



LITTLE ROCK  
CHRISTIAN  
ACADEMY

# NEW FAMILY GUIDE



# THE BASICS

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## PARENT COMMUNICATION AT LRCA

We have multiple ways for you to receive information and stay in the loop!

- **LittleRockChristian.com:** Our website is full of information, from athletic events to school news.
- **Warrior Weekly newsletter:** You will receive a weekly e-newsletter sent every Monday. This will give you important information for the coming week.
- **The Warrior** is the magazine of LRCA, published twice a year. In it, you will find articles that tell the story of our school, from students to faculty to alumni.
- **FACTS Family Portal** is where you can check grades, view student billing accounts, stay current on school events, view food service details, and make payments.
- The Little Rock Christian Academy App gives you all the features of FACTS Family Portal and more for iOS and Android devices. [Look for it in the App Store.](#)
- **TEXT ALERTS** are important school announcements sent to parents sent via SMS messaging.

## FOOD SERVICE WITH SPROUTS

**Elementary school** students are offered the choice of the hot meal of the day, chicken nugget pack, or cold sandwich meal. Parents may order in advance through the LRCA app or the FACTS Family Portal and may do so up to a month at a time. Each morning when class attendance is taken, your elementary student will be asked what they would like to order or if they brought their lunch. Your FACTS account will be charged based on food selections. Orders must be placed by 8:00 a.m.

**5th-8th Grade** students will place their lunch selections using a Google order form link on their Chromebooks. Your FACTS account will be charged based on food selections. Orders must be placed by 8:45 a.m.

**High school** students may select breakfast items on a first come, first served basis before school. Students will place their lunch selections using a Google order form link on their Chromebooks. Students may also order assorted smoothies, beverages, and snacks before school and during lunch. Snacks will be available for them to pick up during their morning break between classes. Your FACTS account will be charged based on food selections. Lunch orders must be placed by 8:45 a.m.

**For more Food Service information** [Click Here.](#)

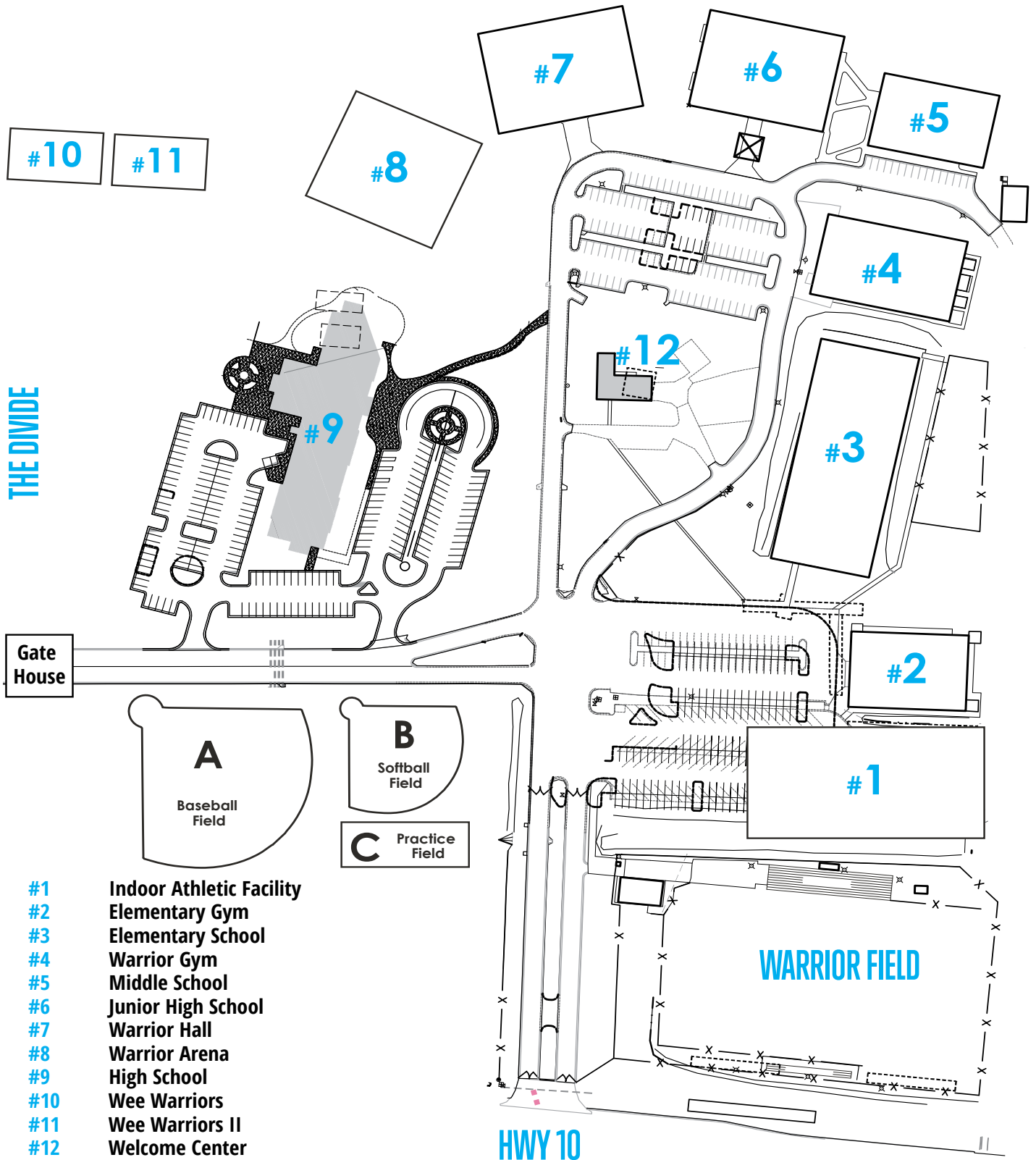
We look forward to feeding your families. Should you have any questions, please contact Sprouts Food Service office at 501-975-3446 or email [Patrick.Carroll@LittleRockChristian.com](mailto:Patrick.Carroll@LittleRockChristian.com).

A blue banner with white and light blue text and icons. On the left, it lists social media handles: Twitter (@lrcawarriors), Facebook (@lrcawarriors), Instagram (@little\_rock\_christian\_academy), and YouTube (LRCAWarriors). On the right, there is a smartphone displaying a social media profile and a logo featuring a cross and a ribbon.

**LRCA SOCIAL MEDIA**  
Join Warriorville on social media and stay connected!

 @lrcawarriors       @little\_rock\_christian\_academy  
 @lrcawarriors       LRCAWarriors

# CAMPUS MAP



- #1 Indoor Athletic Facility
- #2 Elementary Gym
- #3 Elementary School
- #4 Warrior Gym
- #5 Middle School
- #6 Junior High School
- #7 Warrior Hall
- #8 Warrior Arena
- #9 High School
- #10 Wee Warriors
- #11 Wee Warriors II
- #12 Welcome Center

# DIRECTORY

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Main Number  
868-9822

Elementary Office  
410-1465  
April.Matthews@LittleRockChristian.com

Middle School Office  
975-3448  
Lori.Kelley@LittleRockChristian.com

Junior High Office  
975-3415  
Delta.Bost@LittleRockChristian.com

High School Office  
975-3425  
Tracy.Kelley@LittleRockChristian.com

Warrior Hall  
975-3410  
Holly.Curry@LittleRockChristian.com

Athletic Department  
975-3432  
Tammy.Harris@LittleRockChristian.com

Student Accounts  
Evie.Scherrey@LittleRockChristian.com

Technology  
Technology.Staff@LittleRockChristian.com

Nurses Office  
Nurses.Office@LittleRockChristian.com

Registrar  
Kelly.South@LittleRockChristian.com



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## DROP OFF AND PICK UP TIMES:

**Times will be updated over summer break.**

**Elementary School - 8:00 a.m. - 2:59 p.m.**

**(2:40 p.m. for families with only Elementary Students)**

Students 3 year old - 4th grade can be dropped off as early as 7:30 a.m. In the afternoon, students must be picked up within 30 minutes after school ends or they will be sent to After School Care, and a fee will be applied to your statement.

**Middle School - 8:15 a.m. - 3:06 p.m.**

Students can be dropped off as early as 7:40 a.m. Weather permitting, students will remain outside until 8:00 a.m. when they are dismissed to class. In the event of inclement weather, students will enter the building through the MS cafeteria doors and stay in the cafeteria until 8:00 a.m. In the afternoon, they must be picked up within 30 minutes after school ends or they will be sent to After School Care, and a fee will be applied to your statement.

**Junior High - 8:15 a.m. - 3:06 p.m.**

Students can be dropped off as early as 30 minutes before school and will report to the Junior High building until being dismissed to their classes. In the afternoon, they must be picked up within 30 minutes after school ends or they will be sent to supervised study hall, and a fee will be applied to your statement.

**High School - 8:15 a.m. - 3:15 p.m.**

Students 9th-12th grade may arrive as early as 7:30 a.m. and should be picked up within 30 minutes of the end of school.

Students arriving after the morning start time will need to stop in the office and get a pass to class. For absences, please call the building directly, or email the contact for each building (see above under directory.)

**PARENT HANDBOOK** The Little Rock Christian Academy Handbook is available online ([LittleRockChristian.com/Warriorville/Parents](http://LittleRockChristian.com/Warriorville/Parents)). There is a complete guide for school policies and procedures listed for each school.

## PARENT COMMUNICATIONS:

**ADDRESS, E-MAIL, & PHONE NUMBER CHANGES**

Families should keep the school updated of any changes in their contact information by emailing Kelly South at [Kelly.South@LittleRockChristian.com](mailto:Kelly.South@LittleRockChristian.com).

**DRESS CODE** - Each school has their own dress code.

See these links with specific details:

[Elementary Dress Code](#)

[Middle School Dress Code](#)

[Junior High Dress Code](#)

[High School Dress Code](#)

## LUNCH SCHEDULES:

**Elementary** (2nd): 11:00 -11:20  
(1st): 11:25 -11:45  
(K3/K4): 11:35 -11:55  
(K5): 11:45 -12:05  
(4th): 12:00 -12:25  
(3rd): 12:25 -12:45

**Middle School** (5th): 11:20 -11:55

**Middle School** (6th): 11:35 -11:55

**Junior High** (7th-8th): 12:00 -12:20

**High School** (11th-12th): 11:15 -11:45

**High School** (9th-10th): 11:45 -12:15

## FACTS FAMILY PORTAL:

Student schedules, grades, report cards, lesson plans, homework, school directory, and financial information (including pre-paid food service accounts) are all available here: [FACTS Family Portal](#)

For student billing questions, please email [Evie.Scherrey@LittleRockChristian.com](mailto:Evie.Scherrey@LittleRockChristian.com)

## TECHNOLOGY:

All students in grades 5-12 will receive school issued chromebooks. Technology training will occur either before they start school, or on their first day of school. Please forward any questions to Karen Stotts, HS Educational Technology Specialist.

[Karen.Stotts@LittleRockChristian.com](mailto:Karen.Stotts@LittleRockChristian.com)

**WARRIOR STORE** (Located in building #1)

## REGULAR STORE HOURS

T-F from 7:45 a.m. - 9 a.m. and 1:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.

The Warrior Store is a longstanding project of the Warrior Club. Store profits support LRCA athletic programs. Be sure to follow the Warrior Store on Instagram and Facebook! All major credit cards, cash, and checks are accepted.

And, the Warrior Store is now online! Beat the back to school rush and shop online. Ship directly to your home or take advantage of FREE curbside pick up.

[Online Warrior Store](#)

Check it out today and outfit the Warriors in your family!

# FALL 2022 KEY DATES

Date	Event
Tue 08/16/2022	First Day of School - Early Dismissal: EL @ 11:45 & Noon; MS/JH @ 12:15; HS @ 12:30
Mon 09/05/2022	Labor Day - No School
Thu 09/15/2022	Early Dismissal: EL @ 1:45 & 2; MS/JH @ 2:06; HS @ 2:15
Mon 10/10/2022-Tue 10/11/2022	Upper School Parent Teacher Conferences - No School for JH/HS
Wed 10/12/2022	PSAT Test: 9th - 11th Grade - Dismissal at 12:30
Thu 10/13/2022-Fri 10/14/2022	Lower School Parent Teacher Conferences - No School for EL/MS
Thu 10/20/2022	Early Dismissal: EL @ 1:45 & 2; MS/JH @ 2:06; HS @ 2:15
Thu 11/10/2022	Early Dismissal: EL @ 1:45 & 2; MS/JH @ 2:06; HS @ 2:15
Mon 11/21/2022-Fri 11/25/2022	Thanksgiving Break - No School
Thu 12/08/2022	Early Dismissal: EL @ 1:45 & 2; MS/JH @ 2:06; HS @ 2:15
Fri 12/16/2022	Last Day of First Semester - Early Dismissal EL @ 11:45 & Noon; MS/JH @ 12:06; HS @ 12:15
Mon 12/19/2022-Mon 01/02/2023	Christmas Break - No School
Sun 12/25/2022	Christmas Day

# PARENT TEACHER FELLOWSHIP

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The Parent Teacher Fellowship (PTF) was organized to enhance the relationship between LRCA families and the school. Its membership includes EVERY parent and teacher at LRCA. The PTF officers and committee chairmen serve under the direction of school leadership. Funds raised from PTF programs are given back to the school to enhance the Warrior experience in every grade and in every area of academics. If you would like additional information, please email [lrca.ptf@gmail.com](mailto:lrca.ptf@gmail.com)

## **PTF Projects Recently Funded:**

- Funding for Tuition Assistance
- Elementary Chapel Equipment
- Funding for necessary changes to security enhancements campus-wide
- Scholarship money to help qualifying families with the cost of Learner Services testing
- New books for K-4th grades
- Professional Development funds for Lower and Upper School faculty
- Gallery Supplies and Service Projects for Elementary Studio Arts
- Travel expenses paid for All-State high school students in Choir, Band, and Orchestra
- 2-Viewsonic interactive boards, Chromebooks and scanners for Learner Services
- Harkness tables and chairs for high school students
- Funding for Senior Capstone student research projects
- Flexible seating for the ARC in High School
- Collaborative learning style tables and chairs for Middle School and Junior High

## **PTF has also joyfully provided many wonderful events and services at LRCA within the past few years:**

- Back to School Staff Fiesta
- Tears & Cheers Back to School Parent Reception
- Staff Christmas luncheons and gifts
- 3rd/4th grade Daddy/Daughter Dance
- 3rd/4th Grade Mom/Son Basketball Event
- Elementary Grandparents Day
- Middle School GLOW
- Middle School End-of-the-Year Event
- Junior High Social
- Junior High Promotion
- High School Donut Days
- Staff Appreciation Lunches
- Social media parent presentation
- Chick-fil-A Week
- Warrior 5K - \$5,000 tuition raffle
- Moms In Prayer
- Box Tops fundraiser
- School Tool Box sales
- Faculty & Staff meals and treats throughout the year



# WARRIOR ATHLETICS

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**T**he Warrior Fight Song rings through campus all year as 34 junior high and high school teams compete in various sports. All of those programs are supported financially (over and above the school's operating budget) by the Warrior Club.

Advertising, concession sales, and proceeds from the gates go directly to support student athletes. Warrior Club memberships and sponsorships, as well as proceeds from the Warrior Store and the annual golf tournament, also provide the funding required to develop competitive teams in the Arkansas Activities Association 5A classification.

This volunteer board oversees a budget used exclusively to back programs by equipping concession stands, funding bus transportation to athletic events, and training coaches; as well as purchasing uniforms, equipment, awards and celebrations for all sports. The Warrior Club also funds capital projects around campus, such as the new baseball bleachers, and keeps sports facilities up to date.

The Warrior Club board is comprised of dedicated LRCA parents led by President Fred Lord and Athletic Director Johnny Watson.

**"ALL-SPORTS PASS"  
AVAILABLE FOR PURCHASE  
STARTING AUGUST 1<sup>st</sup>**

**WARRIOR STORE HOURS**  
T-F from 7:45 - 9 a.m. and 1:30 - 3:30 p.m.  
Shop the Warrior Store Online!

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