

Route 40 Elementary School

Jacqueline Hawkins, Principal

June 6, 2025

"Believe in yourself, take on your challenges, and dig deep within yourself to conquer fears. Never let anyone bring you down. You got to keep going." – Chantal Sutherland



Color Run

The students had a great time today at the color run!! We are thankful that the weather was kind to us. Thank you again for donating baby wipes! The powder will wash off in the shower. There are instructions for preserving the shirts on the bag that your child brought their white shirt home in.



PreK/K Registration Now Open

GCPS is now accepting applications for comprehensive kindergarten registration and Pre-Kindergarten Program for 3- and 4-year-olds for the 2025-26 school year. Kindergarten registration is for all children entering kindergarten for the first time in September 2025, while Pre-K is a program for 3- and 4-year-olds.

Registration will be held at each school in April.

Applicants will receive additional information regarding their application status and registration appointments.

If your child is a current PK 3 student, you **MUST** enroll them for the PK 4 program.

<https://www.gcps.net/enrollment>

PRE-K AND KINDERGARTEN

Application period is now open for the 2025-26 School Year!

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Changes to Transportation

Please remember that if there are ANY changes to your students transportation, you must send a note in with your child or call the school at 301-689-6132, please make sure that you speak to someone, do not leave a message. If the phones are down, the messages don't always come through until later. **We ask that you please DO NOT email Mrs. Bolden or your child's teacher with the change, we may not see the email in time.** If you have questions please contact Mrs. Bolden.



Absences

The GCPS handbook states that if your child is absent for any reason, a note explaining the absence should be sent in within three (3) days of the absence. Their attendance will be coded accordingly.

  **Weekly Breakfast & Lunch Menu**  

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Bosco Sticks or Chicken Nuggets
Tossed Salad, Baked Beans, Oranges

10

Chicken & Biscuit or Pizza
Tater Tots, Peas, Apple Slices

12:15 dismissal 11

Beef Ravioli or Chicken Patty
Tossed Salad, Mixed Vegetables, Fruit

12:15 dismissal 12

Pizza or Corn Dog
Tater Tots, Carrots, Oranges



JUNE 2025



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2 NHS Band Visits	3 4/5 to Hickory	4 4 th to Carnegie Museum	5 Field Day	6 Wellness Activities Color Run	7
8	9 5 th Visits Northern Middle	10 5 th Grade Promotion Ceremony 10:00 AM	11 12:15 PM Dismissal	12 Student Last Day 12:15 PM Dismissal	13	14
15	16	17	18	19 Report Cards Emailed	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30					



Upcoming Events

JUNE HAPPENINGS:

June 9th: Grade 5 Visits Northern Middle School

June 10th: Grade 5 Promotion Ceremony 10:00 AM

- 5th Grade Celebration Picnic Following Promotion Ceremony

June 11th: 12:15 Dismissal

June 12th: 12:15 Dismissal - Student Last Day

June 13th: Teacher Last Day

June 15th: Father's Day

June 19th: Report Cards Emailed





Michele Bolden

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