

Griggs Gazette

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October 2017

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not a JUDGE.
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Important Dates:

10/3-6—EQT's
10/6---End of 1st qtr.
10/6---Jean Fundraiser \$2.00 students can wear jeans/ appropriate length jeans shorts
10/9—Teacher work day-no school.
10/9-13—Bully Prevention Week
10/12---3rd grade field trip.
10/13---Nutrition Program Sponsored by American Culinary Federation (A Chef will speak to students)
10/13—Last day for PTA Fall Fundraiser.
10/16—Report Cards Go Home.
10/16---Statewide Parenting Day—More info to follow.
10/16---Griggs Night @ Texas Roadhouse.
10/19---Griggs Community Harvest Festival from 5-7:30.
10/23—1st grade and Ms. Tillman's class field trip.
10/23-27—Red Ribbon Week
10/24—Tanner Williams Pumpkin Patch @ Griggs for Kindergarten field trip.
10/27---KONA Ice
10/30-11/8—Food Drive-please send in non-perishable items. Sponsored by NEHS
11/3—Reflections Deadline. Mrs. Sergeant has this info.
11/10--Veteran's Day -no school.
11/20-24--Thanksgiving Holidays- no school.

PTA INFO:

PTA is having a membership drive. The cost to join is \$10.00 per family. The first class in each grade to reach 100% membership by Nov. 15th will receive a Pizza party.

PTA School Store is open every Wednesday during lunch hours. Prices range from 25 cents -\$1.00.

PTA Fall Fundraiser is going on now through October 13th.



CARPOOL REMINDER—Please NO CELL PHONE use in the drop off or pick up line of carpool. This is for the safety of students and staff.

OFFICE REMINDERS: If you have any change of information such as, Phone numbers, address, emergency contacts, or transportation—You **MUST** come to the office. Changes must be in writing in the office. We cannot take this information over the phone. Please make sure you are keeping phone numbers current. **If your child is sick or injured we must be able to get in touch with you.**

******Just a reminder student must be fever free, diarrhea free and vomiting free for 24 hours before returning to school. This is MCPSS policy.******

GRIGGS FACULTY AND STAFF WOULD LIKE TO SAY THANK YOU TO THE FOLLOWING GROUPS: TILLMAN'S CORNER FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH FOR DONATING ITEMS FOR OUR FOOD PANTRY, TILLMAN'S CORNER COMMUNITY CENTER FOR DONATING SCHOOL SUPPLIES, SERGEANT MARCH DONATING HIS TIME ("COPS FOR KIDS"), PTA PURCHASED LOCKDOWN MAGNETICS FOR THE ENTIRE SCHOOL ALL THE PARENTS/ FAMILIES FOR SUPPORTING OUR BOOK FAIR AND COMMUNITY YARD SALE, AND ZAXBY'S FOR HOSTING OUR GRIGGS NIGHT (WE RAISED \$281.14).

Thanks!

*****Extended Day Hours have been extended until 6:00 in the evening.*****

Get your Parent Bulletin by e-mail - email mcazalas@mcps.com to add your name to the e-mail group.

"Together We Lead... Together We Shine"

NEHS is sponsoring a Food Drive from October 30th- November 8th. Help NEHS by donating non-perishable food items during those two weeks. Griggs will be donating items to the community food pantry at Tillman's Corner Baptist Church.

Year to Date Attendance



Year	Month	Enrolled Quantity	Attended Quantity	Absent Quantity	Attendance %	Absence %
2017	AUG	12,808.0	12,446.0	362.0	87.2%	2.8%
	SEP	14,346.0	13,701.0	645.0	95.5%	4.5%

October Menu

2 <i>CYCLE 1</i>	3	4	5	6
Corndog Sweet potatoes Sweet Peas Fresh Fruit Fruit: Canned or Frozen or Dried	Meat Sauce w/pasta Green Beans Caesar Salad Juice Fruit: Canned or Frozen or Dried	Chicken and Brown Rice with Gravy Broccoli Carrots Roll Fresh Fruit Fruit: Canned or Frozen or Dried	Chili Crispito Cheese/SourCream/Taco Sauce Whole Kernel Corn Pinto or Black Beans Juice Fruit: Canned or Frozen or Dried	Chicken Fajita Collards or Turnip Greens Baby Roaster Potatoes Cornbread Fresh Fruit Fruit: Canned or Frozen or Dried
9 <i>CYCLE 2</i>	10	11	12	13
Teacher Work Day	Hot dog Chili/Cheese Chips Baked Beans Fruit/Milk/Juice	Chicken* Waffles Fries Salad Fruit/Milk *Managers Choice*	Buffet Ham Sweet Potatoes Turnip Greens Cornbread or Hushpuppies Fruit Milk/Juice	Salisbury steak Patty/Gravy Creamed Potatoes or Rice Green Beans Roll Fruit/Milk/Juice
16 <i>CYCLE 3</i>	17	18	19	20
Turkey/Ham/Cheese Sub Lettuce/Tomatoes/Pickles Mayo/Mustard Chips Peas and carrots Fruit Milk	Taco Grande Lettuce/Tomatoes/Sour Cream/Cheese Black or Pinto Beans Corn Fruit Milk/Juice	Hamburger Cheese/Lettuce/Tomatoes/Pickles Potato Rounds Baked Beans Fruit Milk	Chicken* Salad/Rolls Green Beans Yams Fruit Milk/Juice *Managers Choice: Rice Crispy treat or brownie* *Commodity*	Chili Mexican Cornbread Seasoned & baked Potatoes Broccoli Fruit Milk
23 <i>CYCLE 4</i>	24	25	26	27
Corn Dog Mustard/Ketchup Baked Beans Cole Slaw Fruit Milk	Sloppy Joe Dill Pickles Oven Fries Salad Carrot sticks Fruit/Milk/Juice *Managers Choice: Apple, Peach or Blueberry Crisp*	Chicken Sandwich Caesar Salad Broccoli Corn Oven Fries Fruit/Milk	Managers Choice: Lasagna Meatball Sub Spaghetti/Meat Sauce Green Beans Salad Fruit/ Juice *Breadstick w/Lasagna Or Spaghetti*	Steak or Chicken Nuggets Mash potatoes Gravy Sweet Peas & Carrots Rolls Fruit/Milk *Managers Choice: Rice Crispy Treat or Brownie*
30 <i>CYCLE 5</i>	31			
Oven Fried Chicken Baby roasted Potatoes Rolls Green Beans Carrots Fruit/Milk	Turnip/Collard Greens Potato salad Celery stick Cornbread Fruit/Milk/Juice *Managers choice: Hot wings or Chicken*			