Sheckler Elementary School
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CATASAUQUA AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT
DEDICATED TO EDUCATIONAL EXCELLENCE

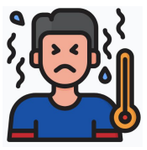
Catasauqua Area School District
2025-26 Calendar

Sheckler Elementary School 2025-2026

Health & Safety Protocols

- Handwashing and respiratory etiquette.
- Routine cleaning, disinfecting, sanitizing, and maintaining healthy facilities.
- The **CDC's Respiratory Virus Guidance** can be found using the provided link.
- DOH guidance on COVID

Nurse's Office



- Stay home if unwell and go home if feeling unwell while at school
- When a child is sick, the child should not report to school.
- Please refer to the Nurse's webpage for Respiratory Virus symptoms and CDC guidance. Nurse's Office - Francis H. Sheckler Elementary School
- Check with teachers to stay on top of classwork and assignment when sent home from school.

Click here to access the Sheckler Elementary School Building Handbook

Attendance

- Regular attendance is essential to success in school.
- Children lose opportunities to learn when they miss school.
- Excessive absenteeism generally results in decreased academic achievement.
- Check with teachers to stay on top of classwork and assignment when absent from school.

Meals

- All students will be eligible for Free breakfast and lunch.
- **Breakfast** - Served upon student arrival to grade levels.
- **Lunches** - See daily schedule block for lunch times.

Masking

- Face coverings/masks will be optional for all students and staff in buildings and on school vehicles (buses, vans, etc.). State orders and/or local data may result in modifications to the District's face covering practices.

Daily Schedule

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8:45 a.m. Doors open for Student Entry
9:00 a.m. Doors Secured/Homeroom begins

10:45 - 11:15 1st Grade Lunch
11:20 - 11:50 Kdg. Grade Lunch
11:55 - 12:25 2nd Grade Lunch
12:30 - 1:00 3rd Grade Lunch
1:05 - 1:35 4th Grade Lunch

3:10 -3:20 p.m. Dismissal

- **3:10** Parent Pick Up students will be signed out at a designated grade level table in the cafeteria
- Walkers are dismissed
- **3:15** Buses leave Sheckler

Teaching & Learning

- **2025-2026 iPad User Agreement**
- All students will be provided with a district owned iPad K-12
- Students in grades K-8 will use **Google Classroom** as their learning management system
- Students in grades 9-12 will use **Canvas** as their learning management system
- The district will assess students' academic needs through the use of high-quality screeners for students in grades K-4 and high-quality ELA and math diagnostics in grades K through high school. The school district will utilize technology tools to create personalized learning pathways for students.

Student Supply Lists

2025-2026 School Supplies

Transportation

- Transportation Dept. Contact Info: Phone: 610-264-3192; extension 2
  Email: transportation@cattysd.org
- You may view your child's bus information by logging into PowerSchool - look for Bus Information the week of Aug. 13, 2025.

Communication

PowerSchool

- **PowerSchool Parent Portal** - Access teacher assignments, student schedules, and report cards.

- CASD is transitioning from Remind to ParentSquare as our new district-wide communication platform for the 2025-26 school year. Families are welcome to download the ParentSquare app at this time. Additional details and usage tips will be shared in the weeks ahead.

*Please call the Main Office if you need assistance setting up your PowerSchool account 610-264-5601.

Arrival & Dismissal

Click on the following links to view the Map for specific traffic patterns for our SES Arrival and Dismissal Procedures

SES Drop off/Pick up Diagram Map

Carline/Drop Off Video

8:45 - 9:00 AM
All students enter Sheckler.

9:00 AM
Doors secured and all students must be in homeroom.

3:10PM
All **Walkers** are dismissed.

Parent Pick Up Students will be signed out by a parent/guardian at designated sign out tables in the Sheckler Cafeteria
*****IMPORTANT: Please complete the 2025/2026 Sheckler Release Form***

3:15 PM
All **buses** leave Sheckler