

ZACH ELEMENTARY SCHOOL



Motto: “Together We Inspire”

Vision: Ensure high levels of learning for all students.

Mission: We commit to do our best to encourage, inspire and meet each child’s needs.

August 26th Memo

Monday, August 29th



Tuesday, August 30th



Wednesday, August 31st

- Picture Day

Thursday, September 1st

- 2:50-3:20pm: 2nd Grade Family Social; Zach playground

Friday, September 2nd

- Sparkle and Spirit Friday
- 8:15-9:00am: Coffee and Conversation with Angel; cafeteria ([SignUpGenius](#))

New Information

Get Ready to Volunteer

If you are not a registered volunteer, and are hoping to volunteer this year, please register to be a volunteer [HERE](#). It usually takes a little time to process, and we want you to be ready for the next opportunity that might interest you. We appreciate the partnership and support!

Zach Parking Lot

Please make sure to use the crosswalk when walking in the parking lot. The parking lot is very busy during pickup and dismissal, and we want to make sure all students and families are safe. Thank you in advance for your help with this during pickup and dismissal.

School Safety Week at Zach

School Safety Week will be September 6th - 9th. As part of school safety week, our students and staff will participate in a practice evacuation drill and a practice lockdown drill. These required practice drills are held to ensure all students and staff know how to respond in the event of a real emergency. In addition, our SRO, Officer Garcia will be here before school on September 8th to talk with students about Bike Safety. Zach will celebrate First Responders Day on September 9th, with various organizations coming to Zach to share with us all the great things they do to keep us safe.

Fans and Room Air Cooling Systems

Thank you to those of you who have shared fans and cooling units* with our staff to cool rooms the next few weeks in our building. Next week is in the mid-80's, as was this week, so we've been lucky to not have any 90 degree plus days. That helps! However, it is still warm, so continue to send your children with water bottles for hydration.

**Please note that we cannot utilize swamp coolers in our buildings (any cooling systems that use ice/water), because the mist falls directly on the carpets which can cause mold and impact student health. Don't hesitate to reach out to Angel or Jason if you have questions.*

Parent Teacher Organization (PTO)

We would love to see as many of our families as we can at our PTO meetings. It takes a village! Click [HERE](#) on meeting days to access the Google Meet. Meetings are on Wednesdays 12-12:45pm: Sept. 7, Oct. 12, Nov. 9

The PTO's mission is to facilitate collaboration between parents, teachers, and staff in order to enhance each child's education. Use this [link](#) to register with Poudre School District and receive emails about Zach volunteer opportunities. Consider joining or leading a committee. There are lots of ways to shape our children's experience! You can get in touch with the PTO board to ask questions, provide feedback, or request PTO meeting minutes by emailing zachpto@gmail.com.

Reminders

Volunteer Opportunity

We are looking for 2-3 volunteers who want to turn an empty classroom into a community space for small groups and collaboration. This would include decorating the bulletin boards, organizing the room, and setting up supplies. If you are interested in helping, please contact Angel Herrick at angelh@psdschools.org.

School Accountability Committee (SAC)

Please email Angel, angelh@psdschools.org, if you are interested in being on our School Accountability Committee (SAC). Meetings are held four times over the course of the year: Sept. 14, Nov. 9, Feb. 8, and April 12 from 5-6 p.m. at Zach Elementary in the Media Center.

The School Accountability Committee is composed of Zach parents, classroom teachers, administration, and community members. This committee works throughout the year to develop and monitor our Unified Improvement Plan, to recommend expenditures of student-based budget funds, and to make decisions for continued improvement of the instruction and operations of our school.

- Open to all; must apply and commit to not miss more than one meeting.
- When necessary, SAC members "vote" by consensus. Other parents are welcome to attend meetings by RSVP'ing at least 1 school day in advance. Non-members do not hold voting powers. Agendas and minutes will be posted online.

Clubs & Enrichments

Our Clubs and Enrichments will be opening for enrollment on September 1st. See the "Clubs and Enrichments" tab on the Zach webpage for fall offerings. We are trying to get a Running Club going but we need your help. Anyone willing to help support please contact Assistant Principal, Jason Buckley at (970) 488-5104 or jabuckley@psdschools.org.

Picture Day (Attachment)

Zach's picture day is Wednesday, August 31st. Please see attached flier for more information.

September Grade Level Family Socials

Are you interested in meeting the students and families in your child's grade level? Do you want to reconnect with your community? Join us for your child's Grade Level Family Social during the month of September. Your family is invited to join your child's grade level teachers and classmates to play on the Zach playground from 2:50-3:20 p.m. Please note that parents/guardians are required to be in attendance with your child(ren). We hope to see you there!

Kindergarten: September 8th

1st Grade: September 9th

2nd Grade: September 1st

3rd Grade: September 15th

4th Grade: September 14th

5th Grade: TBD (Ecoweek Meeting)

Register to Volunteer

Anyone interested in volunteering in the classroom, must register to become a volunteer. Please click on the link below to register.

<https://www.pdschools.org/community/volunteers>

Zach Enrichment Fund (ATTACHMENT)-ACTION ITEM

Please make your Zach Enrichment Fund (ZEF) annual contribution for each student during registration. To learn more, see the resources below. Thank you in advance for all that you do to support our Zach school community.

- Read the attached and linked [LETTER](#) from Zach regarding the annual contribution program.
- Make your contribution in person on school supply drop off day or simply pay along with your other registration fees using SchoolPay <https://pdschools.schoolpay.com/>

Code of Conduct-ACTION ITEM

Each year, we ask our parents/guardians to provide a digital acknowledgement after reviewing the updated [Student Rights and Code of Conduct](#), which is a compilation of rules, policies and regulations regarding student behavior. The [2022-23 Code of Conduct](#) is now available on the [PSD website](#) in multiple languages.

How to complete your digital acknowledgement

- Parents/guardians
 - Log into the [ParentVUE parent portal](#).
 - Read the Acknowledgement text box.
 - Click on the link at the bottom of the page to download the 2022-2023 Code of Conduct.
 - Write your name on the signature field exactly as it appears on your ParentVUE account.
 - Click “Yes.”
 - Parents/guardians will not be given access to ParentVUE until they electronically sign the acknowledgement.
- Parents of secondary students (6-12)
 - Your student will also be asked to acknowledge having received and reviewed the Code of Conduct when logging into StudentVUE for the first time this school year.
- Families new to PSD or those who have never accessed their ParentVUE account will receive a separate email with instructions for how to log into ParentVUE.
- If you have questions regarding ParentVUE or StudentVUE, see the [ParentVUE FAQ](#) or contact your school.

Changes to be aware of

- A summary of changes to the Code of Conduct, from the 2021-22 to 2022-23 school year editions, is available on the [Code of Conduct web page](#).
- Although not included in the Code of Conduct, new and updated district policies are now noted specifically on the [District Policies web page](#).

Coffee and Conversation

If you want to connect, talk about upcoming events, and/or have topics you want to discuss with the admin team, please sign up with [SignUpGenius](#) for one of our monthly Coffee and Conversation series events. Each coffee is the first Friday of the month from 8:15-9:00 a.m.

Important Upcoming Dates

9/5: NO SCHOOL-Labor Day
 9/16: NO SCHOOL-Building/Workday (no students)
 9/21-9/22: 5th Grade Ecoweek

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Order up to 3 days after picture day.
Ordenar hasta 3 días después del día de la imagen.



All portraits will be shipped to your school.
Todos los retratos serán enviados as su escuela.



Have questions? We are here to help!!
M-F 8am to 5pm

¿Necesito ayuda para pedir? ¡Estamos aquí para ayudar!!
M-F 8am to 5pm



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MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
1	2	3	4	5
8	9	10	11	12
15	16	17	18	19
 • Breakfast Sausage Pizza • Assorted Muffins • Assorted Cereal • Assortment of Fruit • Milk Variety • Assorted Juice	• Mini Cinnamon Rolls • Assorted Muffins • Assorted Cereal • Assortment of Fruit • Milk Variety • Assorted Juice	• Pancake & Sausage Wrap • Assorted Muffins • Assorted Cereal • Assortment of Fruit • Milk Variety • Assorted Juice	• Breakfast Round • Assorted Muffins • Assorted Cereal • Assortment of Fruit • Milk Variety • Assorted Juice	• Whole Grain Waffle, Chocolate Chip • Assorted Muffins • Assorted Cereal • Assortment of Fruit • Milk Variety • Assorted Juice
22	23	24	25	26
• Egg Omelet with Tortilla • Muffin Assorted & Yogurt Variety • Assorted Cereal • Assortment of Fruit • Milk Variety • Assorted Juice	• French toast sticks • Muffin Assorted & Yogurt Variety • Assorted Cereal • Assortment of Fruit • Milk Variety • Assorted Juice	• Breakfast Sausage Pizza • Muffin Assorted & Yogurt Variety • Assorted Cereal • Assortment of Fruit • Milk Variety • Assorted Juice	• Yogurt Parfait • Muffin Assorted & Yogurt Variety • Assorted Cereal • Assortment of Fruit • Milk Variety • Assorted Juice	• Mini Cinnamon Rolls • Muffin Assorted & Yogurt Variety • Assorted Cereal • Assortment of Fruit • Milk Variety • Assorted Juice
29	30	31		
• Whole Grain Waffle, Chocolate Chip • Assorted Muffins • Assorted Cereal • Assortment of Fruit • Milk Variety • Assorted Juice	• Egg & Cheese Burrito • Assorted Muffins • Assorted Cereal • Assortment of Fruit • Milk Variety • Assorted Juice	• Breakfast Round • Assorted Muffins • Assorted Cereal • Assortment of Fruit • Milk Variety • Assorted Juice		

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	• Lasagna with Veggies • Cheese Calzone & Marinara • Cold Deli Yogurt & Roll • Deli Sandwich • Pb&J Sandwich • Green Beans • Assorted Italian Condiments	• Orange Chicken & Rice • Fish Filet • Cold Deli Yogurt & Roll • Cold Deli Meat & Roll • Pb&J Sandwich • Steamed Broccoli	• Chicken Burrito • Hot Dog • Cold Deli Yogurt & Roll • Deli Sandwich • Pb&J Sandwich • Refried Beans • Mexican Condiments- ELEM	• Cheese Pizza • Pepperoni Pizza • Hummus & Veggie Box • Cold Deli Yogurt & Roll • Pb&J Sandwich • Steamed Carrots • Assorted Italian Condiments
22	23	24	25	26
• Chicken Nuggets • Cheese Lasagna Rollup • Cold Deli Yogurt & Pretzel or Goldfish • Cold Deli Meat & Pretzels • Pb&J Sandwich • Steamed Broccoli • Assorted Italian Condiments • Nugget Dipping Sauces	• Pork Chop Sandwich • Mac & Cheese • Cold Deli Yogurt & Pretzel or Goldfish • Cold Deli Meat & Pretzels • Pb&J Sandwich • Green Beans • Assorted Italian Condiments	• Asian noodle & Meatball • Chicken Patty Sandwich • Cold Deli Yogurt & Pretzel or Goldfish • Deli Sandwich • Pb&J Sandwich • Steamed Veggies	• Chicken Tacos & Rice • Cheese Calzone & Marinara • Cold Deli Yogurt & Pretzel or Goldfish • Cold Deli Meat & Pretzels • Pb&J Sandwich • Black Beans • Mexican Condiments- ELEM	• Cheese Pizza • Pizza Bites • Chicken Caesar Wrap • Cold Deli Yogurt & Pretzel or Goldfish • Pb&J Sandwich • Peas • Assorted Italian Condiments
29	30	31	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	
• Hamburger & Cheeseburger • Cheese Ravioli & Roll • Cold Deli Yogurt & Roll • Cold Deli Meat & Roll • Pb&J Sandwich • Corn • Assorted Italian Condiments	• Chicken Drumstick & Roll • Chicken Alfredo • Cold Deli Yogurt & Roll • Deli Sandwich • Pb&J Sandwich • Green Beans • Assorted Italian Condiments	• Tomato Soup & Grilled Cheese • Fish Filet • Cold Deli Yogurt & Roll • Cold Deli Meat & Roll • Pb&J Sandwich • Steamed Broccoli		

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			1 - Yogurt & Cinnamon Roll - Assorted Muffins - Assorted Cereal - Assortment of Fruit - Milk Variety - Assorted Juice	2 - Pancake & Sausage Wrap - Assorted Muffins - Assorted Cereal - Assortment of Fruit - Milk Variety - Assorted Juice
5 	6 - WGR Pumpkin Bread or Seasonal Loaf Bread - Muffin Assorted & Yogurt Variety - Assorted Cereal - Assortment of Fruit - Milk Variety - Assorted Juice	7 - French toast sticks - Muffin Assorted & Yogurt Variety - Assorted Cereal - Assortment of Fruit - Milk Variety - Assorted Juice	8 - Yogurt Parfait - Muffin Assorted & Yogurt Variety - Assorted Cereal - Assortment of Fruit - Milk Variety - Assorted Juice	9 - Egg Omelet with Tortilla - Muffin Assorted & Yogurt Variety - Assorted Cereal - Assortment of Fruit - Milk Variety - Assorted Juice
12 - Breakfast Sausage Pizza - Assorted Muffins - Assorted Cereal - Assortment of Fruit - Milk Variety - Assorted Juice	13 - Mini Cinnamon Rolls - Assorted Muffins - Assorted Cereal - Assortment of Fruit - Milk Variety - Assorted Juice	14 - Pancake & Sausage Wrap - Assorted Muffins - Assorted Cereal - Assortment of Fruit - Milk Variety - Assorted Juice	15 - Breakfast Round - Assorted Muffins - Assorted Cereal - Assortment of Fruit - Milk Variety - Assorted Juice	16 
19 - Egg Omelet with Tortilla - Muffin Assorted & Yogurt Variety - Assorted Cereal - Assortment of Fruit - Milk Variety - Assorted Juice	20 - French toast sticks - Muffin Assorted & Yogurt Variety - Assorted Cereal - Assortment of Fruit - Milk Variety - Assorted Juice	21 - Breakfast Sausage Pizza - Muffin Assorted & Yogurt Variety - Assorted Cereal - Assortment of Fruit - Milk Variety - Assorted Juice	22 - Yogurt Parfait - Muffin Assorted & Yogurt Variety - Assorted Cereal - Assortment of Fruit - Milk Variety - Assorted Juice	23 - Mini Cinnamon Rolls - Muffin Assorted & Yogurt Variety - Assorted Cereal - Assortment of Fruit - Milk Variety - Assorted Juice
26 - Whole Grain Waffle, Chocolate Chip - Assorted Muffins - Assorted Cereal - Assortment of Fruit - Milk Variety - Assorted Juice	27 - Egg & Cheese Burrito - Assorted Muffins - Assorted Cereal - Assortment of Fruit - Milk Variety - Assorted Juice	28 - Breakfast Round - Assorted Muffins - Assorted Cereal - Assortment of Fruit - Milk Variety - Assorted Juice	29 - Yogurt & Cinnamon Roll - Assorted Muffins - Assorted Cereal - Assortment of Fruit - Milk Variety - Assorted Juice	30 - Pancake & Sausage Wrap - Assorted Muffins - Assorted Cereal - Assortment of Fruit - Milk Variety - Assorted Juice

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12 - Meatball Sandwich - Chicken Drumstick & Roll - Cold Deli Meat & Roll - Cold Deli Yogurt & Roll - Pb&J Sandwich - Corn	13 - Lasagna with Veggies - Cheese Calzone & Marinara - Deli Sandwich - Cold Deli Yogurt & Roll - Pb&J Sandwich - Green Beans - Assorted Italian Condiments	14 - Orange Chicken & Rice - Fish Filet - Cold Deli Meat & Roll - Cold Deli Yogurt & Roll - Pb&J Sandwich - Steamed Broccoli	15 - Chicken Burrito - Hot Dog - Deli Sandwich - Cold Deli Yogurt & Roll - Pb&J Sandwich - Refried Beans - Mexican Condiments- ELEM	16 
19 - Chicken Nuggets - Cheese Ravioli & Roll - Cold Deli Meat & Pretzels - Cold Deli Yogurt & Pretzel or Goldfish - Pb&J Sandwich - Steamed Broccoli - Assorted Italian Condiments - Nugget Dipping Sauces	20 - Pork Chop Sandwich - Mac & Cheese - Cold Deli Meat & Pretzels - Cold Deli Yogurt & Pretzel or Goldfish - Pb&J Sandwich - Green Beans - Assorted Italian Condiments	21 - Asian noodle & Meatball - Chicken Patty Sandwich - Deli Sandwich - Cold Deli Yogurt & Pretzel or Goldfish - Pb&J Sandwich - Steamed Veggies	22 - Chicken Tacos & Rice - Cheese Calzone & Marinara - Cold Deli Meat & Pretzels - Cold Deli Yogurt & Pretzel or Goldfish - Pb&J Sandwich - Black Beans - Mexican Condiments- ELEM	23 - Cheese Pizza - Pizza Bites - Chicken Caesar Wrap - Cold Deli Yogurt & Pretzel or Goldfish - Pb&J Sandwich - Peas - Assorted Italian Condiments
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