

TIGER TALES

Madison Elementary
510 N. Palmetto Ave.
Marshfield, WI 54449
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FROM THE DESK OF DR. SCHEER

It is hard to believe that with the onset of March we are almost done with the third quarter of school and spring break is on its way! March also brings testing season. Students in grades 3-6 at Madison will be taking the Wisconsin Forward Exam. Students have been working hard all year and we are very proud of all the progress they have made! The detailed exam schedule is on the school website. If you need to contact me, please call the school 715-384-8181 or send me an email scheer@marshfieldschools.org .

MADISON ELEMENTARY IS ON INSTAGRAM

Follow us @madisonelemmarshfield on Instagram to see the latest activities and happenings! Scan the QR code to get started!

COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES

Please check the following link on the district website, there are multiple flyers for community activities, sports, and happenings! [E-Flyers](#)

MADISON HAPPENINGS & EVENTS

- March 3:** Arby's Night 4:30-7:30
- March 6:** No School
- March 10:** PTO 6:00
- March 11:** School Board Meeting
- March 16-March 20:** Spring Break No School
- March 25:** End of 3rd Quarter

SUMMER SCHOOL

Camp Invention and Summer School Registration

Monday, April 13, 2026, starting at 6:00 PM to Friday, April 24, 2026, closing at 3:30 PM.

Registration is based on a first-come, first-served basis and is accomplished by using Skyward Family Access. Some courses fill quickly, so parents/guardians need to be on the ready and register when the registration window opens.

The 2026 Summer School Course Description and Information Catalog will be available for viewing starting Monday, March 30, 2026, two weeks prior to the registration window opening. It will include information for elementary (incoming grades K – 6) and middle school (incoming grades 7 – 8) programming.

Please see the information below for summer school locations:



SUBJECT: 2026 Summer School Programming & Facility Relocation Plan

Summary

Due to the scale of construction scheduled for Summer 2026, specifically at Grant Elementary and the High School, we are strategically relocating summer programming. The following plan ensures continuity of learning while maintaining safety and operational efficiency.

Camp Invention (June 8 – June 12)

- **Location:** Madison Elementary (No Change)
- **Format:** Full-day program for grades K–6 students
- **Impact:** No disruption to standard programming

Main Summer School Session (June 15 – July 24)

To bypass construction zones, students will be distributed across alternative facilities.

Student Group	2026 Location	Notes & Accommodations
Grades K–4	Washington Elementary	Relocated from Grant Elementary.
Grades 5–6	Middle School	Relocated from Grant Elementary. Elementary students will use 1 st floor.
Grades 7–8	Middle School	No change to location.
9-12 Academics	Madison Elementary	Students will use intermediate-level classrooms to ensure adult-sized furniture is available. Physical Education (PE) will use the gym and outdoor spaces.
9-12 Strength & Conditioning	High School Weight Room	Restroom accommodations: Due to potential water shut-off, students may use stadium restrooms/sinks.

Student Group	2026 Location	Notes & Accommodations
Music (7-12)	Middle School & Madison Elementary	Held in Band & Orchestra rooms.

Schedule & Logistics

To support caregivers with students in multiple buildings, start times have been staggered:

- **Grades K–4 (Washington):** 8:10 AM – 12:10 PM
- **Grades 5–6 (Middle School):** 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM
- **Middle School (Grades 7-8):** Session #1 begins at 7:30 AM; Session #2 at 9:50 AM (Minimal interruption to standard schedule)

Late Summer Programs (August 3 – August 14)

Program: Project Jumpstart (1st–6th) and Leadership Academy (6th)

- **Location:** Madison Elementary
- **Status:** No interruptions nor changes to location or schedule

Program: Making the Move (7th and new to the district 8th grade students)

- **Location:** Middle School
- **Status:** No interruptions nor changes to location or schedule

Student Services & Community Partners

Food Service: All students in half and full day summer programming will be provided a **free lunch**

Boys & Girls Club (BGC)

- Relocating from Grant Elementary to **Washington Elementary**
- Available to students in grades 1–6 immediately following the summer school day

Transportation:

- Bussing provided for 5th/6th grade students moving from the Middle School (morning academics) to Washington Elementary (afternoon BGC)
- Bussing available from Washington to the **YMCA** for the Summer Day Camp program

REGISTRATION INFORMATION FOR NEXT year 2026-2027

Verify your information in Skyward Family Access, Request Changes. Log into Family Access as the Student Info tab allows you to update and submit changes for district approval at any time. See request changes registration letter for directions. Students are automatically enrolled from year to year.

If you will not return to the School District of Marshfield in September, notify us of the city, state, and school where you will be moving through the Family Access Contact Us tab in the upper right corner or through your school office as soon as you know.

If you have moved during the school year or will be moving before the start of the new school year and want your child to remain at the school they are currently attending OR if you are requesting your student attend a school other than their neighborhood school for the upcoming school year, complete the Intradistrict Student Transfer Request found on Family Access under Online Forms, due by March 1.

Students currently in public 4K will be placed at their neighborhood school for kindergarten. Children not attending public 4K may submit online enrollment for kindergarten through our website www.marshfieldschools.org, January 26-February 6.

Students entering 4K may submit online enrollment through our website www.marshfieldschools.org, January 12-23.

Current 6th grade students will receive further information from Marshfield Middle School.

Meet and greet information and teacher placement will be in Family Access in mid-August.

MADISON PTO

A great way to get involved at Madison School is to become part of our parent-teacher organization (PTO). We have an active and supportive PTO for which we are truly thankful. Look for our PTO on Facebook <https://www.facebook.com/madisonsPTO510> or email them at madisonpto510@gmail.com

BEFORE SCHOOL DROP OFF/ AFTER SCHOOL PICK UP

Madison doors will open at 7:40 AM each day. Supervision does not begin at school until 7:30. Please do not drop students off before 7:30. Students (plus siblings) in grades 4K-2 can be dropped off in the front of the school off Palmetto Ave. Students (plus siblings) in grades 3-6 can be dropped off in the back of the school upper parking lot off Apple Ave. This is a one way drop off.

School is dismissed at 2:50PM each day. Grades 4K-2 will be brought out into the front of the school and will wait with their teachers. Grades 3-6 will be brought out to the upper parking lot and wait with teachers. Families will pull through and students will walk to the vehicle. Please do not exit the vehicle.

Parking at Madison fills up quickly. If you want to walk your student into school or pick them up from the sidewalk, you will need to park in the front parking lot or the side streets and enter the front doors. There is NO PARKING along the sidewalk, that is for drive-through drop-off only. There is also NO PARKING along the left-hand side of the driveway as this is the through lane. Please do not drop your student off in the left lane, this is a safety issue as people do not always watch when pulling away from the curb. You may need to park on neighborhood streets. All visitors to Madison will need to sign in, even at drop-off, and receive a visitor hand stamp. Visitors may only enter through the front doors.



BREAKFAST/ LUNCH

Breakfast doors will open at 7:30. Students may enter and eat in the gym. Please fill out the free/ reduced lunch application that was sent home during meet and greet or head to the district website. Breakfast and lunch menus are available on the district website. <https://www.marshfieldschools.org/departments/food-service>

VOLUNTEERS

If you are interested in volunteering in your child's classroom, please talk to the teacher. All volunteers will need to have an approved background check with the school district. Please let the secretary know if you need a volunteer background check.

APPOINTMENTS

Sometimes students will have appointments during the day. Please make sure you call the office and send a note to your child's teacher. When you come to pick your student up, please enter the front doors and ring the intercom bell. The secretary will assist you.

SNACK POLICY

Students will have the ability to have a snack in their classroom sometime during the day if the teacher permits it. Due to the rising number of dangerous food allergies and intolerances in our student population as well as many families expressing that their students do not need a snack during the day, we will not have classroom snack schedules in grades one and up. If students choose to have a snack, they may bring a simple healthy snack for just themselves. If there is a peanut allergy in your classroom snacks will need to be peanut free. Families will be informed of these allergies by the classroom teacher.

We understand that students like to celebrate birthdays at school with their friends. With this being said, please discuss this ahead of time with the classroom teacher. We encourage non-food items to be shared in order to maintain safety for all students. We appreciate your understanding and cooperation in order to keep all of our students safe and healthy. Any food sent into the classroom for parties or events must be store bought.

ATTENDANCE

School starts at **7:45**. If your child will be absent or late, please call the school office 715-384-8181 as soon as possible. If your child is not called in, they will receive an unexcused absence. If you arrive to school tardy you will need to sign in at the office. In addition, if you are picking your student up early before the **2:50** dismissal, you will need to sign the child out in the school office as well. Thank you for your cooperation with these policies

