



Robert Moton Elementary

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School starts at 8:30, doors open at 8, Dismissal is at 3pm
If your student is absent or has a dismissal change, please email us at
rmeattendance@carrollk12.org

Reminder: You can **NOT** walk your student down to their classrooms for any reason, it is a **Security Risk**, all goodbyes should be said in the lobby

Important Links and Info



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- Please **DO NOT** park in the bus loop [along the front sidewalk], we have buses throughout the day that need access to that area.
- You will need a photo ID to pick up your child from school at any time
- **Only live in guardians can pick up students without prior authorization - this includes emergency contacts unless contacted by the nurse**
- Dismissal changes must be made by 1pm, if not they will require administrator approval and may not be honored



MARK YOUR CALENDAR - UPCOMING EVENTS

December 23- EARLY DISMISSAL- we will dismiss at 12:15

December 24 - January 3 - NO SCHOOL- Winter Break



Upcoming Lunch Schedule

December 21-27 2025

Robert Moton Elementary
Lunch

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
22 Entree Choices • Homestyle Chicken Tenders with Dinner Roll • Cheeseburger on a Roll • Chicken Caesar Salad Grab and Go Combo Featured Sides • Baked Beans • Vanilla Ice Cream Cup Fruit and Vegetable Bar	23 Entree Choices • French Toast Sticks with Sausage Patty • Deep Dish Cheese Pizza • Chicken Caesar Salad Grab and Go Combo Featured Sides • Corn Fruit and Vegetable Bar	24 Winter Break	25 Winter Break	26 Winter Break

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29 Winter Break	30 Winter Break	31 Winter Break	1 Happy New Year	2 Happy New Year

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
5 Entree Choices • Pizza Crunchers • Popcorn Chicken with Buttermilk Biscuit Grab and Go Combo Featured Sides • Baked Beans • Bell Cookie Fruit and Vegetable Bar	6 Entree Choices • Nachos Grande • Chicken Patty on a Roll Grab and Go Combo Featured Sides • Corn Fruit and Vegetable Bar	7 Entree Choices • Grilled Cheese Sandwich • Hamburger on a Roll • Cheeseburger on a Roll • Crispy Chicken Salad Grab and Go Combo Featured Sides • Crispy French Fries • Tomato Soup Fruit and Vegetable Bar	8 Entree Choices • Mozzarella Cheese Sticks with Marinara Dipping Sauce • Beef Chili with Beans with Cornbread • Crispy Chicken Salad Grab and Go Combo Featured Sides • Steamed Broccoli Fruit and Vegetable Bar	9 Entree Choices • Cheese Pizza • Pepperoni Pizza • Pretzel Bites & Cheese • Crispy Chicken Salad Grab and Go Combo Featured Sides • Green Beans Fruit and Vegetable Bar

Fruit and Vegetable Bar: Applesauce , Cinnamon Applesauce , Fresh Apples , Diced Pears , Fresh Pears , Chilled Peaches , Bananas , Fresh Grapes , Fresh Carrots , Cucumber Coins , Tossed Salad , Coleslaw , Green Peppers and Cherry Tomatoes , Red Pepper Hummus

All menus are subject to change. We make it our priority to serve the menu as planned, but sometimes situations arise where we need to make substitutions. We will make every attempt to substitute similar products when they are available. We appreciate your understanding.

Milk Choices: Nonfat Milk , Low Fat Milk , Nonfat Chocolate Milk



Counselor's Corner

"Check out what's happening
with Mrs. Napor"



December is a wild month, isn't it? A time full of anticipation, preparation, lots of energy from the younger crowd, and the wish for extra energy from the more seasoned folk. Regardless of where you stand in the mix, this month is a lot.

It can be hard to find your footing when expectations are coming at you from all angles. In kindergarten last week we read the book *A Little Spot of Giving* that encouraged us to think about gifts in a different light.

In this book, students and I explored the many intangible gifts that are available to give at any moment. Things like kindness, listening, appreciation, and time. We discussed that these actions could inspire others to give, and most certainly communicate to our loved ones that they are important and loved.

So, if you find yourself panicking that you can't find or provide the perfect presents, don't forget that there are some gifts at your disposal that can make special memories without dollar signs attached.

I wish everyone a safe and magical Winter Break. I'll see you in 2026!

Ms. Napor

The PAX Post

As we head into the Winter Break, I wanted you to have next month's PAX Calendar to get 2026 started. Enjoy!



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1 Happy New Year!	2 Smile and tell 5 people, "Good Morning!"	3 Show someone at home what it means to have PAX Feet in the hallway at school.
4 Spend 15 minutes cleaning your room.	5 How were you a PAX Leader during break?	6 Tootle an adult for being a PAX Leader.	7 What should be added to your classroom Vision for PAX Leaders to do MORE of?	8 Clean out and organize your school bag.	9 Tell a classmate how they were a PAX Leader today.	10 Play a board game with a family member or friend.
11 Eat a healthy snack today.	12 Homework break: Tell a joke to someone at home.	13 Use your PAX Voice during group work today.	14 What makes someone a PAX Leader?	15 Give someone a PAX thumbs up today.	16 Let someone go ahead of you in line.	17 Read to a sibling today.
18 Help with a household chore.	19 Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Day.	20 Start a new book.	21 Write a Tootle to a friend today.	22 Talk to a grown up at home about what it means to be a good friend.	23 Fun Friday! Do a Granny's wacky Prize at home today.	24 Take a walk outside.
25 Draw or doodle something that makes you happy.	26 Start the week fresh - clean out your backpack.	27 Offer to help someone clean up a mess.	28 Try a new spot to read or study for 10 minutes.	29 Write or draw about something you learned to do better in January.	30 Share something interesting you learned with a friend.	31 National Hot Chocolate Day! Enjoy a cup of hot cocoa!



Permission slips will be going home with interested 4th and 5th graders next week for Battle of the Books. We will begin meeting in mid-January and the main event is Monday, May 1st, 2026 at 6:30pm at Westminster High School.



Kindergarten Families

Starting the week of January 5th, 2026, we will begin allowing our kindergarten students to purchase a snack at lunch each Friday. They are able to bring in money to purchase a snack or students may use money on their account. It is important for parents to monitor their account to make sure that students are not purchasing snacks without parent permission.

If this becomes an issue, we are able to add a note on the register that students are not able to purchase a snack. Please feel free to reach out to the cafeteria with questions.

All chips - \$1.00
Cookies .75
All ice cream - \$1
Welch's fruit snacks - \$1
Fruit Roll Up - .75
Izze(carbonated fruit juice)- \$1.25
Juice box - .75
Fruit juice cup - .75
Bottled water (16.9 oz) \$1.00
Milk - .60



RME's annual HOLIDAY SPIRIT WEEK DECEMBER 15-23

Monday
12/15
**BABY IT'S COLD
OUTSIDE**
Wear your
winter hats and
scarves



Tuesday
12/16
UGLY SWEATER DAY
Wear your
favorite ugly
sweater



Wednesday
12/17
FUZZY SOCKS DAY
Show off your
warm, fun,
fuzzy socks



Thursday
12/18
DECK THE HALLS
Break out your
best holiday gear
or jazz up your
outfit with a
holiday
accessory



Friday
12/19
FLANNEL FRIDAY
Wear your
favorite flannel



Monday
12/22
WINTER WONDERLAND
Dress in icy
blues, silver and
white



Tuesday
12/23
READY TO REST
it's a pajama day

