



# Calhoun R-VIII Newsletter

May-Summer 2021



## Important Dates:

**Aug 17-19 – Teacher  
Work Days**

**Aug 19 – Open House  
5:00-5:30 pm**

**Aug 24 – First Day  
of School**

## New Faculty/Staff Spotlight

We want to welcome our newest faculty/staff members to the Calhoun R-VIII family. We look forward to getting to know you better and working alongside you with the students.

- Jessica Supanich: 5th Grade
- Anita Calhoun: 6th Grade

Calhoun Eagles  
Proudly Present...

- Patti Ruehter: 3rd Grade

- Samuel Torbett: 7-12 History, Track, Quiz Bowl, NHS, STUCO
- Timothy Holman: K-12 Counselor, A+ Coordinator, Homeless Coordinator

## Donut Shop

The kindergarteners ended their school year with an enticing, entrepreneurial endeavor: Donut Shops. The kids named their shops, designed their own paper doughnuts, priced them, and sold them to our faculty and staff. The kid even handled the money exchange (all done with paper money). The students received rave reviews, one request for extra sprinkles (only joking; the project was super cute), and extra kudos for doing so well with the money math.



## Field Day

Field Day was full of fun, competition, and energy. Students had all types of games to choose from, ranging from logic to athletic. Of the two logic games, Mancala beat out Chess in a surprising turn around. Even our most athletic students took a turn at the boards at some point. In the gym, our athletic options were Volleyball, Whiffle Ball, Kickball, and Dodgeball. The kids had a blast, and the teachers learned to stay clear of the sidelines with all the close calls (we honed our reflexes, though). Outside, the athletic options were Long Jump, Shot Put, Cornhole, Battle Frisbee, and Pugil Sticks. All the outside options kept the players' interest, but the Pugil Sticks created pairings that were not to be missed. Everyone ended up having a great time and burned off all our excess energy from the end of the year.

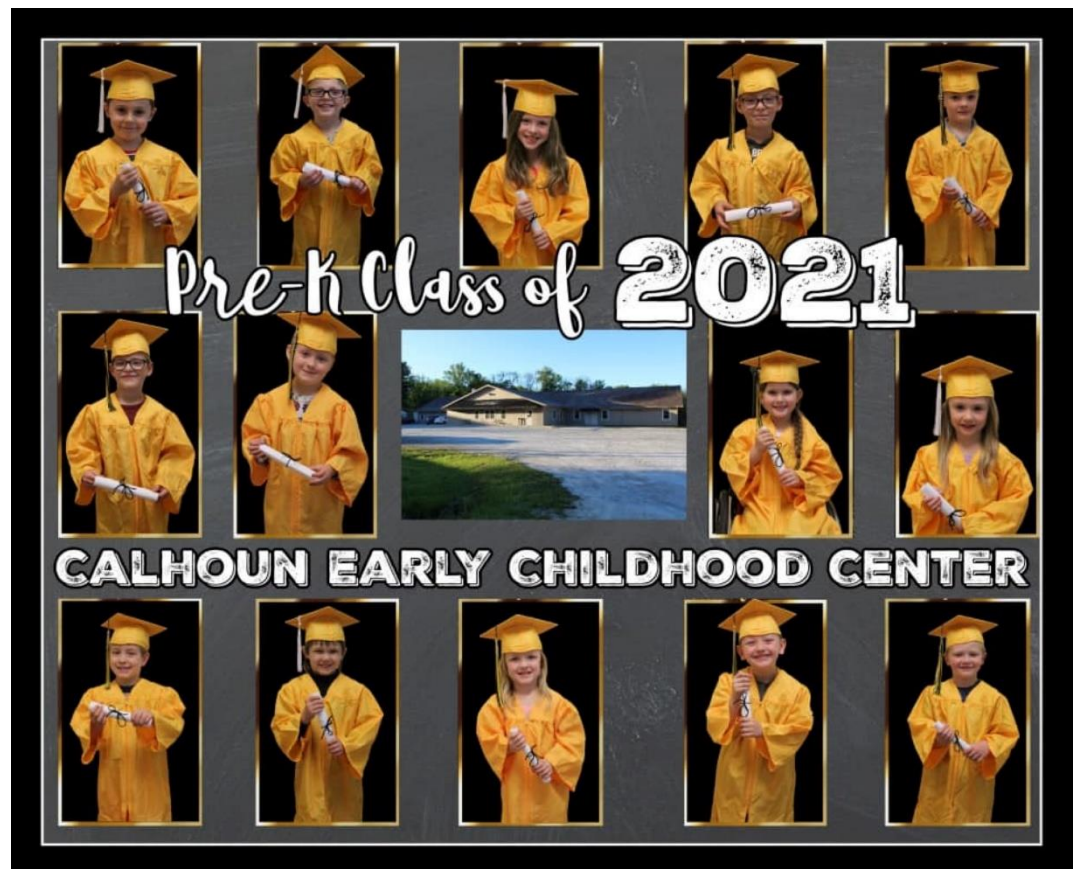


## Graduations

Calhoun had three classes graduate this year: Preschool, Kindergarten, and Senior.

Preschool Graduates:

- Jonathan Slayden
- Gage Heath
- Lennox Burns
- Liam Lancia
- Jordan Busick
- Briar Liam
- Amelia Barrett
- Adalyn Perfater
- Stella Price
- Hunter Coy
- Jenson Foreman
- Kynna Carney
- Luke Hall
- Cohen Moon





#### Kindergarten Graduates:

- Allison Cooper
- Liam Doleman
- Kayden Hartley
- Pasleigh Leclaire
- Paisley Nelson
- Russell Powers
- Shooter Price
- Ezra Smith
- Ivy Smith
- Lilian Smith



#### Senior Graduates:

- Bethany Cathey
- Tyler Hilbert
- Gracie Hollinger
- Joseph Johnson



We are proud of all our graduates and how hard they worked to achieve their goals. Now, on to the next chapters in your lives.

## **Campus Updates**

Calhoun R-VIII is financially strong and making long-awaited improvements. Some of the updates started last year, and we are continuing those projects this year over the summer:

### 2020-21 Improvements

- Moved to a 4-day week to attract and retain quality staff and stay competitive with area schools moving to 4 day.
- HS classrooms got new Promethium boards to replace outdated Smart Boards.
- New 7-12 Science Curriculum and Books to replace outdated materials.
- Split remaining combined Elementary classrooms after 2019-20, so we no longer have multiple grades in one classroom to improve the quality of instruction for each grade.
- Purchased iPads for K-2 and new laptops for 3rd-12th grades, making district completely 1-1 with devices and be able to have students learn in a technology rich environment.
- Technology infrastructure/WiFi updated to handle all the new technology.

### 2021-22 improvements include:

- Raised teacher salaries \$5000 for 21-22, making our starting salary higher than Leeton, Green Ridge, Lakeland, Montrose, Chilhowee, and competitive with Clinton and Windsor. This is to attract and retain quality staff.
- Elementary bathrooms gutted and redone top to bottom
- Repair sidewalk areas and add sidewalk to connect HS and repair drainage issues
- HS building and storage building exteriors painted in school colors instead of brown and red
- New Promethium Boards installed in all Elementary classrooms to replace outdated Smart Boards
- New 7-12 English and Math curriculum, books, and materials to replace current books that are over 15 years old, History in 22-23 year.
- New LED energy efficient lighting and tiles in entire Elementary building
- Floors redone in entire Elementary with polished concrete
- Renovation of Elementary classroom to prepare for 6th grade to move back to Elementary
- Lots of painting inside/out, waxing floors, maintenance, and deep cleaning throughout District

## 2021-2022 Calendars

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## 2021-2022 School Calendar

### CALHOUN R-VIII SCHOOL DISTRICT

409 South College  
Calhoun, MO 65323  
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Aug 17-19	Teacher PD Days
Aug 23	First Day of School
Sept 6	NO SCHOOL-LABOR DAY
Oct 15	P/T Conferences 1-4
Nov 22-26	NO SCHOOL-THANKSGIVING
Dec 20-Jan 3	NO SCHOOL-WINTER BREAK
Jan 3	Teacher PD Day
Apr 17	P/T Conferences 4-6
Apr 11-15	NO SCHOOL-EASTER BREAK
May 26	LAST DAY OF SCHOOL FOR YEAR
May 27	WORK DAY/CLEAN UP

	School Closed
	Early Release-12:30pm/PT Conferences
	Professional Development (NO STUDENTS)
	First & Last Day of School

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





















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**409 South College**  
**Calhoun, MO 65323**  
**K-12 ONLY**

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 Dec 17 Early Release -Winter Break  
 Dec 20-Jan 3 NO SCHOOL-WINTER BREAK  
 Apr 14-15 NO SCHOOL-EASTER/GOOD FRIDAY  
 May 13 Early Release-Graduation 6PM  
 May 27 Early Release-Last Day  
 May 27 Teacher Work Day 12:30-3:30

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Calhoun Elementary School Supply List 2021-2022

**Kindergarten**

Backpack-Large to carry books  
 12-#2 pencils  
 1-pair of 5 inch blunt scissors\*  
 2-glue sticks\*  
 1-Elmer's white glue bottle\*  
 1-box 16 count crayons\*  
 1-box 12 count colored pencils\*  
 1-set water paints\*  
 2-folders with prongs\*  
 2-boxes Kleenex  
 1-bottle hand sanitizer  
 1-box sandwich Ziplock bags  
 1-pkg Expo dry erase markers  
 1-pair gym shoes\*  
 1-plastic school box\*  
 Water bottle

\*write name on items

**1st Grade**

4-different color highlighters  
 2-box of colored pencils  
 8-glue sticks  
 20-#2 pencils  
 1 package washable markers  
 1-24 count box Crayola crayons  
 1-pair scissors  
 3-pink erasers  
 2-plastic folders with pockets  
 3-black chisel tip dry erase markers  
 1-large box tissues  
 1-bottle hand sanitizer  
 2-containers of disinfecting wipes  
 Gym shoes  
 Backpack or book bag  
 Water bottle

**2nd Grade**

Clearly label with student's name:  
 Folder size backpack  
 Water bottle  
 PE shoes  
 1-inch 3 ring binder  
 Tab dividers for binder  
 2 two pocket folders  
 Mead K-2 Classroom Primary Journal  
 (composition NB with dotted lines  
 and drawing space)  
 Standard size pencil box (no locks or  
 keys)  
 Blunt tip scissors  
 Crayons, markers, or colored pencils  
 (must fit in 1 box)  
 1 spiral notebook  
 Not labeled: (class use)  
 1 pkg. notebook paper (wide rule)  
 1 pkg. Ticonderoga brand pencils  
 1 pkg. large pink erasers  
 1 pkg. pencil-top erasers  
 1 pkg. Elmer's glue sticks  
 1 Hand sanitizer  
 1 Disinfectant wipes  
 Expo dry-erase markers (girl)  
 Scribble pad (boy)



**3rd Grade**

- 3 Clorox wipes
- 1 box 24 crayons
- 1 box 12 color pencils
- 1 box 10 markers
- 1 pair scissors
- 1 bottle glue
- 5 pocket folders
- 5 composition notebooks
- 1 pair gym shoes
- 1 small crate/tub without holes
- 1 backpack
- 1 water bottle
- 4 pkg. pencils
- 2 boxes Kleenex
- 2 pink erasers
- 1 clipboard

**4th Grade**

- 2 boxes of Kleenex
- 1 container of disinfectant wipes
- 2 bottles hand sanitizer
- 2 pkg # 2 pencils
- 1 pkg dry erase markers
- 1-one inch binder
- 6 pocket folders with 3 punch holes
- 1 pkg red pens
- 1 pkg highlighters
- 1 pkg color pencils
- 1 pkg color markers
- 1 pkg crayons
- 1 pair scissors
- 4 glue sticks
- 6 wide ruled spiral notebooks
- 1 composition notebook
- 2 pkg wide ruled loose leaf paper
- 2 pkg sticky notes
- 1 pair gym shoes (stay at school)
- 1 back pack
- 1 pkg assorted color paper
- 1 pkg card stock paper, either assorted color or white
- Water bottle

**5th Grade**

- 2 boxes of Kleenex
- 1 container disinfecting wipes
- 2 bottle hand sanitizer
- 2 pkg #2 pencils (no Mechanical)
- 1 pkg dry erase markers
- 2- one inch binders
- 4 pocket folders without prongs
- 4 pocket folders with prongs
- 1 pkg red pens or red pencils
- 1 pkg highlighters
- 1 box color pencils
- 1 box crayons
- 1 pair scissors
- 4 glue sticks
- 2 wide ruled composition notebooks
- 2 pkg wide ruled loose leaf paper
- 2 pkg sticky notes
- 1 pair of gym shoes
- 2 pkg index cards(any size)
- 1 back pack
- 2 pkg construction paper
- 1 box markers
- 2-pocket folders
- Mead K2 Classroom Primary Journal  
(Composition NB with dotted lines and drawing space)
- 2 pkg. Ticonderoga brand pencils
- Water Bottle

**6th Grade**

- 2 boxes Kleenex
- 1 container of disinfecting wipes
- 1 bottle of hand sanitizer
- 2 pkg of #2 pencils
- 1 pkg dry erase markers
- 1 spiral binder (1 1/2 inches)
- 6 dividers for the above binder
- 4 pocket folders
- 1 pkg highlighters
- 1 box of colored pencils
- 1 box of crayons
- 1 box thin markers (optional)
- 1 pair scissors
- 4 glue sticks
- 1 bottle of glue
- 2 wide ruled spiral notebooks
- 2 pkg of wide ruled loose leaf paper
- 2 pkgs sticky notes
- 1 pair of gym shoes
- 1 backpack
- Water bottle





**Calhoun R-VIII**  
*home of the eagles*

## JH/HS School Supply List 2021-2022

**A water bottle is required for each student**  
**\*1 set of headphones is strongly suggested**

**for use in all classes**

Science	Social Studies	English
#2 Pencils	Writing Utensils	Pens
1 Pkg Loose Leaf Paper	1 3 ring binder (at least 3 inches)	#2 pencils (May be Mechanical)
2 Highlighters	Tab dividers (at least 8)	5-Subject Notebook
1 Folder with Pockets	Loose Leaf Paper	Headphones
1 Tri Fold Display Board (7-9)	Highlighter	1" Binder
Optional: Scientific Calculator	<b>7<sup>th</sup>/8<sup>th</sup> Math</b>	<b>Geometry</b>
Optional: Three Ring Binder	2 Pocket Folder	# 2 Pencils (May be Mechanical)
Optional: Flash Drive	2 Glue Sticks	2 Glue Sticks
	# 2 Pencils (May be Mechanical)	Red Pen
	Red Pen	Graph Paper
	Spiral Notebook (120 <del>pgs</del> or more)	2 Pocket Folder
<b>Computer Apps</b>	<b>Algebra I</b>	<b>Algebra II</b>
Binder with folders/pockets	# 2 Pencils (May be Mechanical)	# 2 Pencils (May be Mechanical)
Pens	2 Glue Sticks	2 Glue Sticks
Pencils	Spiral Notebook (120 <del>pgs</del> or more)	Red Pen
Highlighter	2 Pocket Folder	2 Pocket Folder
Notebook Paper	Red Pen	

**Please note: Students may be asked to provide additional supplies for special projects/assignments at a minimal cost.**

## Elective Classes Supply Lists

Art	PE	Music
Sketch Pad 8 ½ x 11 or 9 x 12	Tennis Shoes	1 inch 3-Ring Binder
1 small pencil sharpener	T-shirt*	Pencils
2 non-mechanical pencils	Black athletic shorts, leggings or sweatpants*	Paper
1 large eraser	Deodorant (NO spray/NO glass)	<b>Personal Finance</b>
<b>Health</b>	Small hand towel/washcloth	Notebook Paper
Notebook Paper	Hair tie/barrette	Pencil
Pencil/Pen	<b>*All PE Clothing Must be School Appropriate</b>	Folder with pockets or binder

2021-2022 Class Schedules

2021-2022 Grade Level:

Name:

Teacher	Period 1	Period 2	Period 3	Period 4	Period 5	Period 6	Period 7	Seminar
7:30-7:45	7:45-8:42	8:45-9:42	9:45-10:42	10:45-11:42	12:06-1:03	1:06-2:03	2:06-3:03	3:06-3:30
luchs	10th English	11th English	Yearbook (11-12th)	9th English	PLAN	12th English	English 7/8	10th Intervention
Duensing	7th Science	Biology (10th)	Physical Science(9th)	Ecology (11th-12th)	PLAN	8th Science	Applied Science (11th/12th)	12th Intervention
Lamb	Algebra A(9th)	PLAN	Algebra B(10th)	8th Math	Consumer Math (12th)	7th Math	Geometry (11th)	11th Intervention
Torbett	8th History	American History(9th)	PLAN	7th History	Missouri History /Government (11th)	World History(10th)	Sociology / Economics (9th/12th)	9th Intervention
Kreisel	HS PE (11th/12th)	JH Boys PE/JH Girls PE	ELEM SPECIALS	HS PE (11th-12th)	HS PE (9-10th, 12th)	Health/Personal Finance(9th)	PLAN	7th-8th Health
Brooks	PLAN	JH Girls Music&Art/ JH Boys Music&Art	ELEM SPECIALS	HS Art (10th-12th)	7th-8th Band	Music Appreciation	Band (9th-12th)	5th-6th Beginner Band
Burgen	RESOURCE	RESOURCE	RESOURCE	RESOURCE	RESOURCE	RESOURCE	RESOURCE	RESOURCE
Holman	A+/MOCAP/ Dual Credit/	A+/MOCAP/ Dual Credit/	ELEM SPECIALS	A+/MOCAP/ Dual Credit/	7th-8th Careers	A+/MOCAP/ Dual Credit/	A+/MOCAP/ Dual Credit/	Senior Scholarships & HS Careers
Shriner	Title	Title	ELEM SPECIALS	Title	Title	Title	Title	Title
Rusche	PD w/staff	PD w/staff	7th-8th Computers	PD w/staff	PD w/staff	PD w/staff	PD w/staff	D/F ROOM

K-6th  
7-8th  
9th  
10th  
11th  
12th

<b>MOCAP MATH</b>
*Algebra 2
*Math 1,2,3

<b>MOCAP HISTORY</b>
*Economics
*Psychology
*Sociology
<b>MOCAP SCIENCE</b>
*Chemistry
*Earth
*Environmental

<b>MOCAP ENGLISH</b>
*Speech
*Reading & Writing

<b>MOCAP ELECTIVES</b>
*Spanish 1,2
*Art History
*Intro to Art
*Keyboarding w/ Applications
*Strategies for Academic Success
*College/Career
Readiness
*Intro to Business
*Career
Explorations 1,2,3
*Intro to STEM

**Students can take any of the above courses any hour for credit they are not in a required course on the schedule. Any student taking a MOCAP course will report to Library to work on the course that hour. **Students also have the option to take Dual Credit college courses offered by area colleges at the student expense. **Students can also utilize any hour of the day for A+ tutoring hours in the Elementary Classrooms.
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Parent/Guardian:  
Please review the above tentative schedule with your student. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Mr. Holman at (660) 694-3422.

Counselor Signature

Student Signature

Parent/Guardian Signature

# Financial Statement

Calhoun R-VIII School District  
409 South College  
Calhoun, MO 65323-1309

Dated : 6/1/2021 2020-2021  
Time : 13:07 Page 1

## Bank & Cash Reconciliation

*End of May*

Fund Cash Balance by Fund	
Fund Number and Description	Cash Balance Comments
001 - GENERAL FUND	1,043,521.88
002 - TEACHERS FUND	-179,823.15
003 - DEBT SERVICE FUND	.00
004 - CAPITAL PROJECTS FUND	16,136.02
Adjustment 1 :	.00
Adjustment 2 :	.00
Adjustment 3 :	.00
Adjustment 4 :	.00
TOTAL :	879,834.75

## Bank Cash and Reconciled Balances:

Account Code & Bank	Cash Balance	Reconciled Balance	Comments
xxxx1805 - Main Checking - HAWTHORN	4,208.54	12,218.18	
xxxx5628 - Savings - HAWTHORN	857,341.62	857,341.62	
xxxx2890 - CD - HAWTHORN	18,084.59	18,084.59	
xxxx1132 - Petty Cash - HAWTHORN	200.00	200.00	
Outstanding Amount: xxxx1805 - Main Checking - HAWTHORN	.00	-8,009.64	
Adjustment 1 :	.00	.00	
Adjustment 2 :	.00	.00	
Adjustment 3 :	.00	.00	
Adjustment 4 :	.00	.00	
TOTAL :	879,834.75	879,834.75	

Bank Cash and Fund Cash are in Balance