




Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1  4pm JH VB H Eastland (Milledgeville)	2  5:15pm Homecoming Parade w/ Activity Night to Follow	3  7pm HS FB H West Carroll (Homecoming)	4 JH VB @ Conference Tour- ney (W. Carroll)  JH/HS CC @ Freeport  7pm Homecoming Dance
5	6 2:05 Early Dismissal  5:30pm HS FB (JV) @ West Carroll	7 JR Tackle Playoffs  4:30 HS CC @ Winnebago  5pm HS VB @ Morrison	8  PTO Pie Sales End 7pm PTO Meeting in Library	9  College & Career Day 3:10pm JH Art Club 5pm HS VB @ Amboy	10  1st Quarter Ends No Preschool 7pm HS FB H Orangeville	11  9am HS CC @ Sterling Invite
12	13 No School - Columbus Day  10am HS CC @ Amboy 5:30pm HS FB (JV) H Orangeville	14  Staff Flu Shots 5pm HS VB H West Carroll	15	16  5pm HS VB H Polo	17  Report Cards Issued 7pm HS FB H Alden- Hebron	18  HS CC Conference @ Forreston  HS VB (V) @ Eastland Tourney
19	20  5pm HS VB H Pearl City  7pm Board of Education Meeting	21  6pm HS VB @ AFC	22  PTO Pie Distribution	23 11:10 Early Out  No Preschool 4-8pm P/T Conference 5pm HS VB @ Eastland	24 No School - P/T Conferences  No Preschool 7pm HS FB @ Bushnell -Prairie City vs. North Shelby	25  HS CC Regionals
26 	27  Butter Braid Fundraiser Begins  HS VB Regionals	28	29  5:30pm JH BB @ Pearl City	30  4pm JH BB H AFC (Milledgeville)	31 Happy Halloween! 	

October 2025 LUNCH MENU

Breakfast Prices

Gr. K-8 \$2.05 9-12 \$2.30

Lunch Prices

Gr. K-5 \$3.55 6-12 \$3.80  
Ala Carte \$1.40 Milk \$.50  
Adults \$4.30

All meals served with white or  
chocolate milk (low-fat or fat-  
free). PB&J will be offered daily as  
an alternative to the main entre.  
Chef salad offered daily. Meals  
may be subject to change without  
notice.

USDA is a equal opportunity Employer

USDA Meal Requirements

Grades K-5


Meat/Meat Alternate:  
1-2 oz. Per Day, 8-10 oz Per Week  
Vegetable: 3/4 C per Day  
Grains: 1 oz per Day, 8-9 Per Week  
Milk: 1 C Per Day, Calories: 550-650 (min-max)

Grades 6-8

Meat/Meat Alternate:  
1-2 oz Per Day, 9-10 oz Per Week  
Vegetable: 3/4 C Per Day  
Fruit: 1/2 C Per Day  
Grains: 1 oz Per Day, 8-12 oz Per Week  
Milk: 1 C Per Day, Calories 600-700 (min-max)

Grades 9-12

Meat/Meat Alternate:  
2 oz Per Day, 10-12 oz Per Week  
Vegetable: 1 C Per Day  
Fruit: 1 C Per Day

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
		1 Grilled Cheese Tomato Soup Crackers Corn and Grapes	2 Loaded Tater Tots Veggie Juice Peaches Cookie	3 Cheeseburger French Fries Baked Beans Mixed Fruit
6 Bosco Sticks Caesar Salad Green Beans Fresh Fruit	7 Chicken Patty Lettuce/Tomato/Onion Sweet Potato Fries Peaches	8 Corn Dog Baked Chips Broccoli w/cheese Pears	9 Salisbury Steak w/ Brown Gravy Mashed Potatoes WG Roll, Corn Mixed Fruit	10 Chicken Enchiladas Refried Beans, Spanish Rice, Lettuce/Tomato/Salsa Grapes
13 NO SCHOOL Columbus Day	14 Chicken Bacon Wrap Romaine Lettuce Baked Chips Fresh Fruit	15 Chicken Alfredo WG Breadstick Broccoli Pineapple	16 Tater Tot Casserole WG Dinner Roll Green Beans Mixed Fruit	17 Ham & Turkey Sub Baked Chips Baked Beans L/T/O, Grapes
20 Hot Dog/Brat Baked Chips, Baked Beans, Fresh Carrots/Celery, Peaches	21 Chicken Nuggets Smiley Potatoes Corn Diced Pears	22 Hot Ham/Cheese on Pretzel Bun Pasta Salad w/broccoli Fresh Fruit	23 11:10 Early Dismissal No Lunch Served	24 NO SCHOOL Parent/Teacher Conferences
27 Chicken Fajitas Spanish Rice Lettuce Salad Fresh Fruit	28 Spaghetti w/meat sauce WG Garlic Bread Romaine Caesar Salad Pineapple	29 Grilled Chicken & Bacon Sandwich on WG Bun Baked Chips Fresh Veggies, Applesauce	30 Taco in a Bag Refried Beans Lettuce/Tomato/Salsa Mixed Fruit, Graham	31  French Bread Pizza Romaine Caesar Salad Corn, Fresh Fruit

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Breakfast Pizza Fruit Juice Milk	Sausage, Egg & Cheese Biscuit Fruit Juice Milk	Donut Holes Yogurt Fruit Juice Milk	Pancake Sausage Bites Fruit Juice Milk	Sausage Gravy WG Biscuit Fruit Juice Milk

• Daily Alternate Breakfast Entrees: WG Muffins or WG Cereal



Notes From the **Superintendent**

At our Teacher Institute held on Monday, August 11, we continued the tradition of honoring our District's staff for perfect attendance. Staff recognized for perfect attendance during the 2024-25 school year were as follows: Mr. Martin Stauffer and Mr. David VanLangen.

- The following are new certified & support staff members in the district:
- Mrs. Kris Faulkner: Office Aide/Recess Supervisor
  - Mrs. Marcie Arno: Full Time Sub/Classroom Support
  - Mrs. Anna Hauter: High School Math
  - Mr. Tyler Jakse: Jr./Sr. High School Principal
  - Mr. Dillion Eich: K-5 Principal
  - Mrs. Laurie Allspaugh: Speech

We hope you will have the opportunity to meet our new staff and welcome them to the District.

With approximately six weeks of the school year already completed, the mid-term progress reports were available via the Parent Portal on Friday, September 12, and the first 9-week report cards will be issued on Friday, October 17. Parent Teacher Conferences will be held on **Thursday, October 23** from **4:00 – 8:00 P.M.** and on **Friday, October 24** from **8:00 A.M.-12:00 P.M.** Please see the related article elsewhere in this Newsletter. Home support for the student's education is important for a student to be successful. We encourage you to contact the teachers about your student's progress frequently, to participate in the Parent Conference Program, and to seize every opportunity to be involved in your student's education.

Finally, I want to thank the parents of our community for your support and vigilance in helping us start the school year safely. Thanks, and appreciation to our staff and students as well for their cooperation and extra efforts to make our school environment as safe as possible. Our community values education and it shows!

Sincerely,  
Tim J. Schurman, Superintendent

*Counselor’s Corner*

Career Day will be held on Thursday, October 9. Freshmen are going to tour local businesses (Walmart DC, HALO, Selmi’s Greenhouse and CGH). Sophomores are going to participate in Manufacturing Day sponsored by NWILED. Juniors are going on college visits with a staff member or parent. Seniors can job shadow, go on a college/admission visit, or use the day for anything that is career/college related.

**SENIORS** - I would like to encourage all seniors to begin applying to colleges/universities if you have not already done so. There are several state universities that have priority application deadlines early in the fall (November 1). There are several private universities that require early applications to be included in their presidential and dean scholarships. If you need an official copy of your transcript sent to the college, please let me know where to send it.

I will also be posting scholarships as I receive them so please check my district website a few times a week <https://www.dist399.net/counselor>.

**SENIOR PARENTS - The FAFSA opens on OCTOBER 1.** *Any senior parents* who have questions or have never filled out the FAFSA and would like some guidance, please contact Sauk’s financial aid department for help with the FAFSA <https://www.svcc.edu/students/finaid/index.html> 815-835-6339

Even if your student is not attending Sauk, they offer this as a community service because we are in their district. The FAFSA is mandatory for any student attending any sort of post-secondary schooling, this includes tech schools, colleges, and universities.

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**Parent-Teacher  
Conference Days  
Thursday, October 23  
and  
Friday, October 24**

Watch for an email in the next few days, which will include a link and instructions on how to sign up for a conference with your child’s teacher. Parents of 6-12 students, our teachers want to meet with you, so please participate in the conference days. If you have trouble signing up through the link, please feel free to contact your child’s teacher or the District Office #815-225-5839. Conferences will be held on **Thursday, October 23 from 4:00 – 8:00 p.m.** and on **Friday, October 24 from 8:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.**

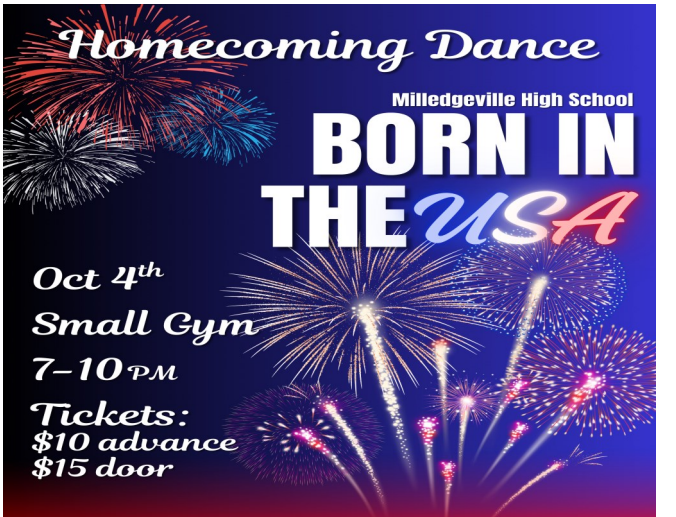


MHS Drama Department will present **Seussical** on November 7th and 8th at 7:30 pm and November 9th at 2:30 pm on the Chadwick School Stage. Cost is \$10 per person and tickets will be available at the door.



**Fiscal 2026 Budget**

This is formal notice to district stake holders and community members that the fiscal 2026 budget for Chadwick-Milledgeville CUSD #399 is available on the District website. One can access the budget at [www.dist399.net](http://www.dist399.net). Click the “Reports” tab under the District Information section on the home page. Please contact the District office if you have questions or concerns at 815-225-5839.



**Physical, Immunization, and Dental Requirements Are Now Due**

Complete physicals are required for students entering preschool, kindergarten, sixth and ninth grades. Dental examinations are required for students entering Kindergarten, Grade 2, Grade 6, and Grade 9. Students who do not show proof of all required physical and immunization requirements by Friday, October 10, 2025, will be ineligible to attend school until the information is received by the school. Please contact Mrs. Robinson, School Nurse, with any questions.

**When Weather Closes  
Chadwick-Milledgeville School**

When snowstorms, bad roads, or other emergencies make it necessary to close school for a day or more, students and parents will be notified via School Reach telephone calls, radio/TV and by a message on the district website at [www.dist399.net](http://www.dist399.net) as soon as a decision has been reached to close school. Hopefully, this decision will be made no later than 6:30 a.m. The following radio/TV stations will be given this information:

- WSDR - Sterling, 1240 AM
- KROS - Clinton, 1340 AM
- WSSQ - Sterling, 94.3 FM
- KCLN - Clinton, 1390 AM
- WFPS - Freeport, 92 FM
- KLNT - Clinton, 1390 AM
- WFRL - Freeport, 1570 AM or 98.5 FM
- WLLT - Dixon, 107.7 FM
- WCCI - Savanna, 100.3 FM
- KWQC TV - Davenport - Channel 6

In case school is dismissed early or it is necessary to delay the running of buses due to inclement weather, you will receive a School Reach phone call and the information will also be posted on the district website and broadcast over the same stations. Regardless of the official action to close or not to close, students and parents are urged always to use discretion in deciding whether or not to travel to school.

**School Reach Automated Telephone Contact System**

When the administration decides to close school, dismiss early, or wants to provide an important reminder to parents we will execute a School Reach call. When a School Reach call is made a recorded message will be sent to the contact numbers you provide the school district during registration. Please make sure that the contact numbers we have for your family are accurate and up to date. Warning: In the case of school closing you will receive phone call notification very early in the morning i.e. 5:00 A.M. If this is not acceptable notify in writing the office secretary in the building your child attends that you would like to be removed from the School Reach telephone notification program.



The annual ButterBraid sale begins October 27th and delivery is November 18th. High Schoolers will be selling these. The fundraiser is to pay for school dances and class account expenses.