

CHRISTA McAULIFFE ELEMENTARY

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HELP SUPPORT THE BUSINESS' THAT SUPPORT US!

Joe Raley State Farm, Dominos, 4C's Nursery, Sam's Club, Sybil's Relaxation Station, Texas Roadhouse, BJ's Wholesale Club, SCCU, Jersey Mike's, First Presbyterian Church of Palm Bay and Kona Ice.



December

12/3
Jersey Mike's Spirit Night
4:00-8:00 PM
Palm Bay Rd. location

12/4
Early Release Day
1:15 PM

12/8
Texas Roadhouse
Drive-thru Dinner
payment due

12/10
Winter Wonderland
6:00-7:30 PM

12/11
Early Release Day
1:15 PM

12/15
Texas Roadhouse Drive-
thru Meal Pick-up
3:00-4:00 PM

12/17
Kindergarten Virtual
Academic Night

12/18
Early Release Day
1:15 PM

12/21 - 1/3
Winter Break!

1/4
Students Return to school

Jersey Mike's Spirit Night!

Thursday, Dec. 3rd from 4-8 PM

Order from the Palm Bay road Jersey Mike's location, **mention Christa McAuliffe Elementary**, and a portion of your purchase will come back to our school! Orders can be placed by phone (473-8996), through a delivery vendor (Door Dash, UberEats, etc.) or in person. Our Spirit Night starts at 4:00 and runs until 8:00PM. Please share this with your family, friends and neighbors! Thank you for supporting Christa McAuliffe!

Changing how your child goes home

If you need to change the way your child goes home (bus, car, walk, After School Care or Daycare), **you must do so in writing** in advance for each child. In accordance with the Jessica Lunsford Act, we cannot relay telephone messages to students regarding a change to their afternoon dismissal procedures.

If the regular method of leaving school needs to be changed, parents must send a signed note to the child's teacher. Only a **signed, dated, written statement** from the parent/guardian can be accepted as valid instructions. Include the following information on the note:

- ◆ Child's first & last name
- ◆ Teacher's name
- ◆ Date(s) that the change will be in effect (single day, week, rest of the year)
- ◆ First & last name of the person picking up (if applicable). This person must be listed on the registration form as authorized to pick up.

Thank you for helping to keep our students safe!

Beginning and Intermediate Strings

Mrs. Bryant, is still accepting applications for Beginning and Intermediate Strings (1 yr. experience required), 5th & 6th grade students who would like to learn the violin, viola, cello or string bass.

Intermediate String rehearsals are Tuesdays from **2:30-3:30 for in-person** students and **2:45-3:30 for eLearners**.

Beginning Strings are Thursdays from **2:30-3:30 for in-person** students and **2:45-3:30 for eLearners**.

Contact Mrs. Bryant on Focus or by email at: Bryant.penny@brevardschools.org.





WINTER WONDERLAND

Christa McAuliffe Elementary families are invited to join McAuliffe teachers and staff at our drive-thru Winter Wonderland holiday event to be held on Thursday, December 10th from 6:00 – 7:30PM.

Cars will **enter the car loop from Minton Road**, continue through the bus loop and then **exit through the gates at Alcantarra Street**. As families drive through they will stop at various stations where **McAuliffe students** will receive a special treat.

Passengers should wear a mask and **remain in their car**. Help add to the festive spirit by wearing fun holiday shirts, hats, headband, etc. and even decorating your car.

Order Your Yearbooks Today!

Did you know that you can already pre-order the 2020-2021 Christa McAuliffe Elementary Yearbook? For only \$16, our school yearbook is something you don't want to miss. It will be packed with this year's memories! Yearbooks are not guaranteed for students/parents that have not pre-ordered. Order online no later than April 9th at:

commpe.pictavo.com

Enter the school ID: 93903

*A 5% service fee will be added to online orders.



Scan with mobile device to order:

Texas Roadhouse Drive-thru Dinners

Orders must be placed & paid for by **December 8th**. Pick-up will be on December 15th from 3-4PM in the car loop. Order forms will be coming home with students. For \$38 you will receive:

~ 1 lbs. pulled pork ~ 1 1/2 lbs. all white chicken breast ~ 24 oz. green beans
~ 24 oz. corn ~ 1 dozen rolls & cinnamon butter ~ Free appetizer coupon for next visit

MyPaymentsPlus.com

To reduce contact, the cafeteria is no longer accepting cash payments, they will instead be using MyPaymentsPlus.com to put money in your child's account.

* View your child's account, receive email reminders for low running accounts and track what your child is purchasing!

When registering your student on line, be sure to use your student's school ID number and his/her correct birth date. If you need your child's 7 digit school ID number, please call our cafeteria manager, at 725-1615 or the front office at 768-0465.

2020-2021 Parent and Family Engagement Plan

Christa McAuliffe's 2020-2021 Parent and Family Engagement Plan has been fully approved! You may access this document on our school website under the Title 1 section. If you need this document translated, please contact Tera Scott at 321-768-0465.

Spanish:

¡El Plan de Compromiso para Padres y Familias 2020-2021 de Christa McAuliffe ha sido aprobado completamente! Puede acceder a este documento en nuestro sitio web de la escuela en el Título 1. Si necesita traducir este documento, comuníquese con Tera Scott al 321-768-0465.

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Creole:

Christa McAuliffe a 2020-2021 Paran ak Plan Angajman Familyal te konpletman apwouve! Ou ka jwenn akse nan dokiman sa a sou sit entenet lekol nou an anba Tit 1. Si ou bezwen dokiman sa a tradui, tanpri kontakte Tera Scott nan 321-768-0465.

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Arabic:

تمت الموافقة الكاملة على خطة مشاركة الوالدين والعائلة من كريستا ماكوليف للفترة 2020-2021! يمكنك الوصول إلى هذه الوثيقة على موقعنا على سكوت على 321-768-0465. Tera الانترنت المدرسة تحت العنوان 1. إذا كنت بحاجة إلى ترجمة هذه الوثيقة، يرجى الاتصال بأخطاء في الترجمة غير مقصودة. Google تنويه: تمت ترجمة هذا المستند لامن خلال ترجمة

Materials Available for Check-Out

A variety of materials are available for check-out from the Title I Parent Resource Center. If you are interested in checking out materials such as math or reading games, children's books, parenting books, etc., you may contact Mrs. Scott by phone 768-0465 ext. 47173, email scott.tera@brevardschools.org or send a note to school with your child.



Making Spirits Bright

As the holidays quickly approach, things you usually look forward to may look very different this year. Reclaim some joy this season, find ways to celebrate through video calls, care packages, favorite foods or socially distanced get-togethers.

Set up a video conference (Zoom, Skype, FaceTime, etc.) and have dinner, play games or bake together. Plan on having dinner at the same time, making table conversation as if you were still eating together in person. Play games (Yahtzee, Pictionary, Boggle, Trivial Pursuit, etc.) that can easily be played over a video conference call. Plan ahead with friends or family in other households to get ingredients for a meal. Cook, bake and decorate cookies together or other holiday goodies.

Work together making cards or writing letters to those who can't be with you. There's nothing like opening a homemade card or a heartfelt note from someone you're missing.

The holidays can be hard, especially this year, but there are so many ways to bring joy into your life if you try. Plan ahead to celebrate the season to help make it a brighter time for you and your loved ones.