



CCES Sunday Newsletter, September 27



Happy Sunday! Thank you for your continued collaboration and support.

Free and Reduced Meals Application

Your family may qualify for a free or reduced meal. You can fill out an application, to see if you qualify. Applications can be accessed electronically or on paper. If you need assistance filling out a free and reduced meal application, please contact our Community School Specialist, Ms. Heldmann at Sara.Heldmann@hcps.org or 410-300-1065.

- [Click here](#) for an electronic copy.
- Paper copies are located in the main office at CCES. You can stop in to fill one out or request your child's teacher to send one home.

Late Arrival Procedures

Instruction begins promptly at 9:00 am. If your student arrives at 9:00 am or later, please walk your student in and sign them in for the day at the main office.

Student Attendance & Absences

Attendance is vital for student success in school. We do recognize that at times students may have circumstances that prevent them from coming to school. If your child has missed a day of school, please send a note or an email to your child's teacher upon their return to school. Per HCPS make-up policy, the school can only provide work for students who have lawful (excused) absences. HCPS attendance policy can be found in the Parent –Student Handbook located [here](#).

SRIP Conferences

Kindergarten through 3rd grade families will be notified in the upcoming weeks if an SRIP conference is required. SRIP conferences will take place on Friday, October 16 in the morning.

Picture Day

Fall pictures will take place on Wednesday, October 7. Ordering information will be sent home with students on October 7 and sent to guardian emails.



The image contains a yellow poster for Church Creek Elementary School's Fall Photoday on October 7th, 2026. The poster features the Little Red School House logo, the school's name, and a photo of a student. To the right is a white box with ordering instructions. It states that PhotoDay is on October 7th and that every student will be photographed. It also says to watch for an email with a private gallery link and to view, choose, and order photos online. All orders are shipped directly to home. Contact information for Little Red School House Photography is provided at the bottom right.

PHOTODAY IS OCTOBER 7TH!
School Pictures are working differently this year.

PhotoDay
Every student will be photographed.
No order for or pre-purchase is needed.

WATCH YOUR EMAIL
After PhotoDay, we'll email you when your child's private gallery is ready.

VIEW • CHOOSE • ORDER
See your child's photos before you buy, choose your favorite pose and background, and order online.

All orders shipped directly to home.

Little Red School House Photography
Forest Hill, MD 21050
443-987-0232
info@lrsphoto.com

November Parent Teacher Conferences

November 2 is Parent Teacher Conference Day. Conferences will be 20 minutes in length and can be held in person or virtually. Day and evening times will be available. Your child's teacher will be in contact to schedule your child's conference.

CCES PTA

If you are interested in helping CCES establish a PTA, please contact Ms. Heldmann through email at Sara.Heldmann@hcps.org or at 410-300-1065.

Upcoming Important Dates

- **Wednesday, October 7:** Picture Day (*individual pictures*)
- **Thursday, October 15:** Early Dismissal Day (*students dismiss at 12:30 pm*)
- **Friday, October 16:** Schools Closed for Students (*Professional Development Day*)
- **Friday, October 30:** Early Dismissal Day (*students dismiss at 12:30 pm*)
- **Monday, November 2:** Schools Closed for Students (*Conference Day*)
- **Tuesday, November 3:** Schools Closed for Students & Staff (*Election Day*)

Upcoming Community Events

- **Thursday, October 29:** Trunk or Treat at Aberdeen High School 5:00 – 7:00pm