



January 2023

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Cache La Poudre Elementary School

3511 W. Cty. Rd. 54G
LaPorte, CO 80535

Principal
Landus Boucher

Vice Principal
Colleen Worman

General Information

Office Hours

7:15am - 3:15pm

Phone Numbers

Office 488-7600

Fax 488-7676

**If your child is ill or will not be at school, please leave a message on the Attendance line.*

School Hours

7:50am - 2:35pm

Supervision begins at 7:45am

Preschool

7:40am - 2:35pm

Website

<https://cpe.psdschools.org>



January 2023 Newsletter

THU Jan 5	Students Return	
THU Jan 5	Young Rembrandts	2:35-3:35
TUE Jan 10	Lego Stem class	2:35-4:05
THU Jan 12	Young Rembrandts	2:35-3:35
MON Jan 16	NO SCHOOL -Martin Luther King, JR Day	
TUE Jan 17	Lego Stem	2:35-4:05
THU Jan 19	4 th and 5 th to Yes Concert Young Rembrandts	9:45 -12:00 2:35-3:35
MON Jan 23	Science Matters	2:35-3:35
TUE Jan 24	Lego Stem class	2:35-4:05
THU Jan 26	Young Rembrandts	2:35-3:35
MON Jan 30	Science Matters	2:35-3:35
TUE Jan 31	Lego Stem class	2:35-4:05



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From the Principal

Happy 2023! We hope everyone had quality time during the break to visit with family and friends, have some fun, rest and enjoy the holidays. We are excited to start our next semester well rested and ready to learn. This month we will be sending report cards home. Look for them to come sometime around the 12th. Reports cards can also be seen on Parentvue after January 15th.



We will not have school on Monday, January 16th in observance of Martin Luther King day. In Fort Collins, there will be an event “The More Hands That Interlock, The Heavier Burden We Can Lift” beginning at Washington Park at 11:00 am. Sponsored by CSU, Poudre School District, Front Range Community College, Poudre River Public Library and Summitstone Health Partners, this walk will continue to the Lory Student Center at CSU with Panama Soweto as the keynote speaker. This event is inspiring and can feel very empowering while joining in with other community members.

4th and 5th graders will be off on a field trip to the Timberline Church to the Yes concert on the 19th. This annual trip is organized by our music teacher Mrs. Flail. If your student has not turned in their field trip form, please get it in before the 19th.

It is great to see all the smiling faces back at school and as always, please contact us if you have any questions or concerns.

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Kindergarten registration has been open since December 7th. Registration is earlier this year than past years so many families may not be aware. If you know of any families that have kindergarten age children (must be 5 before October 1) please reach out and mention to them that we are open for registration now. Registration is online and can be accessed at PSDSCHOOLS.ORG.



Preschool registration is done with the Poudre School District Early Childhood program. They can be reached at 970-490-3204 for information about pre-k registration for next year.

Reminder regarding illness

Please remember, if your child has been ill, they should not return to school until 24 hours with no symptoms and or symptoms have improved significantly



and you have not given your child fever reduction medication for 24 hours. We are still recommending Covid tests if Covid symptoms are present. If you need a Covid test, we have them in office.



After School Classes available this month

Science Matters-new class (Pop Band Fizz) starts January 23-registration is online. Held Mondays from 2:35-3:35. www.ScienceMatters.tv

Lego Engineering new class on January 10 on Tuesday from 2:3-4:05- Sign up at play-well.org (<https://play-well-registration.com/registration/new/97928>)

Young Rembrandts-Classes ongoing Thursdays 2:35-3:35-sign up at www.youngrembrandts.com

Literacy Adoption Community Engagement Sessions

The district will be hosting three community engagement sessions specific to the literacy adoption in January. These sessions will be designed to offer participants the opportunity to view individual presentations by the vendors who are finalists in the selection process and to provide feedback on their materials. We have posted these as public meetings in the event that more than two Board members wish to attend each session.



- January 17, 6pm-8pm at Eyestone Elementary School
- January 18, 6pm-8pm at Rocky Mountain High School
- January 19, 6pm-8pm at Fossil Ridge High School




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Coordinator Corner

Hi families,

Welcome back ! I hope you had a rejuvenating winter break! This month I'd like to share information with you about another one of the key elements of the primary years program in an IB school, the approaches to learning. If you've been an IB parent for a while, you may have also heard these referred to as, "transdisciplinary skills."

The approaches to learning can essentially be thought of as learning how to learn. This is what the IB has to say about them:

The approaches to learning are grounded in the belief that learning how to learn is fundamental to a student's education. Five categories of interrelated skills aim to support students of all ages to become self-regulated learners who know how to ask good questions, set effective goals and pursue their aspirations with the determination to achieve them. These skills also help to support students' sense of agency, encouraging them to see their learning as an active and dynamic process (IBO 2017).

All teachers foster and support the development of these skills by providing opportunities embedded in authentic learning experiences.

The five categories of skills are:

- Communication skills
- Social skills
- Research skills
- Thinking skills
- Self management skills

Each skill also includes a set of sub skills that are more discrete, observable and measurable.

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These skills are also intertwined with the learner profile. For example, this month our learner profile is to practice being **reflective**. Using thinking skills can help us reflect on the process of learning, identify strengths and areas for improvement, as well as consider new skills, techniques and strategies for effective learning.

Here are some questions you might try at home to help your child practice being reflective:

- What did I learn today?
- What don't I understand yet?
- What questions do I have now?
- What can I already do?
- What will I work on next?
- What can I do to become a more effective learner?
- What factors are important for helping me learn well?
- Have I been a principled and balanced thinker? (for example, considering ethical, cultural and environmental implications) (*IBO Approaches to Learning 2020*)

Stay curious,

Mandy Parton

IB Coordinator

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Music Notes

Song Requests

Students of all ages can request songs to be used during listening and freeze dance times in music class. In fact, many did so on index cards the first day of music class. If your student would like to request a song at any time, there is a "Request a Song" button on my learning page at <https://sites.google.com/psdschools.org/cpe-specials-flail/home> I will check all songs for school-appropriate language and content; if there is any question, I will play an instrumental or KidzBop version instead of the regular song. I ESPECIALLY WOULD LOVE TO HAVE KINDERGARTEN FAMILIES REQUEST SONGS!



Quaver Music:

Students can access their very own Quaver account with activities, games, and assignments at www.tinyurl.com/2022Quaver. Our district has a special license and website for accessing student accounts through Quaver Music. These accounts are automatically created by our district technology team, and you do not need to create a username or password. Be sure to visit www.tinyurl.com/2022Quaver and sign in using your student's PSD email and password. If you are asked to answer Yes or No, click No. Then you should be at the student dashboard, where your student can explore items like the "Creatives" and other activities. This is a fun way to explore music on your own.

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2022-23 Music Programs:

Music Program dates and times are listed below. Students will arrive in their classrooms ten minutes before their performance times. You will receive detailed information about your student's performance starting about one month before the performance date.



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Music Notes

Program and Performance Dates and Times (in the CLPE Gym):

Thursday, March 30, 2023

5:45 p.m. Kindergarten Music Program

6:30 p.m. 3rd Grade Music Program

Thursday, April 13, 2023

5:45 p.m. 1st Grade Music Program

6:30 p.m. 4th Grade Music Program

Tuesday, May 2, 2023 at 6:00 p.m. Modern Band Concert

Thursday, May 4, 2023

5:45 p.m. 2nd Grade Music Program

6:30 p.m. 5th Grade Music Program: 5th Grade Showcase

Modern Band Club will meet during the spring this year, and will be open to students in 3rd, 4th, and 5th grades. More information regarding schedules and registration will be provided after Winter Break.

As always, please contact me with any questions or concerns. I am at CLPE all day on Tuesday and Thursday, and in the morning on Wednesday.

Melissa Flail mflail@psdschools.org 488-7645

What's happening in the Art Room?

What do we do in the Art room? What are we learning?
We are learning about what it means to be creative on projects by using a variety of materials.



This year we are exploring the 8 Studio Habits of Mind which influence the state and national standards.

But this month, let me explain two of the studio habits: *Express and Develop Craft*

Express: When you express yourself artistically, you are communicating your ideas, beliefs, and feelings through visual language.

Develop Craft: When you develop craft, you improve your art skills through practice and learn more about your art idea/s.

This month, students will be learning about the following art concepts:
Kindergarten: Painting on fabric like Faith Ringgold, author of *Tar Beach*

And learning about Disney artist, Mary Blair

1st: Weaving using a cardboard loom - reading *The Goat in The Rug*

2nd: Proportion (micro and macro Georgia O'Keefe v. Van Gogh sunflowers)

3rd: Felting and Embellishment

4th: Weaving using a cardboard loom - exploring looms and Diné weaving

5th: Mini Galleries

January Breakfast Menu

January 2023

Cache La Poudre Elementary

Breakfast

MONDAY

2

HAPPY
New Year

TUESDAY

3

- No School Today

WEDNESDAY

4

- No School Today

THURSDAY

5

- Breakfast Round
- Assorted Muffins
- Assorted Cereal
- Assortment of Fruit
- Milk Variety
- Assorted Juice

FRIDAY

6

- Breakfast Calzone
- Assorted Muffins
- Assorted Cereal
- Assortment of Fruit
- Milk Variety
- Assorted Juice

9

- Breakfast Sausage Pizza
- Assorted Muffins
- Assorted Cereal
- Assortment of Fruit
- Milk Variety
- Assorted Juice

10

- Whole Grain Waffle, Maple
- Assorted Muffins
- Assorted Cereal
- Assortment of Fruit
- Milk Variety
- Assorted Juice

11

- French toast sticks
- Assorted Muffins
- Assorted Cereal
- Assortment of Fruit
- Milk Variety
- Assorted Juice

12

- Pancake & Sausage Wrap
- Assorted Muffins
- Assorted Cereal
- Assortment of Fruit
- Milk Variety
- Assorted Juice

13

- WG Seasonal Loaf Bread
- Assorted Muffins
- Assorted Cereal
- Assortment of Fruit
- Milk Variety
- Assorted Juice

16

HAPPY
MARTIN LUTHER KING
DAY

17

- Mini Cinnamon Rolls
- Assorted Muffins
- Assorted Cereal
- Assortment of Fruit
- Milk Variety
- Assorted Juice

18

- Breakfast Sausage Pizza
- Assorted Muffins
- Assorted Cereal
- Assortment of Fruit
- Milk Variety
- Assorted Juice

19

- Cinnamon Roll
- Assorted Muffins
- Assorted Cereal
- Assortment of Fruit
- Milk Variety
- Assorted Juice

20

- Sausage & Cheese Bagel Sandwich
- Assorted Muffins
- Assorted Cereal
- Assortment of Fruit
- Milk Variety
- Assorted Juice

23

- Whole Grain Waffle, Chocolate Chip
- Assorted Muffins
- Assorted Cereal
- Assortment of Fruit
- Milk Variety
- Assorted Juice

24

- French toast sticks
- Assorted Muffins
- Assorted Cereal
- Assortment of Fruit
- Milk Variety
- Assorted Juice

25

- Breakfast Round
- Assorted Muffins
- Assorted Cereal
- Assortment of Fruit
- Milk Variety
- Assorted Juice

26

- Egg Scramble with Tortilla
- Assorted Muffins
- Assorted Cereal
- Assortment of Fruit
- Milk Variety
- Assorted Juice

27

- Pancake & Sausage Wrap
- Assorted Muffins
- Assorted Cereal
- Assortment of Fruit
- Milk Variety
- Assorted Juice

30

- WG Seasonal Loaf Bread
- Assorted Muffins
- Assorted Cereal
- Assortment of Fruit
- Milk Variety
- Assorted Juice

31

- Breakfast Sausage Pizza
- Assorted Muffins
- Assorted Cereal
- Assortment of Fruit
- Milk Variety
- Assorted Juice

January Lunch Menu

January 2023

Cache La Poudre Elementary

Lunch

MONDAY

2

**HAPPY
NEW
YEAR**

TUESDAY

3

- No School Today

WEDNESDAY

4

- No School Today

THURSDAY

5

- Beef Taco & Rice
- Chicken Nuggets
- Cold Deli Meat & Goldfish
- Cold Deli Yogurt & Goldfish or Pretzels
- Pb&J Sandwich
- Black Beans
- Mexican Condiments- ELEM
- Nugget Dipping Sauces

FRIDAY

6

- Cheese Pizza
- Hawaiian Pizza
- Hummus & Veggie Box
- Cold Deli Yogurt & Goldfish or Pretzels
- Pb&J Sandwich
- Corn
- Assorted Italian Condiments

9

- Chicken Patty Sandwich
- Turkey Gravy & Roll
- Cold Deli Meat & Roll
- Cold Deli Yogurt & Roll
- Pb&J Sandwich
- Mashed Potatoes
- Chicken Gravy

10

- Penne & Meat Sauce
- Pizza Bites
- Ham or Turkey & Cheese Sandwich
- Cold Deli Yogurt & Roll
- Pb&J Sandwich
- Green Beans
- Assorted Italian Condiments

11

- Asian Teriyaki Chicken & Rice
- Pig in a Blanket
- Cold Deli Meat & Roll
- Cold Deli Yogurt & Roll
- Pb&J Sandwich
- Steamed Veggies

12

- Chicken Burrito
- Grilled Ham & Cheese
- Cold Deli Meat & Roll
- Cold Deli Yogurt & Roll
- Pb&J Sandwich
- Refried Beans
- Mexican Condiments- ELEM

13

- Cheese Pizza
- Pepperoni Pizza
- Yogurt Parfait
- Cold Deli Yogurt & Roll
- Pb&J Sandwich
- Steamed Carrots
- Assorted Italian Condiments

16

**HAPPY
MARTIN
LUTHER KING
DAY**

17

- Cheese Ravioli & Roll
- Cheese Calzone & Marinara
- Turkey or Ham & Cheese Sandwich
- Cold Deli Yogurt & Pretzel or Goldfish
- Pb&J Sandwich
- Green Beans
- Assorted Italian Condiments

18

- Orange Beef & Rice
- Chicken & Waffles
- Turkey or Ham & Cheese Sandwich
- Cold Deli Yogurt & Pretzel or Goldfish
- Pb&J Sandwich
- Steamed Veggies

19

- Homemade Chili & Corn Muffin
- Chicken Nuggets
- Turkey or Ham & Cheese Sandwich
- Cold Deli Yogurt & Pretzel or Goldfish
- Pb&J Sandwich
- Black Beans
- Nugget Dipping Sauces

20

- Cheese Pizza
- Veggie Pizza
- Chicken Caesar Wrap
- Cold Deli Yogurt & Pretzel or Goldfish
- Pb&J Sandwich
- Corn
- Assorted Italian Condiments

23

- Grilled Cheese Sandwich
- Fish Sticks
- Cold Deli Meat & Roll
- Cold Deli Yogurt & Roll
- Pb&J Sandwich
- Tomato Basil Soup

24

- Mac & Cheese
- Lasagna with Beef
- Ham or Turkey & Cheese Sandwich
- Cold Deli Yogurt & Roll
- Pb&J Sandwich
- Green Beans
- Assorted Italian Condiments

25

- Asian noodle & Meatball
- Pig in a Blanket
- Ham or Turkey & Cheese Sandwich
- Cold Deli Yogurt & Roll
- Pb&J Sandwich
- Steamed Broccoli

26

- Beef & Bean Burrito
- Chicken Patty Sandwich
- Ham or Turkey & Cheese Sandwich
- Cold Deli Yogurt & Roll
- Pb&J Sandwich
- Refried Beans
- Mexican Condiments- ELEM

27

- Cheese Pizza
- Pepperoni Pizza
- Chef Salad & Roll
- Cold Deli Yogurt & Roll
- Pb&J Sandwich
- Peas
- Assorted Italian Condiments

30

- Hamburger & Cheeseburger
- Fish Sticks
- Cold Deli Meat & Goldfish
- Cold Deli Yogurt & Goldfish or Pretzels
- Pb&J Sandwich
- Steamed Carrots

31

- Chicken Alfredo
- Cheese Calzone & Marinara
- Turkey or Ham & Cheese Sandwich
- Cold Deli Yogurt & Goldfish or Pretzels
- Pb&J Sandwich
- Green Beans
- Assorted Italian Condiments

Food Offered Daily:

- Salad Bar
- Fruit Salad
- Assorted Salad Dressings
- Whole Wheat Dinner Roll
- Chocolate Milk
- Milk fat free
- Milk low fat 1%
- Assorted Condiments