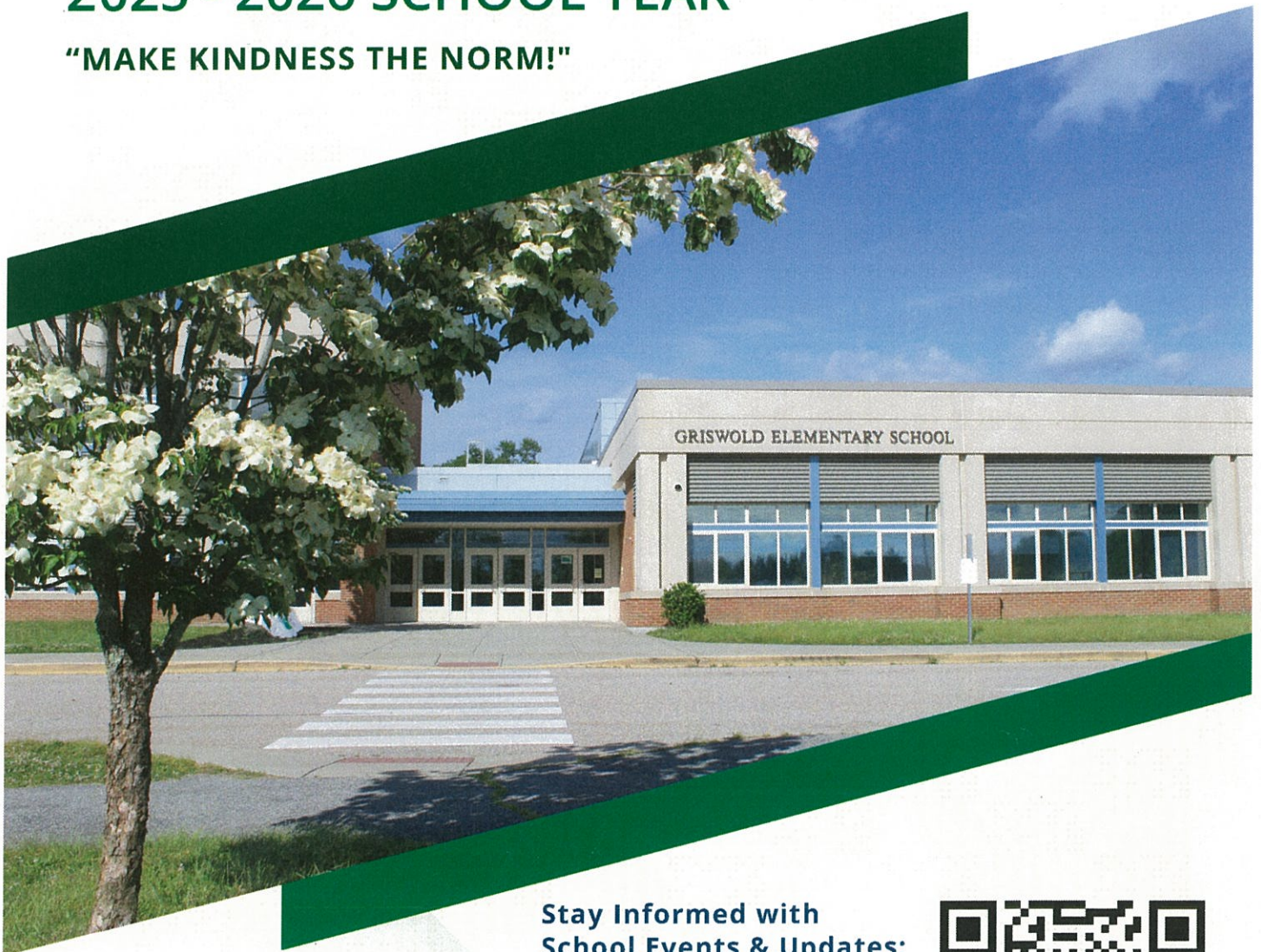


GRISWOLD ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

WEDNESDAY FOLDER

2025 - 2026 SCHOOL YEAR

"MAKE KINDNESS THE NORM!"



**Stay Informed with
School Events & Updates:**

- School Flyers
- Community Flyers
- Youth Center Flyers

Contact the GES Main Office at 860-376-7610

<https://ges.griswoldpublicschools.org/about/wednesday-folders>



Attendance *Matters!*

**Consistent attendance
in elementary school
supports life long
academic success,
social skills, and self
confidence**



We encourage
students to be

- ☒ **At School**
- ☒ **On Time**
- ☒ **Every Day**

**Please reach out to the Support Team
with any concerns about your student's
attendance**



DECEMBER 2025

GRISWOLD PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Monday

1 CHICKEN NUGGETS

FRENCH FRIES
ROLL, BROCCOLI
APPLESAUCE, MILK

Tuesday

2 CHEESEBURGER ON A ROLL

BEANS & CORN
PEARS
MILK

Wednesday

3 PASTA W/MEATSAUCE

GARLIC KNOT
GREENBEANS
MIXED FRUIT, MILK

Thursday

4 FRENCH TOAST STICKS

SAUSAGE
HASH BROWN
CARROTS
PEACHES, MILK

Friday

5 PIZZA CHOICE

TOSSED SALAD
STRAWBERRIES
MILK

8 CHICKEN PATTY ON A ROLL

MASHED POTATOES
BROCCOLI
APPLESAUCE, MILK

9 GRILLED CHEESE

TOMATO SOUP
CARROTS
APPLE, MILK

10 PASTA W/MEATSAUCE

GARLIC KNOT
GREENBEANS
MIXED FRUIT, MILK

11 MOZZERELLA STICKS

CARROTS
BREADSTICK
APPLE, MILK

12 PIZZA CHOICE

TOSSED SALAD
STRAWBERRIES
MILK

15 CHICKEN NUGGETS

FRENCH FRIES
ROLL, BROCCOLI
APPLESAUCE, MILK

16 CHICKEN & BEEF

NACHOS
BEANS & CORN
PEARS
MILK

17 PASTA W/MEATSAUCE

GARLIC KNOT
GREENBEANS
MIXED FRUIT, MILK

18 CHEESEBURGER ON A ROLL

BEANS & CORN
PEARS
MILK

19 PIZZA CHOICE

TOSSED SALAD
STRAWBERRIES
MILK

22 CHICKEN PATTY ON A ROLL

FRENCH FRIES
BROCCOLI
APPLESAUCE, MILK

23 FRENCH TOAST STICKS

SAUSAGE
HASH BROWN
CARROTS
PEACHES, MILK

24 WINTER BREAK

25 WINTER BREAK

26 WINTER BREAK

29 WINTER BREAK

30 WINTER BREAK

31 WINTER BREAK

ADDITIONAL CHOICES AVAILABLE DAILY. CHOICES ARE PB&J, TURKEY SANDWICH, CHEF SALAD OR CHEF'S SPECIAL.



BREAD OFFERINGS ARE WHOLE GRAIN. MILK OFFERINGS ARE 1% WHITE OR FAT-FREE FLAVORED. MILK IS OFFERED AT EVERY MEAL.

THE USDA IS AN EQUAL OPPORTUNITY PROVIDER AND EMPLOYER

MY SCHOOL BUCKS PAY FOR MEALS ONLINE myschoolbucks.com



PJ DAY FOR THE KIDS

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 12, 2025

Standing together with kids fighting cancer.

THE STUDENTS AND STAFF OF
GRISWOLD ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

ARE INVITED TO WEAR THEIR PJs TO SCHOOL IN SUPPORT OF KIDS WHO
WEAR THEIR PJs FOR LONG PERIODS OF TIME WHILE FIGHTING CANCER
AT CONNECTICUT CHILDREN'S.

Make an optional donation of \$1 or more & wear your PJs!

For more information and to make a gift online, visit:



<https://give.connecticutchildrens.org/team/787493>

Cash, online donations and checks are accepted.
Please make any checks payable to Connecticut Children's Foundation, Inc.



Mrs. Connors' Third Grade Class is selling



CHRISTMAS CANDY GRAMS



to benefit St. Jude's Children's Hospital!

Christmas Candy Grams are on sale for \$2.00 each.

Your message will be attached to a cherry candy cane and delivered directly to students or staff on Friday December 19th. Extra copies are available if you'd like to send multiple grams!

Please complete the entire form(s) with full payment attached and return by Monday, December 15th.

Message:

To: _____
From: _____

Recipient's Full Name: _____

Recipient's Grade : _____ Teacher: _____

Amt. Enclosed (Cash Only): \$ _____ Your phone: _____



Griswold
Elementary
School

PTO Updates

PTO Student Shout Outs!

TWO WAYS TO PARTICIPATE

Monthly Grade-Level Shout-Out Board

Each month, two grade levels are featured on our special shout-out bulletin board!

Send a message of encouragement, congratulations, or just plain love to your student!

Month	Grade
October	Pre-K + Kindergarten
November/December	1 st + 2 nd
January	3 rd + 4 th
February	Pre-K + Kindergarten
March	1 st + 2 nd
April	3 rd + 4 th
May	Teachers!

-OR-

Monthly Birthday Shout-Out Board

Open to ALL students and staff!

Make their special day extra sweet by featuring their name and a message on our Birthday Board during their birthday month!

Scan here to sign up!



Pricing:

\$5.00

(funding PTO efforts!)

Deadline for January 2026 Boards:

Monday, December 22nd, 2025

Questions? Contact GESPTO@griswoldpublicschools.org

HELP GES PTO + YOUR COMMUNITY

FOOD DRIVE

ST. MARY'S FOOD BANK

UNEXPIRED +
NON-PERISHABLE
FOOD ONLY

- Canned vegetables
- Boxed stuffing
- Instant mashed potatoes
- Cranberry sauce
- Green beans
- Canned pumpkin
- Dry pasta
- Gravy
- Any non-perishable item



**NOVEMBER 1ST -
DECEMBER 12TH**

DONATION DROP OFF LOCATION:
BOXES WILL BE LOCATED BY THE GES OFFICE



BOX TOPICS

'Tis the season to give back! December's earning opportunities make supporting schools feel extra bright.

DECEMBER
2025 EDITION

BONUS OFFERS



Offers are valid in a single transaction between 12/1/2025-12/31/2025



Buy 3, Earn 6
on all Betty Crocker
products*



Buy 2, Earn 5
on all Nature Valley
products*



Buy 2, Earn 5
on all Tostitos
products*



Buy 2, Earn 5
on all Cinnamon
Toast Crunch
products*



Buy 2, Earn 5
on all Pillsbury
products*

*Must submit your receipt within 14 days of purchase. Limit 5 claims per receipt.



Support A SCHOOL IN NEED

The holiday season is a great time to support schools with fewer resources. Consider changing your designated school for a week (or more) to show some love to the students and teachers who need it most.

Go to your account and tap "Manage Schools" to find a School in Need.

WANT TO WARM UP YOUR WINTER EARNINGS?

These tips make it easy to rack up Box Tops



- Buy single-serving Box Tops items such as Gushers, fruit snacks and Nature Valley granola bars. Give them out as small holiday gifts for classrooms or stocking stuffers.
- Don't forget to stock up on seasonal favorites before winter break

See all participating products at [BTFE.com/Products](https://www.btfec.com/products)

3 EASY WAYS TO EARN FOR OUR SCHOOL



SCAN

Qualifying receipts
in the app



SUBMIT

Qualifying digital
receipts in the app



CONNECT

Your Walmart and
Box Tops accounts

SEE PRODUCTS & LEARN MORE ABOUT
THE BOX TOPS APP AT [BTFE.COM](https://www.btfec.com)



DON'T HAVE THE BOX TOPS
APP YET? DOWNLOAD IT NOW:





FUN FROSTY

FRIDAYS

A CELEBRATION OF GES STAFF

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 5TH BREAKFAST

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 12TH HOLIDAY SNACK CART

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 19TH THE MYSTERY WHEEL

Ticket stubs and a mystery wheel.

**Frosty Friday's
FOR GES STAFF**

**GIFT CARDS
\$5-\$20**

**DUE BY
DECEMBER 12TH**

[CLICK HERE TO MAKE A DONATION](#)

**ON DECEMBER 19TH EVERY STAFF MEMBER WILL GET A CHANCE TO SPIN THE
MYSTERY WHEEL AND WIN A GIFT CARD**

**BUT WE NEED YOUR HELP TO MAKE IT HAPPEN!
YOU CAN SUPPORT THIS FESTIVE FUNDRAISER
BY:**

 **PURCHASING A GIFT CARD OF YOUR CHOICE**

 **A MONETARY DONATION AND WE'LL SHOP FOR YOU!**



**gespto@griswoldpublicschools.org
Griswold Elementary School PTO**



THE GES PTO PRESENTS

A NIGHT AT THE NORTH POLE

DECEMBER

12

6-8PM

SOLD
OUT

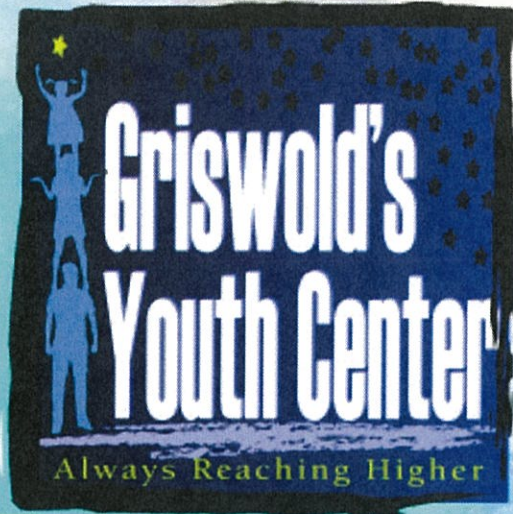
Town Of Griswold

Youth & Family Services

Updates



TOWN OF GRISWOLD, CT
Youth & Family Services
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Griswold Youth Service Bureau 58
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(p) 860 376-7026 (w) griswoldyfs.com
(e) director@griswoldyfs.com



FALL / WINTER PROGRAMS

GRISWOLDREC.ORG

ENROLLING: GRISWOLDREC.ORG



IMPORTANT!

Parents of kids grade 3/4 must stay at practice the whole time.

We need your help if you child is not listening. This is be a huge support to the Wrestler's experience.

Wrestlers who are not listening will be told to do an exercise as diversion to help improve their behavior & reduce risk to others.

If risky behavior continues, then Wrestler will be told to leave the practice.

DECEMBER - MARCH

**GRADES 3/4
MONDAY / TUESDAYS**

**GRADES 5-8
THURSDAYS / FRIDAYS**

**@ GHS AUX GYM
5:30 - 7:00 PM**

**Fee: \$50
(+\$5 FOR NON-GRISWOLD)**

**COACHES &
SPONSORS
needed!**

FYI:

AT-SHIRT & SHORTS ARE TO BE WORN. BRING A WATER BOTTLE.

WRESTLING SHOES ARE REQUIRED

BRING IN WRESTLING SHOES TO CHANGE INTO TO HELP KEEP MATS CLEAN.

RAISE SOME DOUGH

Help support us!

30% of sales will benefit

Griswold Youth Travel Basketball

December 10, 2025
4:00 pm to 8:00 pm
160 River Road
Lisbon, CT

In Cafe Drive-Thru
Pick-Up Delivery

Enter promo code **FUND4U** at online checkout.

Panera
FUNDRAISING

