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November 2025



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
						1 2pm HS FB Playoff Home vs. Meridian HS
						(*****)
2	3 2:05 Early Dismissal	4	5 3:10pm JH Art Club	6	7 JH BB 7th Grade Tourney @ Pearl City	8 JH BB 7th Grade Tourney @ Pearl City
	4pm JH BB H W. Carroll (Milledgeville)		4pm JH BB H Polo (Milledgeville)		7-10am Ruby's Coffee Coach	7pm HS Theatre presents "Seussical"
Fall back Set your clocks back an hour	(5:30pm WACC Open House		7pm HS Theatre presents "Seussical"	
9 2pm HS Theatre presents	10 4pm JH BB @ Forreston	11 10:15am Veteran's Day	12 4pm JH BB @ Eastland	13	14 JH BB 8th Grade Tourney @ Pearl City	15 JH BB 8th Grade Tourney @ Pearl City
"Seussical"		Program	7pm PTO Meeting in Library		MIDTERM	District Musical Festival @ Dekalb
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
	5pm JH BB @ Stockton 7pm Board of Education	3pm Butter Braid Delivery 5:30pm HS GBB @	4pm JH BB H Pearl City (Chadwick)	JH BB @ Immanual Lutheran TBA	IASB Convention	IASB Convention
	Meeting in Library	Durand		5:30pm HS GBB @ River Ridge		
23 => HS BB JV Tourney @ Polo Nov. 24th-26th => HS BB V Tourney @	24 No School - Thanksgiving Break 5:30pm HS GBB H West Carroll	25 No School - Thanksgiving Break 4pm JH BB @ West Carroll	26 No School - Thanksgiving Break	27 Happy Thanksgiving!	28 No School - Thanksgiving Break	29 HS WR @ Newman JV Tourney
AFC Nov. 24th-29th	5:30pm JH BB H Orangeville (Chadwick)	5:30pm HS WR @ Genoa/Kingston		Thairing		
30	Tols tols	County-Wide Toys For Tots Competition going on the whole month of November	We will be collecting wrapping paper, tape, and \$1 stocking stuffers until December 1st.	The Carroll County School with the most items collected will win the Traveling Trophy!		

NOVEMBER 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

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	SAT/SUN
					1/2
3 Orange Chicken Fried Rice Broccoli Pineapple	4 Creamed Chicken on WG Biscuit Peas & Carrots Applesauce	5 WG Grilled Cheese Tomato Soup Crackers, Corn Grapes	6 Loaded Tator Tots w/ Taco Meat Veggie Juice Peaches Cookie	7 Cheeseburger French Fries Baked Beans Mixed Fruit	8/9
10 Bosco Sticks w/marinara Caesar Salad Green Beans Fresh Fruit	11 Chicken Patty Lettuce/Tomato/Onion Sweet Potato Fries Peaches	12 Corn Dog Baked Chips Broccoli w/ cheese Pears	13 Salisbury Steak w/gravy Mashed Potatoes WG Roll Corn, Mixed Fruit	14 Chicken Enchiladas Refried Beans, Spanish Rice Lettuce/Tomato/Salsa Grapes	15/16
17 Sloppy Joes Tater Tots California Blend Mandarin Oranges	18 Chicken Bacon Wrap Romaine Lettuce Baked Chips, Tomato/Onion, Fresh Fruit	19 Chicken Alfredo WG Breadstick Broccoli Pineapple	20 Tater Tot Casserole WG Dinner Roll Green Beans Mixed Fruit	21 Ham & Turkey Sub Baked Chips Baked Beans L/T/O, Grapes	22/23
24 No School Thanksgiving Break	25 No School Thanksgiving Break	26 No School Thanksgiving Break	27 No School Thanksgiving	28 No School Thanksgiving Break	29/30

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

• Daily Alternate Breakfast Entrees: WG Muffins or WG Cereal

Notes From the Superintendent

The first quarter ended Friday, October 10, 2025, and Parent Teacher Conferences were held October 23 & 24, 2025. If your child struggled academically or behaviorally during the first quarter, it is vital that a plan be developed so that the areas of concern can be remediated. Parents and teachers working together as a team have a much greater chance of successfully improving a child's achievement or behavioral performance.

Research proves that students who maintain good attendance do better in school and have fewer social/emotional issues. Poor attendance can also be a warning sign that your child is engaging in destructive behaviors outside of school. Please reinforce with your child the importance of good attendance. Set high expectations that they attend school every day! Students should only miss school due to illness or a serious emergency. Every attendance day is important! Parents in our district do a great job encouraging and supporting their children and we appreciate your positive involvement!

November 15 is School Board Member Appreciation Day! Our school board members are dedicated, thoughtful, caring, and committed to doing what is best for the students of our district. They are also careful stewards of the tax dollars our district receives. Our board members spend countless hours in meetings, negotiations, and training sessions without any pay. They are dedicated public servants and if you see one of the following board members thank them for their service: President Pam Eubanks, Vice President Mike Urish, Secretary Maria Bibler, Tyke Hackbarth, Adam Drinkall, Sarah Engelkens, and Correy Rahn.

I am proud to announce that Chadwick-Milledgeville Elementary School and Chadwick-Milledgeville Jr./Sr. High School have both achieved **Exemplary School Status** from the Illinois State Board of Education. This status ranks our schools in the top 10% in the State of Illinois and it is the fifth time that our district has earned this honor. This is an incredible achievement, and our entire community should be very proud! Thank you to the students and staff for your hard work and dedication!

Finally, on behalf of the staff and board of education I wish all our stakeholders a happy & safe Thanksgiving!

The Sincerely, Tim J. Schurman, Superintendent

Counselor's Corner

The Whiteside Area Career Center is having an Open House on Wednesday, November 5, from 5:30p-7:30 p.m. They will be having refreshments and door prizes. If you are undecided on taking a class at WACC next year this would be a good opportunity for students and parents to see the programs they offer.

Senior parents reminder:

The FAFSA is open!

The FAFSA is mandatory for any student attending any sort of post-secondary schooling, this includes tech schools, colleges, and universities.

Even if your student is not attending Sauk, they offer help with the FAFSA as a community service because we are in their district. Sauk's financial aid department: https://www.svcc.edu/students/finaid/index.html

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Family Reading Night in November

Each year in November the Illinois State Library sponsors Family Reading Night, which encourages families to set aside time to read together. On Thursday, November 20th, the librarians, teachers, and administrators hope that our school district's families take time to celebrate the joys of reading and the importance of sharing ideas through books. So on that night, turn off the televisions, computers, and phones in your home; find a warm, comfortable place to relax and share a book with someone you love. Who knows, you may decide to have a reading night every week of the year!



Butter Braid

Fundraiser Pick up is Tuesday, November 18th from 3:00-4:00 pm in the Weight Room.

A reminder that this product is delivered frozen, so please make care plans accordingly once you pick up your product. Contact Mrs. Moe with any questions hmoe@dist399.net.

<u>Winter Art Show - Save the Date!</u> <u>Gunday, December 7th 3-6pm</u>

All art students will have their artwork featured in the Winter Art Show on Main Street in Milledgeville as part of **Hometown Holidays**!

Please save the date!



Our JH and HS students have 4 decorated trees in the school tree category at this year's Rock River Hospice & Home Festival of Trees. Festival of Trees will be held at McCormick Event Center in Rock Falls from November 9-15, open 11-7 daily with free admission. Please visit to view trees decorated by JH and HS Art Clubs as well as JH and HS FCA. You can vote for your favorite school tree with a monetary donation in person or by using this QR code and inserting a note with the tree number you are voting for. JH Art Club tree #6, HS Art Club tree #15, JH Fellowship of Christian Athletes tree #13, and HS Fellowship of Christian Athletes tree #14. All proceeds support Hospice endeavors.



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 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.

Ruby's Coffee Coach will be at the school Friday, Nov. 7th from 7 to 10 a.m.





MHS Drama Department will present **Seussical** on

November 7th and 8th at 7:00 pm and November 9th at 2:00 pm on the Chadwick School Stage.

Cost is \$10 per person and tickets will be available at the door.



MUSIC NEWS

Congratulations to the students selected to attend the 2025 ILMEA District 8
Music Festival!

Kaelin Bellows-Davis - Senior Choir

Brin Bleuer - Junior Choir

Breslyn Reynolds - Junior Choir