NOVEMBER 2026

clarke county elementary school menu

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
⇒ *Denotes menu items that are at least 50% whole grain or contain grain/ bread items that are at least 50% whole grain. ⇒ Menu choices are subject to change due to manufacturer & vendor shortages. ⇒ Many items that are traditionally beef or pork-based are actually chicken or turkey-based in our school settings. Contact us to learn more. ⇒ Fresh fruit options may be shifted during the week to allow for proper ripening. Our goal is to serve fruit when it is ready, so that our students learn to love it when it is at its best! ⇒ At breakfast, students are offered 4oz. 100% fruit juice, fruit of the day, and a choice of milk daily.				
2 Popcorn-style Chicken* & Roll* Cheese or Pepperoni Calzones* & Marinara Mashed Potatoes Green Beans Apple Wedges Peaches <u>Breakfast</u> Breakfast Bun* Cereal & Crackers*	3 	4 Grilled Cheese Sandwich* Beef Chili & Cheez It Crackers* Baked Potato Baked Sweet Potato Broccoli & Cheddar Navel Orange Wedges Pears <u>Breakfast</u> Cheese Omelet & Croissant* Cereal & Crackers*	5 Cheese or Pepperoni Pizza* Rotini* & Meatballs in Marinara w/ Garlic Breadstick* Steamed Kernel Corn Garden Salad Grapes Pineapple <u>Breakfast</u> Chicken Biscuit* Yogurt & Dunkin Stick*	6 Hamburger/Cheeseburger* PBJ Sandwich* Potato Wedges Celery Sticks & Ranch, Baked Beans Seasonal Fresh Fruit, Craisins/ Raisins, Freshly-baked Cookie* <u>Breakfast</u> Donut* & Yogurt Tube Cereal & Crackers*
9 Crispy Chicken Bites* & French Roll* Cheesy Breadsticks* & Marinara Mashed Potatoes Steamed Fresh Broccoli Apple Wedges Fruit Cup (peach or mixed berry) <u>Breakfast</u> Mini Pancakes* Cereal & Crackers*	10 Pork Carnitas* Bean & Cheese Pupusa* OR Burrito* Roasted Corn & Peppers Charro Beans Banana Applesauce Freshly-baked Cookie* <u>Breakfast</u> Sausage Biscuit* Yogurt & Granola*	11 Oven-Roasted Chicken & Roll* PBJ Power Pack* Collard Greens Celery Sticks & Ranch Black eye Peas Navel Orange Wedges Pears <u>Breakfast</u> French Toast Sticks* & Sausage Cereal & Crackers*	12 **THANKSGIVING LUNCH** Chicken Tenders* & French Roll* Roasted Turkey w/ Gravy & Roll* Hummus Bento* Cornbread Dressing, Green Beans Honey-Glazed Sweet Potatoes Baked Cinnamon Apples Fruit Salad Cranberry Orange Sauce <u>Breakfast</u> Chicken Biscuit* Yogurt & Mini Donut*	13 Crispy Chicken Sandwich* Corn Dog* Back 2 Basics Bento* Crinkle Cut Fries Mini Carrots & Ranch Seasonal Fresh Fruit Craisins/Raisins <u>Breakfast</u> Scrambled Eggs & Grits Donut* & Yogurt Tube

Thanksgiving Lunch Menu:

Crispy Tenders or Roasted Turkey with Gravy

French Bread Rolls * Cranberry Orange Sauce

Cornbread Dressing * Green Beans

Glazed Sweet Potatoes * Baked Cinnamon Apples

DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME ENDS

Remember! Turn your clock **back** 1 hour before bed on Saturday, October 31st!

We all get one extra hour of sleep, so take advantage of this extra bit of rest!

Sunrise and sunset will be one hour earlier on Sunday, 11/1!

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16 Honey Sriracha Chicken & French Roll* Garlic & Herb Cheese Pull Aparts* & Marinara Herb-Roasted Potatoes Green Beans Apple Wedges Peaches Breakfast Mini Waffles* Cereal & Crackers*	17 Cheese Nachos* Donderos' Chicken Fajitas* Roasted Corn & Peppers Spicy Black Beans Banana Applesauce Cup Fixings: Black Olives, Cilantro, & Jalapenos Breakfast Sausage Biscuit* Fruit & Yogurt Parfait*	18 Asian Chicken* & Roll* Mandarin Orange Chicken & Brown Rice* Back 2 Basics Bento* Edamame Succotash Roasted Broccoli Grapes Fruit Salad Breakfast Cinnamon Roll* Cereal & Crackers*	19 Cheese or Pepperoni Pizza* Vegetable Lasagna* & Garlic Bread* Hummus Bento* Steamed Kernel Corn Garden Salad Navel Orange Wedges Pineapple Breakfast Chicken Biscuit* Yogurt & Dunkin Stick*	20 Fish Sticks* & French Roll* BBQ Pork Sandwich* Potato Rounds Mini Carrots w/ Dip Seasonal Fresh Fruit Craisins/Raisins Celebration Cookie* Breakfast Breakfast Pizza* Donut* & Yogurt Tube
23	24	25	26	27

Thanksgiving Break! See you in December!

FUN BOOKS TO BOOST YOUR LITERACY!

1. **Thank You, Omu! by Oge Mora.** A heartfelt story about a woman who shares her delicious stew with the neighborhood and learns the true meaning of community. Listen HERE.
2. **Turkey Trouble by Wendi J. Silvano.** A clever turkey tries to disguise himself, so he won't become Thanksgiving dinner. Listen HERE.
3. **Hello, Harvest Moon by Ralph Fletcher.** This story explains what the autumn harvest moon is and how its bright nocturnal light historically helped farmers work late into the night to gather crops before winter. Listen HERE.
4. **Sophie's Squash by Pat Zietlow Miller.** A charming tale of how a young girl adopts a butternut squash from the farmer's market as a pet. Listen HERE.



HARVEST OF THE MONTH: SWEET POTATO

Join us in trying the harvest of the month, **SWEET POTATOES**, on Thursday, November 13th. We will be serving honey-glazed sweet potatoes as part of our Thanksgiving Lunch!

Did you know?

- Georgia is the perfect place to grow sweet potatoes!
- Long, hot summers help them to grow and mature well.
- They also come in a rainbow of colors!
- Add them to your meals at home—you can buy them fresh, frozen, or canned!
- Sweet potatoes are not only VERY nutritious but they also can be VERY delicious!
- Try them on November 13th when you dine with us!

