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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



MARCH

We have had a month filled with snow, ice, and sickness. We hope everyone is ready for the spring weather that is around the corner. Spring Break is 9-13 and we return on March 16th just in time for St. Patrick's day.

Order Your Yearbook

We are excited about our yearbook this year. Our committee has worked very hard on capturing all the memories so order yours today. Flyers went home the middle of February.

Spring weather is a nice time to get outside to play and walk away from the TV.

Please encourage this with your children especially when the weather is cooperating. Check this site out for fun ideas while you are on spring break:

<https://www.thespruce.com/spring-break-activities-for-children-3128954>

Join us for the Willy Wonka Jr. Drama Club performance on March 30th for a fun, family-friendly showcase of our students' hard work, creativity, and talent. Come and celebrate the magic they've brought to the

stage. We can't wait to see you there and share this sweet adventure together!

Kindergarten Round-up materials are on our website. There is also a video to help anyone new to the process. Adults will need to bring their state issued identification so we can print a visitor badge. On April 10th we will have kindergarten round-up from 8-2:30. PreK and Kindergarten will not attend school that day.



From Ms. Welden, Vice-Principal



Hello Eaton Families! Spring is just around the corner! I am ready for the warmer weather and longer days. Now is a great time to check out the Lost and Found for any missing clothing items, water bottles, or lunchboxes. It is overflowing so have your

child check it out sometime during the day.

Bingo for Books was a great success! I enjoyed seeing so many families playing together and socializing with one another. This is such a fun way for students to get new books to read and spark that love of reading.

Did you know?
Missing just 2 days per month adds up to 18 days in a school year — that's

almost a full month of learning! Even in elementary school, strong attendance builds:

- Reading growth
- Math confidence
- Friendships
- Positive routines

Show love for learning by making school attendance a priority whenever your child is healthy.

Ways to Support Strong Attendance:

- Set a consistent bedtime routine.

- Prepare clothes and backpacks the night before.
- Schedule appointments after school hours when possible.
- Talk positively about school each morning.

Attendance Reminders:
Students are allowed 5 parent notes and 5 unexcused absences. If your child is sick, please send in doctor's notes.

Enjoy your Spring Break!



As we enter second semester, we wanted to remind everyone regarding teacher requests for the 25-26 school year. We will not be accepting specific teacher requests. If you send a letter with a specific name(s), it will not be reviewed. Instead, we encourage parents who feel led to send a request to focus on the qualities of a teacher that they feel would best suit their child's needs. We believe that this shift will contribute to a more inclusive and well-rounded educational experience for all students. While we understand that some families may have specific preferences, we are confident that our dedicated and talented teaching staff will continue to foster a nurturing and supportive atmosphere for every student. If you have a specific non-request, please email Mrs. Baessler at baesslera@loudoncounty.org. Thank you for your understanding and cooperation as we work together to create an optimal learning environment for all students.



2026 Summer School

Week 1: May 26th - May 29th (Tuesday-Friday)
Week 2: June 1st - June 4th (Monday - Thursday)
Week 3: June 8th - June 11th (Monday - Thursday)
Week 4: June 15th - June 18th (Monday - Thursday)
TCAP Re-take Assessment for 3rd grade **ONLY**:
May 27th and 28th

Web Site/Skyward: If you need up-to-date school information and dates of special events, you can visit www.eatonschool.org, www.facebook.com/EatonElementary
Instagram: [eaton.elementarytn](https://www.instagram.com/eaton.elementarytn)
X: @EatonElementary
App: Loudon County Schools

A great way to stay on top of your students contact phone numbers, attendance, and grades is by accessing Skyward. You will need this access to view your child's 26-27 homeroom teacher on July 17th. If you do not know your Skyward username or password contact Mrs. Housley at housleya@loudoncounty.org

Get ready to smile...it's almost
Spring Picture Day!

Optional picture day: Only students with an order will be photographed



Eaton Elementary School
Friday, March 20, 2026

ORDER ONLINE: prepayorders.com/school/ees13750
*Important - Online Orders close at midnight **BEFORE** picture day

CSP: (Community School Partnership previously our PTO)



Signup to volunteer today:
<https://bit.ly/25-26EESVolSignup>

Next Meeting:
Tuesday March 3rd @ 9:15



MARCH

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1	2 Read Across America Day (dress like favorite book character)	3 Community School Partnership meeting @ 9:15 (PTO) NO LAUNCH	4	5 Fire Drill 3rd grade musical @ 6:30	6 End of Term 3 Student Celebrations & Glow Party	7
8	9  spring BREAK	10  spring BREAK	11  spring BREAK	12  spring BREAK	13  spring BREAK	14
15	16	17  ST. PATRICK'S DAY	18	19 Term 3 report cards go home Young Achievers Ceremony	20  picture DAY	21
22	23	24	25	26	27 Rocket Reporter	28
29	30 Drama presents Willy Wonka Jr.	31 Rocketeer goes home NO LAUNCH	Notes: National School Breakfast week March 2-6.			

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Lunch Menu

Loudon County Schools

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Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
2	3	4	5	6
Chicken Nuggets	Wild Mike's Cheesy Bites (4), Marinara Sauce	Hamburger or Cheeseburger	Sausage (2), Biscuit	Mini Corn Dogs
Mac n Cheese	Broccoli with Cheese	Baked Beans	Tater Tots, Veggie Juice	Fresh Veggie Bowl
Green Beans	Corn, Fruit	Fries	Steamed Apples	Fries
Steamed Carrots	Milk, Cookie	Lettuce, Tomato, Pickle	Milk	Sidekick Slushie
Fruit, Milk		Fresh Fruit, Milk		Milk
9	10	11	12	13
Spring Break	Spring Break	Spring Break	Spring Break	Spring Break
16	17	18	19	20
Popcorn Chicken, Roll	Cheese Sticks	Chicken Sandwich (plain or spicy)	Beef Tacos (soft shell), Fido	Grilled Cheese
Breaded Okra	Marinara Sauce	Baked Beans, Fries	Corn, Lettuce, Salsa	Bowl of chili
Mashed Potatoes, Gravy	Broccoli with Cheese, Corn, Fruit	Lettuce, Tomato, Pickle	Texas Ranchero Beans	Fresh Veggie Bowl, Fries
Fruit, Milk	Milk, Cookie	Fresh Fruit, Milk	Fresh Fruit, Milk	Sidekick Slushie, Milk
23	24	25	26	27
Chicken Tenders	Pizza	Hamburger or Cheeseburger	BBQ Teriyaki Chicken, Vegetable Fried Rice	Hot Dog
Mac n Cheese	Broccoli with Cheese	Baked Beans	Egg Roll	Chili, Cole Slaw
Green Beans	Corn	Fries, Lettuce, Tomato, Pickle	Normandy Blend	Fresh Veggie Bowl
Steamed Carrots	Fruit	Baby Carrots	Vegetables, Fresh Fruit	Fries
Fruit, Milk	Milk	Fresh Fruit, Milk	Fortune Cookie	Sidekick Slushie, Milk
30	31	April 1	2	3
Chicken Nuggets	Wild Mike's Cheesy Bites (4), Marinara Sauce	Chicken Sandwich (plain or spicy)	Spaghetti & Meat Sauce	Easter Break
Breaded Okra	Broccoli with Cheese	Baked Beans, Fries	Garlic Texas Toast	
Mashed Potatoes, Gravy	Corn, Fruit	Lettuce, Tomato, Pickle	Steamed Mixed	
Fruit, Milk	Milk, Cookie	Fresh Fruit, Milk	Vegetables, Tossed Salad	
			Fresh Fruit, Milk	

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Breakfast Menu

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DRAFT 2-17-26

Monday		Tuesday		Wednesday		Thursday		Friday	
2		3		4		5		6	
National School Breakfast Week									
Pancakes Cereal Fruit, Milk Fruit Juice		Pop Tart Yogurt Fruit Fruit Juice, Milk		Breakfast Pizza Cereal Fruit Fruit Juice, Milk		Muffin Yogurt Fruit Fruit Juice, Milk		Sausage, Biscuit, Gravy Cereal Fruit Fruit Juice, Milk	
9		10		11		12		13	
Spring Break		Spring Break		Spring Break		Spring Break		Spring Break	
16		17		18		19		20	
Pancake Sausage Stick Cereal Fruit Fruit Juice, Milk		Waffles Yogurt Fruit Fruit Juice, Milk		Apple Cinnamon Toast Cereal Fruit Fruit Juice, Milk		French Toast Yogurt Fruit Fruit Juice, Milk		Chicken, Biscuit Cereal Fruit Fruit Juice, Milk	
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