

May 2019

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Important Dates

April 30-May 2

BOGO Book Fair

Wednesday, May 1

Lunch with Grandparents

Friday, May 3

Kindergarten Field Trip to Lincoln
Slushy Sales

Monday, May 6

4th Field Trip to Lincoln (4L/4P)
5th Field Trip to Lincoln (5Be/5Bo)

Tuesday, May 7

4th Field Trip to Lincoln (4C/4S)
5th Field Trip to Lincoln (5Br/5F)

Friday, May 10

Slushy Sales

Monday, May 13

2nd Field Trip to Hastings
5th Grade Recognition (7:00 at YHS)

Tuesday, May 14

Kindergarten Picnic
5th Grade Fitness Day

Wednesday, May 15

2nd Grade Picnic

Thursday, May 16

Kindergarten Graduation
1st Grade Picnic
3rd Grade County Fair

Friday, May 17

Last Day of School
(12:10pm Dismissal)

Jump Up Day

Y.E.S. Indeed!

York Elementary School Monthly Parent Newsletter

As we come down the home-stretch of this school year, we are encouraging students to finish the year strong! We are also beginning to lay the groundwork for the 2019-2020 school year. Students will have an opportunity in the final month of school to experience their classroom settings for next year through Jump-Up Day. There will also be summer opportunities to extend the learning that has taken place this school year. Thanks for a great year! We look forward to partnering with you for another fantastic year when school resumes in August!

Lunch With Grandparents/BOGO Book Fair

Our PATT group has been working hard to prepare for our Lunch with Grandparents Day and the spring Buy One, Get One Book Fair. If you have registered to attend the Lunch with Grandparents, please park in the parking lot in front of the school, on side streets, or even in the pool parking lot. Please allow enough time to find a place to park and walk to the front East facing doors of the school. Registration for Lunch with Grandparents has now closed, but there will be opportunities for all to attend the Book Fair. The Book Fair is open April 30-May 2 after school each night until 6 PM.

Kindergarten Graduation

We will have the opportunity to celebrate the commencement of our Kindergarten students on May 16 at 2:00 PM. The ceremony will take place in the gym. Parents that plan to attend should park in the activity parking lot on the backside of the building. Come help us celebrate the class of 2031!



5th Grade Recognition

On Monday, May 13, please join us at the York High School Theater to honor this year's 5th grade class. The ceremony begins at 7:00 PM. York High School alumnus Grant Suddarth will be our guest speaker. 5th Grade students should arrive at 6:45. Please join us in sending off our 5th graders to YMS!

2019-2020 Class Placements and Supply Lists

Students in grades 1-5 next year will learn of their class placement at Jump Up Day on May 17. Students will receive a class list and their supply list for the next school year at this time. Additional supply lists will be available on the school website in the future.

It is the policy of York Public Schools not to discriminate on the basis of gender, disability, race, color, religion, marital status, age, or national origin in its educational programs, administration, policies, employment, or other district programs.

Transportation Requests From Field Trips and Activities

If you plan to have your student ride home from activities or field trips with a parent, please contact your child's teacher in advance. The school can provide you with a transportation request form to complete. The form needs to be completed and signed 24 hours ahead of time. Thank you for your assistance in helping us all be on the same page!

Summer Food Service Program

This summer, the Summer Food Service Program will provide free breakfast and lunch to students ages 1 through 18. These meals will be provided on weekdays from June 3rd to July 12th at York Middle School. Meals will not be served on July 4th or 5th. Breakfast is from 8:00-8:30 AM. Lunch is from 12:00-12:45. Adults are welcome to join for both breakfast and lunch. Breakfast is \$2.50 and lunch is \$3.75 for adults. Feel free to join us throughout the summer!



Bus Registration for the 2019-2020 School Year

In order for your student to ride the bus the first week of school, please complete the bus registration form for the upcoming school year. Students that have their registration completed by July 19th will be eligible to ride. Forms can be turned in to Y.E.S. or the Bus Barn. Forms are available online or can be picked up from the office.

Important 2019-2020 Dates

New Student Registration- Thursday, August 1, 8:00 am – 7:00 pm and
Friday, August 2, 8:00 am – 4:00 pm

Back to School Night- Wednesday, August 14, 5:30 – 6:30 pm

First Day of School- Thursday, August 15

Reminder – P.A.T.T. is collecting Box Tops and proof of purchases from Village Hearth and Country Hearth bread. Please bring to Y.E.S. Office.

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Lost and Found



Between now and the end of the year, please have your student check Lost and Found for any hats, gloves, coats, or sweatshirts. The Lost and Found area is located next to the Music Room. Items that are still left behind at the end of the year will be donated.

Classroom Happenings

1st Grade

In first grade we have been working hard on adding two-digit numbers together using a variety of strategies. We have also been learning about simple machines and busy building robots. In writing, we are having fun writing poems about lots of different topics.

3rd Grade

It's time for the dash to the end of the school year! Third graders have been busy with testing, reading, and math story problems. We had guests from Cornerstone Bank and Henderson State Bank talk to us about money safety and savings. We took our field trip overnight field trip to Omaha's Henry Doorly Zoo, which is always a memorable outing.

Coming up, we have our final round of MAP tests on May 6, 7, and 8. All third graders are researching a mammal in order to present a report and diorama to their classmates. We are reading Charlotte's Web in ELA, and are working to master our math standards. The fourth and final A.R. celebration, our county fair, will be on May 16. Our goal amid all these activities is to finish strong!

5th Grade

The fifth graders had a busy month in April. They completed their NSCAS testing and appreciated the treats brought in by their parents. On April 30, the fifth graders had an exciting day because they visited York Middle School for their 6th Grade Orientation. They met their core teachers and their exploratory block teachers. The highlight of the day was meeting their student family and their adviser.

Many important events are scheduled for the fifth graders in May. Testing will wrap up when they finish the MAPS tests this month. They will be trekking to Lincoln to visit Morrill Hall and Memorial Stadium for their field trip. A half day in the park is planned for 5th Grade Fitness Day. They will also be performing for their parents and friends at the 5th Grade Recognition.

Summer Reminders and Safety

Summer is a great time to schedule those well-child check-ups, eye exams, and dental checks. Also, do you have or know an incoming kindergartener? Let's get those kindergarten shots! Kindergarteners will need a booster of DTAP, which is a combination of Tetanus, Diphtheria, and Pertussis, a Polio booster, the second MMR, which is a combination of Measles, Mumps and Rubella and the second Varicella, or chicken pox. You may call Home Care Plus Immunization Clinic directly at 402-362-2566 to discuss what your student may need and make that appointment. Please have everything done and ready to turn in on back-to-school night.

Parents/Guardians—A health history form is to be completed for each student prior to the first day of school. These forms provide us with current information needed to help your child to have a safe and healthy school year. If your child has asthma, severe allergies, diabetes, seizures or other health concerns, please contact the school health office prior to the first day of school to review medical information for your child. Forms requesting specific information may be mailed out to you at the end of this year so that these papers can be completed by you and your child's physician over the course of the summer. You may also contact the school health office to request forms specific to the health concern and those will be sent home with the student or mailed out to you. Medical information needs to be current for the school year.

In addition to the above:

- If your student has been diagnosed with asthma or a severe allergy, and is going to carry an inhaler or epi-pen, a self-management form needs to be completed by parent/guardian and student, and your medical provider's signature is needed on the asthma/anaphylaxis form stating that student may self-administer.
- If you have identified a food allergy for your student, your medical provider needs to complete a form available through the food service department.
- If your child has been prescribed an epi-pen, an epi-pen is to be provided for the student to be kept at school. Please consider having your child carry their epi-pen with them at all times.
- If your child has a diagnosis of diabetes and is going to self-manage, a self-management form needs to be completed by parent/guardian, student and physician

Remember that YPS is a "Nut Safe" school. Be aware of foods with nuts and nut products and remind your child not to share their food with other students. Check with teachers to see if there is a student who has a food allergy before bringing treats to school, and remind your child that eating is not allowed on the buses during morning and afternoon routes.

Master water safety!

Swimming and other water activities are excellent way to get the physical activity and health benefits needed for a healthy life. Get the most from these activities while helping everyone stay safe and healthy. Always be certain that children are properly supervised around water, wear life jackets when boating. Take an evening to learn CPR or refresh your CPR skills. Always remember to liberally apply sunscreen when outside and make sure you are refreshing it often.

Beat the Heat!

Watch out for the heat; the best defense for heat is prevention. Take advantage of early morning and evenings to do your lawn work; outside exercise and any other strenuous outside activities. Make sure you are educated on the signs of heat exhaustion and heat stroke.

Be safe at home and at play!

Play it safe on the playground. Learn what to do if a concussion occurs. A concussion is a type of traumatic brain injury caused by a bump, blow or jolt to the head that can change the way your brain normally works. Let's remember to always wear helmets, when appropriate!

Please enjoy this time to relax, unwind, reconnect with your family and have fun!

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May 2019

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		30	1 Orange Grandparents Day	2 Purple 4th Grade Pollinator Day 4L & 4S 8:45-11:45 4C & 4P 12:00-3:00 KAE & KAS to YHS Animal Lab 10:30-11:30 BOGO BOOK FAIR	3 Green Slushies All Kindergarten to Lincoln Children's Museum 8:30	4
5	6 Red 4L & 4p Field Trip to Lincoln 5Be & 5Bo Field Trip to Lincoln	7 Orange BOGO BOOK 4C & 4S Field Trip to Lincoln 5 Br & 5F Field Trip to Lincoln	8 Purple BOGO Book Fair	9 Green BOGO BOOK FAIR	10 Red Slushies May/June/July Birthdays are FREE	11
12	13 Orange All 2nd Grade Field Trip to Hastings 5th Grade Recognition 7:00 YHS	14 Purple Kindergarten Picnic 5th Grade Fitness Day	15 Green 2nd Grade Picnic	16 Red Kindergarten Graduation 2:00 in Gym 1st Grade Picnic 3rd Grade County Fair	17 Jump Up Day Last Day of School 12:10 DISMISSAL	18

Enjoy your summer break! Have lots of fun and family time! See you in August!



Breakfast Choices

Available every day, breakfast includes:

- Breakfast entrée or Choice of cereals with toast
- Fruit
- 100% Fruit Juice
- Milk choices



Fruit and Juice Available Every Day

Start your day off right

Breakfast Meal Prices & Extras

Student Breakfast	\$1.45
Adult Breakfast	\$2.20
Extra Milk	\$0.45

Menus are subject to change without notice.



Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
<p>6 A. Fresh Baked Ham, Egg & Cheese Biscuit Sandwich</p> <p>B. Cereal Choices with Toast</p> <p>Juice Choices</p> <p>Mixed Fruit Cocktail</p>	<p>7 A. Iced Long John</p> <p>B. Cereal Choices with Toast</p> <p>Juice Choices</p> <p>Fresh Apple Wedges</p>	<p>1 A. Very Berry Overnight Oats</p> <p>B. Cereal Choices with Toast</p> <p>Juice Choices</p> <p>Fresh Apple Wedges</p>	<p>2 A. Bacon & Egg Breakfast Pizza</p> <p>B. Cereal Choices with Toast</p> <p>Juice Choices</p> <p>Fresh Orange Slices</p>	<p>3 A. Iced Long John</p> <p>B. Cereal Choices with Toast</p> <p>Juice Choices</p> <p>Applesauce</p>
<p>6 A. Fresh Baked Ham, Egg & Cheese Biscuit Sandwich</p> <p>B. Cereal Choices with Toast</p> <p>Juice Choices</p> <p>Mixed Fruit Cocktail</p>	<p>7 A. Iced Long John</p> <p>B. Cereal Choices with Toast</p> <p>Juice Choices</p> <p>Fresh Apple Wedges</p>	<p>8 A. Yogurt with Goldfish Grahams</p> <p>B. Cereal Choices with Toast</p> <p>Juice Choices</p> <p>Sliced Peaches</p>	<p>9 A. Pancake Sausage Stick</p> <p>B. Cereal Choices with Toast</p> <p>Juice Choices</p> <p>Sliced Pears</p>	<p>10 A. Fresh Baked Cinnamon Roll</p> <p>B. Cereal Choices with Toast</p> <p>Juice Choices</p> <p>Pineapple Tidbits</p>
<p>13 A. Egg & Cheese Omelet with Toast</p> <p>B. Cereal Choices with Toast</p> <p>Juice Choices</p> <p>Applesauce</p>	<p>14 A. Fresh Baked Biscuits & Gravy</p> <p>B. Cereal Choices with Toast</p> <p>Juice Choices</p> <p>Fresh Orange Slices</p>	<p>15 A. Waffles with Syrup</p> <p>B. Cereal Choices with Toast</p> <p>Juice Choices</p> <p>Whole Blueberries</p>	<p>16 A. Sausage Breakfast Pizza</p> <p>B. Cereal Choices with Toast</p> <p>Juice Choices</p> <p>Sliced Peaches</p>	<p>17 LAST DAY OF SCHOOL</p> <p>A. Fresh Baked Cinnamon Roll</p> <p>B. Cereal Choices with Toast</p> <p>Juice Choices</p> <p>Sliced Pears</p>

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SCHOOL Lunch Menu

May 2019

Fruit & Veggie Bar & Milk Choices

Unlimited fruits and vegetables and choice of milk are included with the lunch meal every day.

Each student is now required to have 1/2 cup of fruits or vegetables on their tray.



Lunch Meal Prices & Milk

ES Lunch	\$2.85	Milk	\$0.45
Adult Lunch	\$3.65	Milk	\$0.45



Lunchtime Solutions, Inc.

Applications for Free and Reduced Price meals are available in the school office

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This institution is an equal opportunity

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
<p>6</p> <p>A. Nebraska Beef Burger with Cheese B. Oven-Roasted Hot Dog C. Ham & Cheese Snackable</p> <p>Home-style Creamy Coleslaw BBQ Baked Beans</p>	<p>7</p> <p>A. Pancakes & Sausage B. Ham, Egg & Cheese Biscuit Sandwich C. Fresh Baked Turkey & Cheese Sub</p> <p>Hash Brown Triangle</p>	<p>1</p> <p>A. Home-style Chicken & Noodles B. Nebraska Beef Burger with Cheese C. Pizza Snackable</p> <p>Herb Roasted Broccoli Fresh Baked Cinnamon Bun</p>	<p>2</p> <p>A. Home-style Spaghetti B. Crispy Chicken Sandwich C. Fresh Baked Combo Sub</p> <p>Peas Gelatin Dessert</p>	<p>3</p> <p>A. Beef & Bean Burrito B. Cheese Pizza C. Ham & Cheese Sandwich</p> <p>Refried Beans</p>
<p>13</p> <p>A. Traditional Sloppy Joe B. French Toast Sticks and Sausage C. Crispy Chicken Salad with Roasted Flatbread Potato Smiles</p>	<p>14</p> <p>A. Creamy Macaroni & Cheese B. Breaded Beef Patty Sandwich C. Fresh Baked Ham & Turkey Sub</p> <p>Peas Fresh Baked Sugar Cookie</p>	<p>8</p> <p>A. Hearty Meatloaf with Dinner Roll B. Pork Fritter Sandwich C. Taco Salad with Tortilla Chips</p> <p>Golden Corn</p>	<p>9</p> <p>A. Kickin' Beef Fajita B. Popcorn Chicken Bites C. Fresh Baked Ham & Cheese Sub</p> <p>Ranch Potatoes Fresh Baked Carnival Cookie</p>	<p>10</p> <p>A. Super Nachos B. Pepperoni Pizza C. Pretzel Snackable</p> <p>Refried Beans</p>
<p>15</p> <p>A. Beef Stroganoff B. Crispy Chicken Sandwich C. Nacho Snackable Zesty Black Beans</p>	<p>16</p> <p>A. Chicken Nuggets B. Mini Corn Dogs C. Fresh Baked Italian Sub</p> <p>Green Beans Gelatin Dessert</p>	<p>17</p> <p>Last Day of School No Lunch 12:10 Dismissal</p>		