



Eaton Rocketeer

The mission of Eaton Elementary is to develop independent thinkers and patient problem solvers for life.

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From the desk of Mrs. Baessler, Principal



It feels like September went by so quickly and now we are preparing for October. It was an eventful month with Grandparents Dinner, spirit week, Read-a-thon kick-off, P/T conferences, and our "Charlotte's Web" activities. These events made it a wonderful month at EES!

Rocket Romp Eighth Annual Carnival and Read-a-thon:

We've kicked this event off and have already seen donations start to come in. We hope the students are excited about the upcoming event, and we hope you will assist us by collecting donations. The funds go to great use for our school. This year we are investing in the classroom, student equipment, and campus improvements. Thanks so much, in advance, for your support in this and all school endeavors.

It's a spooky month and students will be able to dress up for Halloween if they remain in dress

code. If the costume becomes a distraction to the learning environment, they will be asked to change.

October is here, and with it hopefully comes cooler weather, colorful leaves, and cozy moments perfect for reading together. This month, I want to highlight one of the most powerful ways you can support your child's learning: **daily reading at home.**

Reading with your child, even just 15 minutes a day, can have a profound impact on their vocabulary, comprehension, and love of learning. Whether it's a bedtime story, a chapter from a

favorite book, or even reading signs and labels while out and about, these moments build strong literacy skills and lasting memories.

At school, we're working hard to foster a love of reading through engaging lessons, library visits, and classroom read-alouds. You can help extend that excitement at home by setting aside time to read together, asking questions about the story, and letting your child see you enjoy reading too.

Thank you for being such an important part of your child's educational journey. Your involvement makes all the difference, and we're grateful for your partnership.

From Ms. Welden, Vice-Principal



Happy Fall Y'all! September has been a great month filled with Grandparents' Dinner, Book Fair, Read-a-thon Kick-off, and more. October has a lot in store with Fall Break and our Carnival just around the corner.

As the crisp fall weather settles in, we are enjoying all the learning, growth, and excitement happening throughout our school! This time of year often brings cooler mornings and layers of clothing. Please take a moment to **label your child's coats, jackets, lunch boxes, and water bottles** with their name. Our Lost and Found fills up quickly, and labeled items are much easier to return to their owners.

We would also like to remind families of the importance of arriving on time each day. School begins promptly at 8:00 am, and students who arrive after that time are marked tardy. Starting the day on time helps students feel prepared, connected, and ready to learn.

As we move into the fall season, we encourage every family to make **daily reading** part of their routine. Even just 15-20 minutes of reading each

day can help build vocabulary, strengthen comprehension skills, and foster a lifelong love of learning. Whether your child reads independently or enjoys a story read aloud together, every minute spent reading makes a difference!

Thank you for your continued partnership in making our school a wonderful place to learn and grow. We wish all of our families a happy, safe, and colorful fall season!

Other News at Eaton.....



READ-A-THON

Week of Oct. 12-16

MONDAY

Carnival Pre-Sale (wristbands) starts

pre-order now!!

TUESDAY

Send in your Read-a-thon Donations



WEDNESDAY

Last day for Read-a-thon donations to qualify for prizes @ 3:00 pm

LAST DAY!

THURSDAY

Presale for Carnival Ends @ 3:00pm

DUE Today

FRIDAY

- Live Announcements @ 7:50
- Parade at 8:15
- Read-a-thon & Honorary Walk for Mary Lee Wampler Hitch 8:30-2:30
- Carnival 5-8

Skyward:

Need a phone number or address updated? Need to check on attendance? Contact Mrs. Andi at housleya@loudoncounty.org



Web Site: If you need up-to-date school information and dates of special events, you can visit www.eatonschool.org, www.facebook.com/EatonElementary, or follow us on twitter @eatonelementary

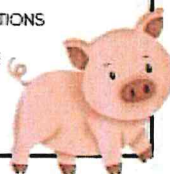


CHARLOTTE'S WEB WORD SEARCH

Can you find all the words?

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J	U	E	A	E	A	E	O	M	Q	C	X	I	E	E
A	E	M	R	S	T	M	R	S	F	E	O	G	U	M
R	M	S	N	N	B	O	C	C	Y	R	R	R	C	P
E	G	R	R	K	G	K	E	F	H	V	K	I	N	L
C	H	A	R	L	O	T	T	E	D	X	G	Z	F	E
N	S	D	C	M	O	N	C	R	Q	E	O	X	H	T
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N	R	A	C	A	E	Q	S	C	K	W	M	E	V	N
K	Y	N	P	P	G	A	Q	M	B	R	K	E	P	O
B	K	T	E	R	R	I	F	I	C	N	H	F	J	U
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X	S	A	L	U	T	A	T	I	O	N	S	K	O	X
B	J	E	X	O	J	J	N	E	J	P	D	I	W	U
B	J	S	O	M	E	P	I	G	T	U	K	V	L	J

WILBUR	TEMPLETON	TERRIFIC	SALUTATIONS
CHARLOTTE	RADIANT	PIG	GOOSE
FERN	SOME PIG	RAT	BARN



Rocket Rump Read-a-thon

Help Us Meet Our Goal

\$ 20,000

\$ 18,000

\$ 16,000

\$ 14,000

\$ 12,000

\$ 10,000

\$ 8,000

\$ 6,000

\$ 4,000

\$ 2,000

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OCTOBER

SUN MON TUE WED THUR FRI SAT

Notes:

2026

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End of Term
Student Celebrations

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Week 4

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Presale for Carnival begins



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Read-a-thon donations due for prizes

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Presale for Carnival ends
Report cards go home

16

Live Announcements, Parade, & Read-a-thon
Carnival 5-8

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Fire Department Assembly
WBIR Cool Schools Filming

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3rd grade F/T field trip



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Fall Pictures (yearbook)
picture DAY

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CSP/PTO meeting at 9:30



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Safety Drill

3rd grade F/T



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Students may dress up for Halloween (see Monday Minute for details)

Rocketeer goes home

2nd grade F/T

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OCTOBER

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MONDAY

TUESDAY

WEDNESDAY

THURSDAY

FRIDAY

Sidewalk Smiles 7:15-8:00

Please do not bring children with you to open car doors unless they are securely strapped into a stroller or they stay behind the blue line. Student safety is our top priority, and we appreciate your help in keeping arrival running safely and smoothly.

2026

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Kolwyck

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Maddox

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Fall Break

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Fall Break

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Fall Break

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Fall Break

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Fall Break

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FBCLC

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Byrd

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TVA

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Doughtery

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Byars

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FBCLC

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Dorton

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Hurst

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Womack

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Student
Council

26
FBCLC

27
Lufkin

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Woody

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Mondragon

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Myers

October 2026		Breakfast Menu		Loudon County Schools		DRAFT 9-14-26	
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday			
			1	2			
			Chocolate Muffin or Trix Muffin Cereal Fruit 100 % Fruit Juice Milk	Sausage Biscuit Cereal Fruit 100 % Fruit Juice Milk			
5	6	7	8	9			
Fall Break	Fall Break	Fall Break	Fall Break	Fall Break			
12	13	14	15	16			
Cinnamon Roll (Mini Cinni)	French Toast	Breakfast Pizza	Blueberry Muffin or Cinnamon Toast Crunch Cereal Fruit 100 % Fruit Juice Milk	Biscuit, plain Gravy Cereal Fruit 100 % Fruit Juice Milk			
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19	20	21	22	23			
Glazed Donut #7744667 (not holes)	Pancakes	Egg/Cheese Breakfast Sandwich	Mini Bagel	Chicken Biscuit, Gravy			
Cereal Fruit 100 % Fruit Juice Milk	Cereal Fruit 100 % Fruit Juice Milk	Cereal Fruit 100 % Fruit Juice Milk	Cereal Fruit 100 % Fruit Juice Milk	Cereal Fruit 100 % Fruit Juice Milk			
26	27	28	29	30			
Pop Tart Cereal Fruit 100 % Fruit Juice Milk	Waffles Cereal Fruit 100 % Fruit Juice Milk	Pancake Sausage Stick Cereal Fruit 100 % Fruit Juice Milk	Chocolate Muffin or Trix Muffin Cereal Fruit 100 % Fruit Juice Milk	Sausage Biscuit Cereal Fruit 100 % Fruit Juice Milk			

October 2026

Loudon County Schools

DRAFT 9-14-26

Lunch Menu		Loudon County Schools		DRAFT 9-14-26	
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	
			1	2	
			Pepperoni or Cheese Pizza Broccoli Corn-Potato Smiles Assorted Fruit Cookie Milk	Beef Tacos Baked Scoops, Corn Fresh Veggies Refried Beans Salsa Cup Fresh Fruit, Milk	
5	6	7	8	9	
FALL BREAK	FALL BREAK	FALL BREAK	FALL BREAK	FALL BREAK	
12	13	14	15	16	
Hamburger Baked Beans, Fresh Veggies Lettuce, Tomatoes, Pickles, Cheese	Spaghetti Garlic Bread Mixed Vegetables	Chicken Nuggets Macaroni & Cheese Roll	Wild Mike's Cheesy Bites Broccoli Corn	Turkey/Cheese Hoagie Doritos Dragon Punch	
Potato Smiles Fresh Fruit, Assorted Fruit Milk	Tossed Salad, Marinara Sauce Assorted Fruit Milk	Carrots, Steamed Green Beans Sidekick Slushie, Milk	Marinara Sauce Assorted Fruit Cookie, Milk	Fresh Veggies Fresh Fruit Milk	
19	20	21	22	23	
Chicken or Spicy Chicken Sandwich	Chili	Popcorn Chicken	Fiesta or Cheese Pizza	Beef Tacos	
Baby Carrots Broccoli Seasoned Potato Wedges Fresh Fruit Milk	Grilled Cheese Fresh Veggies Tater Tots Assorted Fruit Milk	Roll Green Beans Mashed Potatoes Gravy Sidekick Slushie, Milk	Broccoli Corn-Potato Smiles Assorted Fruit Cookie Milk	Soft Tortilla Shells Corn, Fresh Veggies Salsa Texas Ranchero Beans Fresh Fruit, Milk	
26	27	28	29	30	
Mini Corn Dogs Hush Puppies, 3 (6-12 grade) Fresh Veggies Potato Smiles Fresh Fruit Milk	Pork BBQ Bun Baked Beans Mixed Vegetables, Steamed Assorted Fruit Milk	Chicken Nuggets or Spicy Chicken Macaroni & Cheese Roll Carrots, Steamed Green Beans Sidekick Slushie, Milk	Mozzarella Stuffed Bread Sticks Broccoli Corn Marinara Sauce Assorted Fruit Cookie, Milk	Hot Dog Chili Cole Slaw, Fresh Veggies Potato Smiles Fresh Fruit Milk	

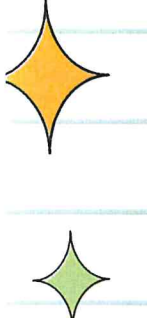


CSP

Community school partnership (formerly PTO)

CONNECTION

OCTOBER 2026



Volunteer Opportunities

<https://bit.ly/26-27EESVolSignup>



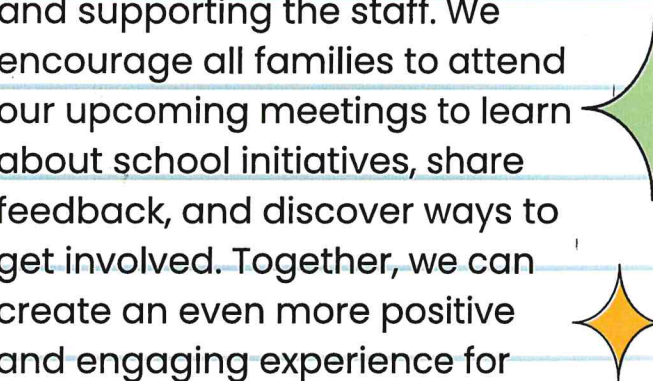
Upcoming Meetings, Volunteer Opp. & Events

- Ice Cream Fridays – help with selling Ice Cream during lunch
- October 2nd: Behavior Party in gym
- October 16: Carnival Set-up and during event
- October 21st: Volunteer to bring special breakfast for our students featured on WBIR Cool Schools
- October 23rd: Apple Bar for Staff and Picture Day
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Why be involved?

The CSP/PTO is a great way for families to stay connected, support our students, and help make our school community stronger. Your ideas, time, and involvement, whether big or small, can make a meaningful difference in enriching opportunities for our children and supporting the staff. We encourage all families to attend our upcoming meetings to learn about school initiatives, share feedback, and discover ways to get involved. Together, we can create an even more positive and engaging experience for every student!



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