

Red Feather Lakes Elementary

November 4, 2021

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NEXT WEEK'S SCHEDULE

- **Mon 11/8** **No School**
- Tues 11/9 P.E.
- Wed 11/10 Art
- Thurs 11/11 Life Skills
- Fri 11/12 Music

LOOKING AHEAD

- 11/15 – 11/19
Scholastic Book Fair
- 11/24 – 11/26
Fall Break



HAPPY BIRTHDAY

11/15 Ms. Bonnie

11/17 Aubrey

11/22 Cole





Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1 Makerspace	2 P.E.	3 Art	4 Life Skills	5 Music	6
	8 No School Teacher Work Day	9 P.E.	10 Art	11 Life Skills	12 Music	13
14 	15 Makerspace 4/5 Healthy Hearts Scholastic Book Fair Happy Birthday Ms. Bonnie!	16 P.E. Scholastic Book Fair	17 Art Scholastic Book Fair Happy Birthday Aubrey!	18 Environmental Science & Life Skills Scholastic Book Fair	19 Music Scholastic Book Fair	20
21	22 Makerspace 4/5 Healthy Hearts  Happy Birthday Cole!	23 P.E.	24 No School Fall Break	25 	26 No School Fall Break	27
28	29 Makerspace 4/5 Healthy Hearts	30 P.E.	11/8 No School 11/15-11/20 Scholastic Book Fair – Let's earn some book dollars to buy more books for the library! 11/18 PBIS Assembly – November Character Trait is Problem Solving 11/24 – 11/26 – Fall Break			

Volunteers Needed!

With our scholastic book fair just around the corner (That's right...the book fair is returning this year! Yay), I am hoping to get some volunteers to cover the lunchtime shifts at school for the students to shop. From Monday, November 15th - Friday, November 19th, students may visit the book fair during lunch to go shopping. While I am covering lunchroom duties and lunchtime recess, I will need two volunteers each day to hang out in the in the gym from 11:15am - 12:30pm and help collect money and supervise while kids shop the fair.

If you are interested in being a volunteer, [please click on the sign up genius link](https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0D4EAEA82DA0F8C25-volunteers) and select the day/days you can be here. Parents are welcome to pop in anytime during school hours to shop the fair as long as there are only a few of you at a time...just check in with me in the office and I can assist you in the library. The scholastic book fair is a great opportunity to pick up affordable holiday/birthday items for family and friends, while also earning books for our school library and classrooms.

If you have any questions, please give me a call 970-488-6550. Thank you for all you do for our school!
Mrs. Richardson

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0D4EAEA82DA0F8C25-volunteers>



SCHOLASTIC

BOOK FAIR!

COMING SOON!

Dear Parents and Families:

We're excited to invite you to our upcoming Scholastic Book Fair. Hosted by our staff, this event is an opportunity for students of all ages to build their home libraries and further their love of reading. As always, all purchases benefit our school.

After missing out on many beloved traditions, our fall Book Fair will be a familiar, welcome, and safe event for our students. Here's what you need to know about the Fair, which will take place from November 15th to November 19th at Red Feather Lakes Elementary:

- Our Book Fair offers a cash-free payment option called eWallet. It's a convenient digital account that your child can use for shopping at our Fair. Grandparents, friends, and others can contribute, too!
- If you can't make it to the Fair, then shop online at our school's Virtual Book Fair. All orders ship directly to your home, and shipping is free for book orders over \$25. Your online orders will also benefit our school.

Visit our Book Fair homepage to learn more and get started with eWallet and online shopping:

<https://www.scholastic.com/bf/redfeather>

We're excited to celebrate our love of books together at the Book Fair. We look forward to seeing your child there!

Happy reading,

Principal Schachet
Principal
Red Feather Lakes Elementary

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RFL Elementary's Book Fair

Book Fair Dates: November 15 to November 19

Shopping Hours: During School Hours

For more information regarding COVID-19, close contacts, and general return to learn guidelines please see the link and guidance below.

<https://www.psdschools.org/psd2020-21/psdprotocolsCOVID19>

2021-22 PSD Return to Learn/Work after Major or Minor Illness Symptoms



Note: This guidance is NOT intended for cases or close contacts of COVID-19. A confirmed COVID-19 case or close contact should follow public health isolation or quarantine instructions for return to school/work.

Major Symptoms:

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none">Feeling feverish, having chills, temperature of 100.4° F or greater | <ul style="list-style-type: none">New or worsening coughLoss of taste or smell | <ul style="list-style-type: none">Shortness of breath or difficulty breathing |
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Major Symptom Response:

- If symptoms resolve within 24 hours of onset follow regular return to school illness policies if all symptoms have resolved or are improving. **(Must have no fever, vomiting or diarrhea in last 24 hours).**
- If symptoms DO NOT resolve within 24 hours, either:
 - Follow home isolation for 10 days following symptom onset AND 24 hours fever free without use of fever-reducing meds before returning to school.
 - Get a PCR or molecular COVID-19 test.
 - If the test is negative, return to school once symptoms have resolved or are improving.
 - If positive, follow home isolation for 10 days following symptoms onset AND 24 hours fever free without use of fever-reducing meds before returning to school.

Minor Symptoms:

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none">Sore throatRunny nose or congestionMuscle or body aches | <ul style="list-style-type: none">HeadacheFatigue | <ul style="list-style-type: none">Nausea, vomitingDiarrhea |
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Minor Symptom Response:

- If symptoms resolve within 24 hours of onset, follow regular return to school illness policies if all symptoms have resolved or are improving. **(Must have no fever, vomiting or diarrhea in last 24 hours).**
- If symptoms are mild only and resolve within 48 hours of onset, follow regular return to school illness policies if all symptoms have resolved or are improving. **(Must have no fever, vomiting or diarrhea in last 24 hours).**
- If symptoms DO NOT resolve within 48 hours, either:
 - Follow home isolation for 10 days following symptom onset AND 24 hours fever free without use of fever-reducing meds before returning to school.
 - Get a PCR or molecular COVID-19 test.
 - If the test is negative, return to school once symptoms are resolved or are improving.
 - If positive, follow home isolation for 10 days following symptoms onset AND 24 hours fever free without use of fever-reducing meds before returning to school.

The School Nurse or PSD health staff will determine when a student is able to return to school. School administrators, department leaders, or supervisors will communicate with staff about their return to work.

Sources: Larimer County Department of Health and Environment (LCDHE), Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment (CDPHE), Colorado Department of Education (CDE), Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC). Updated September 2021.

Join PSD's Efforts to Support Students Experiencing Homelessness.

During the 2020-2021 school year, Poudre School District identified **1,432 students** pre-k through 12th grade, or **4.7% of our student population**, who experienced some form of homelessness and qualified for McKinney-Vento services.

McKinney-Vento is a federal law and PSD program designed to provide students experiencing homelessness and housing insecurity with resources and protections. The main focus is to remove the educational barriers that those students face, placing an emphasis on immediate enrollment, attendance, and success. McKinney-Vento services are available to all PSD children and youth, from birth to 21 years of age, who lack a fixed, regular, and adequate nighttime residence. Learn more about McKinney Vento on [PSD's McKinney-Vento webpage](#).

What Can You Do to Help?

- **Raise Awareness** - November is National Homeless Youth Awareness Month, and National Hunger and Homelessness Awareness Week is Nov. 13-21 (<https://hhweek.org/>). Please share this information with your family, friends, neighbors, and colleagues, and take the initiative to learn more about youth homelessness and its challenges.
- **Wear Green** – Green is the official color of Homeless Youth Awareness Month. Our McKinney-Vento staff and site McKinney-Vento Contacts will be wearing green on Wednesdays throughout the month to help bring attention to issue of homeless children, youth, and families in our community. Please feel free to join us in this show of solidarity.
- **Donate** - PSD's McKinney-Vento program accepts monetary donations which are used to purchase things like gas cards, grocery cards, school supplies, undergarments/socks, clothing, coats, hygiene and household supplies, food, concurrent enrollment supplies, and much more. Our goal is to provide services that remove barriers and create a welcoming and safe school environment so that students can come to school, engage in learning, and succeed.
 - **To Make a Donation:**
 - Make check out to Poudre School District and write McKinney-Vento in the memo line. OR
 - Use School Pay to donate- Use *Emergency Support* fund in School Pay to donate to students experiencing homelessness.
- **Learn More About McKinney-Vento in PSD:** Contact Whitney Reid, PSD's Homeless Education Program Specialist, at 970-490-3242, or via email at wreid@psdschools.org.

