • Turkey Ham & Cheese Wrap • EZ Jammer Woubutter & Jelly Sandwich Sides for All Meals • Chicken Gravy	9 Main Entrees • Cheese Stuffed Breadsticks • Marinara Sauce Alternate Entrees • Turkey Ham & Cheese Wrap • EZ Jammer Woubutter & Jelly Sandwich Sides for All Meals • Boston Baked Beans	10 Main Entrees • Macaroni and Cheese • Pretzel Rod Alternate Entrees • Turkey Ham & Cheese Wrap • EZ Jammer Woubutter & Jelly Sandwich Sides for All Meals • Seasoned Carrots	11 Main Entrees • Breaded Chicken Drumstick • Fresh Baked Whole Grain Biscuit Alternate Entrees • Turkey Ham & Cheese Wrap • EZ Jammer Woubutter & Jelly Sandwich Sides for All Meals • Savory Green Beans
14 Main Entrees • Seasoned Turkey Taco Meat • Walking Taco Nacho Cheese • Doritos Tortilla Chips Alternate Entrees • Muffin, Goldfish & Yogurt Fun Lunch • EZ Jammer Woubutter & Jelly Sandwich Sides for All Meals • Vegetarian Refried Beans • Sage	15 Main Entrees • Jumbo Crispy Chicken • Tenderloin • Garlic Breadstick Alternate Entrees • Muffin, Goldfish & Yogurt Fun Lunch • EZ Jammer Woubutter & Jelly Sandwich Sides for All Meals • Crinkle Cut French Fries	16 Main Entrees • Buttermilk Pancakes • Turkey Sausage Patty Alternate Entrees • Muffin, Goldfish & Yogurt Fun Lunch • EZ Jammer Woubutter & Jelly Sandwich Sides for All Meals • Tater Tots	17 Main Entrees • Beef Hot Dog on Whole Wheat Bun Alternate Entrees • Muffin, Goldfish & Yogurt Fun Lunch • EZ Jammer Woubutter & Jelly Sandwich Sides for All Meals • Seasoned Corn	18 Main Entrees • Personal Pepperoni Pizza Alternate Entrees • Muffin, Goldfish & Yogurt Fun Lunch • EZ Jammer Woubutter & Jelly Sandwich Sides for All Meals • Seasoned Peas
21 Main Entrees • Cheese Pizza Cruncher Alternate Entrees • Turkey, Cheese & Flatbread Fun Lunch • EZ Jammer Woubutter & Jelly Sandwich Sides for All Meals • Seasoned Carrots	22 Main Entrees • Popcorn Chicken • Dinner Roll Alternate Entrees • Turkey, Cheese & Flatbread Fun Lunch • EZ Jammer Woubutter & Jelly Sandwich Sides for All Meals • Mashed Potatoes • Chicken Gravy	23 Main Entrees • Classic Cheeseburger in Bun Alternate Entrees • Turkey, Cheese & Flatbread Fun Lunch • EZ Jammer Woubutter & Jelly Sandwich Sides for All Meals • Boston Baked Beans	24 Main Entrees • Mini Turkey Corn Dogs Alternate Entrees • Turkey, Cheese & Flatbread Fun Lunch • EZ Jammer Woubutter & Jelly Sandwich Sides for All Meals • Waffle Fries	25 Main Entrees • Macaroni and Cheese • Garlic Breadstick Alternate Entrees • Turkey, Cheese & Flatbread Fun Lunch • EZ Jammer Woubutter & Jelly Sandwich Sides for All Meals • Green Beans
28 Main Entrees • Grilled Cheese Sandwich Alternate Entrees • Strawberry Parfait with Granola • Low Fat Mozzarella String Cheese • Cheddar Goldfish Crackers • EZ Jammer Woubutter & Jelly Sandwich Sides for All Meals • Campbell's Tomato Soup	29 Main Entrees • Boneless Chicken Wings • Fresh Baked Whole Grain Biscuit Alternate Entrees • Strawberry Parfait with Granola • Low Fat Mozzarella String Cheese • Cheddar Goldfish Crackers • EZ Jammer Woubutter & Jelly Sandwich Sides for All Meals	30 Main Entrees • Whole Grain French Toast • Sides • Scrambled Eggs Alternate Entrees • Strawberry Parfait with Granola • Low Fat Mozzarella String Cheese • Cheddar Goldfish Crackers • EZ Jammer Woubutter & Jelly Sandwich Sides for All Meals	31 NO LUNCH TODAY STUDENT HALF DAY DISMISSAL: 12:00 P.M.	



PowerSchool Forms

Screenshot of the PowerSchool website showing the 'Forms' section in the navigation menu, highlighted with a red circle. A large purple checkmark is overlaid on the page.

Don't forget to fill out your forms online!

Visit our PowerSchool Support Page on our Website for assistance!

www.calschools.org/resources/powerschool-support/

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APP Tutorials

www.calschools.org/resources/app-support/



- School Calendars
- 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



Cal FREE meals for all enrolled CCS students for the 2024 - 2025 School Year

It's more than just free meals...

Even though meals are free this year, it's crucial for our district to know which families qualify for free or reduced-price lunches. **Completing this form** helps in several ways:

The Federal Free/Reduced Meal Application determines the amount of federal funding for the district, impacting ALL students.

7 Reasons to Complete the Free & Reduced Lunch Application

	Increased funding to support your child's school		Discounts for fees associated with college application process		Discounted fees for SAT, ACT & AP tests along with scholarship opportunities
	Discounts on pay-to-participate fees for qualifying student athletes		Additional funding for technology and internet access		Receive discounts on fees associated with credit recovery
					Discounts on Chromebook Care Plans for qualifying families



A new application is **REQUIRED** each school year. So, even if you applied a year ago, a new application must be submitted for the 2024-25 school year.

<https://caledonia.familyportal.cloud>

Contact our food service department at 616-891-0227 for additional assistance.

What makes a meal...

Each day, your child is offered a lunch containing the following:

Meat or Meal Alternative

Grain

Fruit, Vegetable

And of course, Milk!

Must pick at least 3!

Here's an example menu:

Cheeseburger on a Bun
1/2 cup Carrots
1/2 cup French Fries
1/2 cup Peaches
8 oz. of Milk

Lunch menus available online



www.calschools.org/departments/food-service/

Don't forget breakfast...

Join us each morning; breakfast is a great way to kick off your child's day!

**A note about breakfast:

Breakfast choices are a little different. Students must take at least 3 of the offered items at breakfast, one must be a fruit or vegetable.