

SCHOOL SPIRIT



Monticello Community School District

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Hi everyone,

With the Great Jones County Fair in the rearview mirror and fall sports beginning this week for high school, we are rapidly closing in on the start of the school year. The first day of school for the students is August 23rd. It is important to start planning to put your kids on a more school-like schedule soon. The biggest things to consider are creating consistent sleeping and eating habits over the next few weeks.

Transitioning into an earlier to bed schedule can be difficult this time of the year because it is light out late into the evening. Younger kids need to sleep 10-11 hours per night and the older kids need to sleep 8-10 hours per night. Just consider that when you adjust bedtimes in the next few weeks. Also for the older kids, consider setting up a time at night that they are off the phone. The older kids will have a little "FOMO" (fear of missing out) but in reality they will really miss out at school the next day without a good night's sleep.

Also it is important to set up good eating habits. If your kids are like mine they have a tendency to "graze" more during the summer. They sometimes fill up with empty calories at odd times of the day, then are not hungry when it is a mealtime. Talking with your kids about making good food and nutritional choices is so important. Also, often times when school starts, kids will forget breakfast. Please make sure they get something at home or leave early enough to get breakfast at school. This is so important because kids need some gas in the tank to learn, concentrate, and do well at school in general.

The custodial and maintenance staff is putting the finishing touches on each building so they are ready for the first day of school on August 23rd. The rooms have been cleaned, the floors have been polished, and the summer repairs have been made. Now we just need the halls buzzing with staff and students again, and the 2023-2024 school year will be off and running.

With the last few weeks of summer still ahead of us, I hope that you and your family can finish a few more things on the summer checklist. Then, in a few weeks, we will start the engine and get ready for lift off. The doors will open on August 23rd and when the kids come to school on the first day, we will be starting another wonderful year in the Monticello Community School District. Can't wait to get started on another adventure!!! See you all very soon!!!



As always, if you have any questions, please feel free to send me an email or give me a call at any time. Thank you for your continued support of the Monticello Community School District.

Sincerely,

Brian Jaeger, Superintendent

The MISSION of the Monticello Community Schools, a district striving for educational excellence, is to prepare students through challenging experiences, to be caring, productive, creative citizens, who will be life-long learners.

August 2023

NEWS & NOTES

of the Monticello Community School District

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BACK TO SCHOOL

Have you registered yet?

Registration for the Monticello Community School District for the 2023-24 school year will be done **ONLINE ONLY** this year. We will not have an in person registration day like in the past. All families are required to register their students in Infinite Campus through the process known as Online Registration (OLR). Online registration (OLR) is now open! OLR allows parents to register at their own convenience and to save time for future years. Please follow the steps below.

RETURNING Students - Steps to Register:

1. Login to the [Infinite Campus Parent Portal](https://monticelloia.infinitecampus.org/campus/OLRLoginKiosk/monticello). If you do not know your login, please email morgan.murray@monticello.k12.ia.us
2. Click on the Main Menu in the top left corner
3. Click More
4. Click on Online Registration
5. Click 23-24 Online Registration (OLR) Existing Student Registration
6. Click Start
7. Once completed be sure to pay any fees due and also add money to your food service account*

NEW Students - Steps to Register:

Welcome to Monticello CSD! Please fill out your new student's information into the online link below. This is **ONLY** for a new student and not if you have existing students already registered at one of our schools. If you have multiple new students coming into the district, you may enter them all in one application. Once your student application has been processed through by a secretary, they will be added to your parent account. Fees will be assessed to your child upon secretary approval.

NEW students register here: <https://monticelloia.infinitecampus.org/campus/OLRLoginKiosk/monticello>

Note: Some documents are required for students, depending on the grade level your child is in. They can be uploaded, emailed, or dropped off at your school building.

If you have any questions or need help registering, please email morgan.murray@monticello.k12.ia.us or call 319-320-1132.

Online registration needs to be done by August 14. If you are unable to register online, please contact your building secretary to set up a time to register before August 11. Support for online registration will NOT be available at Open House.

*You are able to pay online for fees and lunch once you are logged in. You can pay by credit or debit card (*a convenience fee of 3.61% will be charged*), or by e-check (*a convenience fee of only 35 cents will be charged*). If you don't wish to pay online, payment can be mailed or made at your school building.

Schedules, padlocks, chromebooks, etc. can be picked up at Open House once fees have been paid. Please check our website and Facebook page regularly for updates.

Here's to a great 2023-24 school year!

2023-24 Bus Routes

We are currently working on the bus routes for this year. Most of the routes will be the same as previous years. Regular bus routes and shuttle routes will be posted on our website before school starts. If you have moved over the summer and will be changing your transportation or are new to the District and need transportation, please call the Bus Barn at 319-465-3000, then press 7. Thank you!



Free & Reduced Lunch Applications are Due!

Families who feel they may qualify for free or reduced lunch are strongly encouraged to fill out the free/reduced meals application. If you do not fill out this form, your registration fees cannot be reduced or waived. Please sign the waiver information box towards the bottom of page 2 of the application to waive or reduce fees. Applications are available at the District Office or on our website.

Open House @ All Schools

Monday, August 21

*****Staggered times for each building*****

Elementary: 4:30-6:00 pm

Middle School: 5:00-6:30 pm

High School: 5:30-7:00 pm



School supply lists are available in the District Office or on our website.

2023-24 CALENDAR





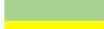



Board Approved: 1/23/2023

Monticello Community School District 2023-2024 Master Calendar

Summary of Calendar

Student Hours in Classroom:	
First Semester:	543.56
Second Semester:	545.64
PT Conferences:	16.00
TOTAL STUDENT HOURS:	1105.20

CALENDAR LEGEND

	Start/End Semester	4
	PD Day	2
	1pm dismissal for PD/Collab	26
	Parent/Teacher Conferences	4
	Collaboration Day	3
	Holiday	6
	Vacation Days	14
	Early Dismissal 1pm	2

Holidays

Sept. 4	Labor Day
Nov. 23	Thanksgiving Day
Dec. 25	Christmas Day
Jan. 1	New Year's Day
Mar. 29	Good Friday
May 27	Memorial Day

Professional Development Days (No School)

Aug. 18, 21

Collaboration Days (No School)

Aug. 22; Jan. 2; April 1

1pm Dismissal Dates

Aug. 30; Sept. 13, 20, 27; Oct. 4, 11, 18
Nov. 1, 8, 15, 29; Dec. 6, 21; Jan. 10, 24, 31
Feb. 7, 14, 21, 28; Mar. 6, 20
April 10, 17, 24; May 1, 8, 22*

Parent Teacher Conferences

HS, MS, Elem - Oct. 24 & Oct. 26
HS, MS, Elem - Mar. 26 & Mar. 28

Break Days

Oct. 27
Nov. 22-24
Dec. 22 - Jan. 1
Jan. 15
March 11-15

Weather Make-Up Days

May 23-June 7

Teacher Floating Work Days

August 3 - 17 (1 day)
May 23 - June 7 (1 day)

Month	M	T	W	Th	F
Aug.		1	2	3	4
	7	8	9	10	11
	14	15	16	17	18
	21	22	23	24	25
	28	29	30	31	

Sept.					1
	4	5	6	7	8
	11	12	13	14	15
	18	19	20	21	22
	25	26	27	28	29

Oct.	2	3	4	5	6
	9	10	11	12	13
	16	17	18	19	20
	23	24	25	26	27
	30	31			

Nov.			1	2	3
	6	7	8	9	10
	13	14	15	16	17
	20	21	22	23	24
	27	28	29	30	

Dec.				1	2
	4	5	6	7	8
	11	12	13	14	15
	18	19	20	21	22
	25	26	27	28	29

Jan.	1	2	3	4	5
	8	9	10	11	12
	15	16	17	18	19
	22	23	24	25	26
	29	30	31		

Feb.				1	2
	5	6	7	8	9
	12	13	14	15	16
	19	20	21	22	23
	26	27	28	29	

March					1
	4	5	6	7	8
	11	12	13	14	15
	18	19	20	21	22
	25	26	27	28	29

April	1	2	3	4	5
	8	9	10	11	12
	15	16	17	18	19
	22	23	24	25	26
	29	30			

May			1	2	3
	6	7	8	9	10
	13	14	15	16	17
	20	21	22	23	24
	27	28	29	30	31

June	3	4	5	6	7
	10	11	12	13	14

EVENTS

17 - New Teachers Report	August
18-21 - No School, Professional Development Days	
21 - Open House:	
Elementary: 4:30-6pm MS: 5-6:30pm HS: 5:30-7pm	
21 - Kirkwood First Semester Classes begin	
22 - No School, Collaboration Day	
23 - CLASSES BEGIN	
30 - 1pm dismissal	
4 - No School, Holiday	September
13, 20, 27 - 1pm dismissal	
18-23 - Homecoming Week	

4, 11, 18 - 1pm dismissal	October
24 & 26 - Elem/MS/HS PT Conference 4-8	
27 - No School	

1, 8, 15, 29 - 1pm dismissal	November
22 & 24 - No School	
23 - No School, Holiday	

6 - 1pm dismissal	December
12 - Kirkwood First Semester Classes End	
21 - 1pm dismissal , No PD	
12/22-1/2 - No School, Winter Break	
25 - No School, Holiday	

1 - No School, Holiday	January
2 - No School, Collaboration Day	
9 - End 1st Semester	
10 - Begin 2nd Semester	
10, 24, 31 - 1pm dismissal	
15 - No School	
16 - Kirkwood Second Semester Classes Begin	

7, 14, 21, 28 - 1pm dismissal	February
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6, 20 - 1pm dismissal	March
11-15 - No School, Spring Break	
26 & 28 - Elem/MS/HS PT Conference 4-8	
29 - No School, Holiday	

1 - No School, Collaboration Day	April
10, 17, 24 - 1pm dismissal	
PROM TBD	

1, 8 - 1pm dismissal	May
8 - Kirkwood Second Semester Classes End	
15 - Last day for Seniors	
19 - HS Graduation	
22 - Last day of school, 1pm dismissal , No PD*	
27 - No School, Holiday	

*Will move to last day if snow days are added

IMPORTANT INFO

Parents of 2024 Seniors!



Summer is a great time to take senior portraits!

Senior and baby pictures for the yearbook are due **before winter break of senior year**. Plan to take photos over the summer and have one thing crossed off the senior to-do list! A free option is available for a yearbook photo on Halverson's school picture day in the fall also. Guidelines are listed below:

GUIDELINES FOR SENIOR PHOTOS FOR YEARBOOK

- vertical format
- clothing should conform to school dress code
- no inappropriate poses
- no other people, animals, objects/props in photograph
- no sunglasses
- color or B/W are acceptable
- submit digitally (preferred) or write name on back if submitting a hard copy.
- must be received by deadline (before winter break of senior year)

Photos can be emailed to emily.marjoua@monticello.k12.ia.us or can be turned in at the office drive up window.

Baby photos are optional but must also be submitted by deadline if you wish one. Copies are preferred to original heirloom photos. Baby pictures not submitted digitally should be labeled on the back with first and last names.

For senior pictures, of course, you are free to have any senior photo poses you and your photographer wish for your own use. However, the senior portrait selected and submitted for use in the school yearbook must meet the above guidelines. Thanks!

IMPORTANT!



- ⇒ Before School starts in August all Kindergarten, 7th, and 12th grade students must have their expected immunizations per state law.
- ⇒ All Kindergarten and 9th grade students must have a current Dental screening certificate on file.
- ⇒ All Kindergarten students must be up to date on their preschool shots and have received their 4-year-old boosters of Dtap, Polio, MMR, and Varicella.
- ⇒ All preschool students must be up to date on their immunizations and have a physical.
- ⇒ All 7th grade and above students must show proof of having received a Tdap (Tetanus/Acellular Pertussis) vaccination booster AND a Meningococcal vaccination on or after 10 years of age.
- ⇒ All students in grades 7-12 interested in participating in sports must have a current physical and concussion form on file.
- ⇒ All 12th grade students must show proof of receiving 2 DOSES of Meningococcal vaccine; or 1 dose if first dose was received at 16 years of age or older.

Get those appointments scheduled!

Activities Calendar

Get all your activities schedules at: www.rivervalleyconference.org. You can follow this link and click on 'Monticello' to get to our activities calendar. This will show all of our activities for the year. You can view schedules for a particular sport/activity or multiple sports or activities. You can also click on "Notify Me!" in the right hand section of the website and are able to set up an account to receive reminders before each activity or notifications of schedule changes or cancellations via text or email. Great tool! Please check back often for updates or sign up to receive the notifications!

The activities calendar is also available on our website under "calendars" at the top of the page.



Get the Free App:



FROM THE NURSES OFFICE...



Kindergarten Parents!

All kindergarten immunizations need to be up to date before the first day of school (or a notarized religious or medical exemption filled out), or students cannot attend school. We also need a physical, and dental and lead screening results. If you have any questions, please call Sandy Hinrichs or School Nurse, Jennifer Speltz at 319-465-3000.

Students with SPECIAL DIETS—If your student has any special diet needs, please contact School Nurses, Jennifer Speltz or Jodi Heinrich before school starts so we are better able to care for your children! They can be reached at 319-465-3000. Thank You!

Good luck to all the Fall athletes and coaches!

GO PANTHERS!



~WELCOME~

Welcome New Staff!

The 2023-24 school year will begin on Wednesday, August 23 with the following new staff members:

Sydney Bailey	Elementary Art Teacher
Nolan Baumhover	High School English Teacher
Hanna Horsfield	High School Science Teacher
Dolly Kurt	Preschool Teacher
Marlene Merkes	High School Math Teacher
Angie Rieniets	High School Spanish Teacher
Elizabeth Sheka	High School English Teacher
Laura Zumbach	Middle School Special Education Teacher

Additional hires are pending. Please help us in welcoming them to the Monticello Community School District!

FREE Community Picnic, Monday, August 21

Again this August, enjoy the FREE Community Picnic on Monday, August 21 from 5-7 p.m. in Monticello. Sponsored by community businesses, churches and individuals, the picnic is planned to enjoy conversations with friends and neighbors and kick off the school year on School Open House night.

Hosted on the lawn and downstairs in the United Church of Monticello, 123 N. Chestnut, the picnic is open to all in the community. Hamburgers will be grilled by the Jones County Beef Producers; the menu also includes hot dogs, chips, fruit, homemade cookies, ice cream, lemonade and water. In case of rain/inclement weather, the picnic will move to the Monticello Berndes Center.

According to Keith Stamp from the United Church of Monticello, "The picnic is planned for this evening because the school open houses are scheduled on the same night, August 21. The United Church of Monticello is hosting the event to provide opportunities for individuals in our community to come together for food, conversation and to enjoy the start of a new school year of learning for our community's children."



NOTICE

Just a reminder, we are no longer printing the *School Spirit*. It is emailed to parents and will be available on our Facebook page and [website](#) for all others. Sorry for any inconvenience.

ANNUAL NOTICES

Annual Notice of Nondiscrimination

The Monticello Community School District offers career and technical programs in the following areas of study:

Agricultural Education
Business Education
Family and Consumer Science Education
Industrial Education

It is the policy of the Monticello Community School District not to discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, disability, religion, creed, age, sexual orientation, gender identity, or genetic information (for employment) in any of its education programs, activities, or employment opportunities, pursuant to Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972, Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, [the Americans with Disabilities Act](#), and other applicable state and federal laws. This prohibition on discrimination applies to admission and employment.

The District has adopted grievance procedures for processing and resolving formal and informal Title IX sex discrimination and sexual harassment complaints and other discrimination complaints. Inquiries regarding sex discrimination pursuant to Title IX of the District's nondiscrimination policy may be directed to the District's Title IX Coordinator, Todd Werner, 860 East Oak Street, Monticello, Iowa 52310, 319-465-3000 ex2101, todd.werner@monticello.k12.ia.us; other grievances or complaints related to the District's nondiscrimination policy may be directed to the District's Equity Coordinator, Todd Werner, 860 East Oak Street, Monticello, Iowa 52310, 319-465-3000 ex2101, todd.werner@monticello.k12.ia.us.

Inquiries related to sex discrimination pursuant to Title IX may also be referred to U.S. Department of Education (attn. Assistant Secretary, Office for Civil Rights; 400 Maryland Avenue Southwest, Washington, DC 20202; 800-421-3481; OCR@ed.gov). Inquiries related to other grievances or complaints may be directed to the Director of the Office for Civil Rights U.S. Department of Education, Citigroup Center, 500 W. Madison Street, Suite 1475, Chicago, IL 60661-7204, Telephone: (312) 730-1560 Facsimile: (312) 730-1576, Email: OCR.Chicago@ed.gov)

Officials Responsible for Records

The Superintendent is administratively responsible for assuring the confidentiality of personally identifiable student information on a district-wide basis. The principal of each school within the District is administratively responsible at the building level for the management of student records in a confidential manner and in accordance with District policy and procedures. The following is a listing of the titles and office address of these individuals: **Superintendent Brian Jaeger** 850 E Oak Street; **High School Principal Nick Schauf** 850 East Oak Street; **Middle School Principal Todd Werner**, 860 E Oak Street; **Elementary Principal Denny Folken**, 321 West South Street.

Inspection of Instructional and Library Materials

Parents and other members of the school district community may view the instructional and library materials used by the students. All instructional materials, including teacher's manuals, online content or other supplementary material which will be used in connection with any survey, analysis, or evaluation as part of any federally funded programs must be available for inspection by parents. The instructional materials may be viewed on school district premises. Copies may be obtained according to board policy. It is the responsibility of the superintendent to develop administrative regulations regarding the inspection of instructional materials.

Parent/Student Rights

The Monticello Community School District maintains confidential records for all students currently or previously enrolled as is consistent with the District's responsibility for the provision of educational programs and services and the requirements of state/federal law and regulation. Copies of the District's student records policy are available upon request to the office of the superintendent or the principal of any district school.

Asbestos Notification

The Asbestos Hazard Emergency Response Act of 1986 (referred to as AHERA) was enacted by Congress to determine the extent of and develop solutions for any problems schools may have with asbestos. This notification, education and training of our employees, plans and procedures to minimize the disturbance of asbestos containing materials, and plans for regular surveillance of the asbestos containing materials are a part of our efforts to meet government regulations. A copy of the asbestos management plan is available for your inspection in our administrative offices during regular office hours.

Use of Video Cameras on School Buses

The Monticello Community School District Board of Directors has authorized the use of video cameras on school district transportation. The video cameras will be used to monitor student behavior to maintain order on school transportation to promote and maintain a safe environment. Students and parents are hereby notified that the content of video recordings may be used in a student disciplinary proceeding. The content of video recordings may be confidential student records and, if so, will be retained with other student records. Video recordings will only be retained if necessary for use in a student disciplinary proceeding or other matter as determined necessary by the administration. Parents may request to view video recordings of their child if the video recordings are used in a disciplinary proceeding involving their child.

ANNUAL NOTICES

Multicultural and Gender Fair Education

The education program of the Monticello Community School District revolves around a philosophy of equal educational opportunities and non-discrimination in educational programs and activities. The educational objectives outlined in the board of director's policies are the means whereby the district shall achieve its philosophy. Students will have an equal opportunity for a quality education without discrimination, regardless of their sex, race, color, national origin, religion, creed, age (except for permitting/prohibiting students to engage in certain activities), marital/parental status, sexual orientation, gender identity, genetic information, disability or socioeconomic status.

The education program is free of discrimination and provides equal opportunity for the students. The education program will foster knowledge of and respect and appreciation for the historical and contemporary contribution of diverse cultural groups, including race, color, national origin, gender, disability, religion, creed, and socioeconomic background, to society. Special emphasis is placed on the contributions and perspectives of Asian-Americans, African-Americans, Hispanic Americans, American Indians, European Americans, and persons with disabilities. It will also reflect the wide variety of roles open to both men and women and provide equal opportunity to both sexes.

It shall be the responsibility of the various curriculum development committees and the educational equity/equal employment opportunity/affirmative action coordinator to ensure that relevant and responsive educational opportunities are provided to district students.

Equal Educational Opportunity

The board will not discriminate or exclude in its educational programs/activities on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, disability, religion, creed, age, sexual orientation, or gender identity as required by state and federal laws, rules, and regulations. Further, the board affirms the right of all students and staff to be treated with respect and to be protected from intimidation, discrimination, physical harm, and harassment. The board requires all persons, agencies, vendors, contractors, and other persons and organizations doing business with or performing services for the school district to subscribe to all applicable federal and state laws, executive orders, and rules and regulations pertaining to contract compliance and equal opportunity. Student inquires or grievances related to this policy may be directed to District's Equity Coordinator and Title IX Coordinator, Todd Werner, 860 East Oak Street, Monticello, Iowa 52310, 319-465-3000 ex2101, todd.werner@monticello.k12.ia.us; as appropriate to the Director of the Iowa Civil Rights Commission, 400 East 14th Street, Des Moines, IA 50319-1004, 1-800-457-4416; to the Office for Civil Rights Chicago Office, United States Department of Education, Citigroup Center, 500 W. Madison Street, Suite 1475, Chicago, IL 60661-4544, (312) 730-1560; or to the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission Chicago Office, 500 W. Madison Street, Suite 2000, Chicago, IL 60661, 1-800-669-4000. Inquiries may also be directed to the Director, Iowa Department of Education, Grimes State Office Building, 400 E 14th Street, Des Moines, IA 50319-0146.

Annual Hearing Screening Parent Notification

Hearing Screening: Grant Wood Area Education Agency (GWAEA) screens all students in Preschool, Alternative Kindergarten (AK), Kindergarten, and grades 1, 2, and 5. Students in grades 3, 4, middle, and high school, who are new to the school, that don't have a documented hearing test, and some students with a history of known hearing loss will also be tested. Follow up testing may occur periodically if previous hearing test results were not within normal limits. Parent/guardians not wishing their child's hearing tested should notify the health office in writing at the beginning of the year. Parents/guardians with concerns about their child's hearing may contact their school nurse or Grant Wood Area Education Agency to schedule a hearing test at any time, (319)399-6700.

Grant Wood Support Services Available

Additional support services are available to assist teachers when concerns arise with students. These services include the building staff, (special education teacher, counselor, nurse, health secretary, etc. and Grant Wood Area Education Agency support staff (psychologist, social worker, consultant, speech-language pathologist, occupational and physical therapists, work experience coordinators and others). Teachers and families may use input on an informal basis or request formal assistance in identifying strategies to address a concern, in carrying out these strategies, or in monitoring individual student progress. These services are available for all students through teacher or parent requests. Working together, we can provide the best education possible for all of our children.

Competent Private Instruction

The definition of Competent Private Instruction is any student being taught at home by parents/guardians with or without the assistance of a licensed teacher or the student is enrolled in a non accredited non-public school. It is the responsibility of the parents/guardians to submit notification forms for each child, between the ages of 6 and 16 by September 15th with the resident district. These forms are available in the Superintendent's Office at 850 E Oak St, Monticello, IA.

ANNUAL NOTICES

Open Enrollment

The Iowa Legislature removed the March 1 filing deadline for open enrollment requests. Iowa now has rolling open enrollment in place. Due to this change, language that created set calendar deadlines for responding to open enrollment requests have been removed. Parents/guardians considering the use of the open enrollment option to enroll their child/ren in a public school district in the State of Iowa other than their district of residence should file an application with the resident district and receiving district. Transportation to and from a point on a regular school bus route of the receiving district is the responsibility of the parent/guardian, unless economic eligibility requirements are met and the receiving district is next to the resident district. Parents/guardians of open enrolled students whose income falls below 160% of the federal poverty guidelines are eligible for transportation assistance. This may be in the form of actual transportation or in the form of a cash stipend. Parents should be aware that open enrollment may result in the loss of athletic eligibility. Students who open enroll in grades 9-12 must wait 90 days to participate in interscholastic contests at the varsity level. Children will remain on open enrollment status unless the parent/guardian decides to cancel it or the agreement is terminated as a result of the parent/guardian moving, by not sending the child to the requested district or any other circumstance that results in the pupil no longer attending the receiving district. For more information on open enrollment please view the Iowa Department of Education website at: <https://educateiowa.gov/pk-12/options-educational-choice/open-enrollment>

Dental Screenings

All children enrolling in Iowa's elementary or high schools are required to have a dental screening as of July 1, 2008. The purpose of the dental screening is to improve the oral health of Iowa's children. Dental screenings help with early detection and treatment of dental diseases. This requirement applies only to those students entering kindergarten and the ninth grade. The dental screening is to be performed by a dentist or licensed dental hygienist. The dental screening requirements are:

- Kindergarteners to have a screening sometime between age 3 years to four months after their enrollment into Kindergarten
- 9th graders to have a screening that is valid for up to one year prior to their enrollment into 9th grade and up to four months after their enrollment

Iowa's State Dental Screening forms need to have been signed by a dentist or dental hygienist and the form turned into the child's respective school by December 15th of the enrollment into Kindergarten or 9th grade year. If the forms are not turned in, the Monticello School District will have a licensed dental hygienist from the I-SMILE program come in and do FREE dental screenings for that child. If the parent/guardian does not want their child screened, a letter expressing this must be turned into the child's school administrator by January 1st of that school year. The free dental screenings will be conducted during the second semester of the Kindergarten/9th grade enrolling school year.

BREAKFAST MENU




MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
21 <i>MILK served with all meals.</i>	22	23 Mini donuts Fresh fruit Assorted juice	24 Breakfast pizza Fresh fruit Assorted juice	25 Frosted cinnamon roll Fresh fruit Assorted juice
28 Yogurt parfait w/ granola Fresh fruit Assorted juice	29 Panther sandwich (sausage, egg & cheese) Fruit Assorted juice	30 Fruit strudel Assorted juice	31 Mini pancakes Fruit Assorted juice	Sept. 1 Cereal Poptart Fresh fruit Assorted juice

LUNCH MENU

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
21 <i>Choose a salad as an alternate lunch daily (HS & MS only)</i>	22	23 Breaded chicken sandwich w/ lettuce, tomato, pickles Smiley fries Green beans Mandarin oranges	24 Bosco sticks w/ marinara Garden salad w/ dressings Fresh veggies Watermelon	25 Chicken strips Mashed potatoes & gravy Roasted corn Fruit salad Dinner roll & butter
28 Mini corn dogs Sun chips Baked beans Grapes	29 Cheeseburger/bun Shoestring fries Steamed carrots M&M cookie	30 Breaded tenderloin / bun Onion rings Green beans Pineapple / mandarin oranges	31 Popcorn chicken Steak fries Mixed vegetables Apple wedges	Sept. 1 French toast sticks Hash brown patty Sausage patties Strawberries & bananas

USDA is an equal opportunity provider and employer. Menus are subject to change.

AUGUST 2023

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	1 Band Camp	2 Band Camp	3 Band Camp	4 Band Camp	5 Band Camp
7 <i>HS practices begin</i>	8	9 Board Work Session—6pm	10	11	12
14	15 Varsity VB Scrimmage—5pm—Home	16	17 Orientation for New Teachers	18 Professional Development Day JV/V Scrimmage @ Solon—5:00 & 6:30	19 Varsity VB Scrimmage @ Cascade -9:00am 
21 <i>Kirkwood 1st semester begins</i> Professional Development Day All Staff Employee Luncheon-11:30am Open House @ all schools: Elementary 4:30-6 MS 5-6:30 HS 5:30-7:00	22 Teacher Collaboration Day	23 <u>CLASSES BEGIN</u> 	24 9 VB @ CPU—5:00 9/10 VB @ CPU—5:00 JV/V VB @ CPU—6:00 & 7:30	25 JV/V FB @ Mt. Vernon-5:00 & 7:30 	26 FFA Livestock & Meats CDE @ Ames V XC Meet @ CR Prairie-8:00am V VB Tournament @ Cascade—9:00am
28 Musical Auditions-3:30 & 7:00 Board Meeting—6:00	19 Musical Auditions-3:30 9 VB vs Easton Valley-5:00 9/10 VB vs Easton Valley-5:00pm JV VB vs Easton Valley-6:00	30 1:00 Early Dismissal— Prof. Development	31 V XC @ Regina-Iowa City Kickers Soccer Complex-4:00 7/8 VB vs Bellevue-4:00 @ MS 9/10 VB vs Bellevue-6:00 JV/V VB vs Bellevue-6:00 & 7:15	Homecoming Week is Sept. 18-23!	

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