

RUSTIC OAK *elementary* RUSTY REPORT

WEEK OF AUGUST 24, 2026

WE HAD A WONDERFUL FIRST
WEEK. IT'S GOING TO BE A
GREAT YEAR!

SCHOOL HOURS

Grades PK-4.....7:55 AM – 3:15 PM
Front Doors Open.....7:15 AM
Breakfast Served.....7:15 AM – 7:50 AM
Students Enter Class.....7:45 AM
Class Begins.....7:55 AM

*Students must be inside their classroom by 7:55 AM. Students entering the building after this time will be tardy. If a student is tardy, parents are required to park and come into the lobby to sign them in.

UPCOMING DATES

Aug. 27 6:30-8:00PM- Meet the Teacher Night
Sept. 7- Labor Day Holiday
Sept. 14-18 Grandparent's Breakfast
Sept. 21- Student Holiday
Sept. 22-25- Start With Hello Week
Sept. 25- Watch Dogs Meeting at 6:00PM
Oct. 9-12- Fall Break

IMPORTANT LINKS

[Absence Notes](#)

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Doors will not be unlocked until 7:15. If you must arrive earlier, please pull all the way forward. If you need to assist your child by exiting your vehicle, you are required to park in a space. Please drop off any items before 10:30AM (lunch, water, snacks).

Car Rider Reminders

When dropping off or picking up our buffalos, please remain in the car. Buffaloes will need to enter/exit from the right side of the car on their own. Please pull all the way up. The bus circle may be used as a drop off in the mornings if buses have cleared. If your child needs help getting out of the car, please park. *To enter the stacking lane for afternoon car rider pick up, you must enter from the RIGHT- you cannot turn left into the car rider line from 2351.



MEET YOUR TEACHER *Night*

**AUG.
27**

**OPEN
HOUSE**

**6:30 –
8:00 PM**

Parents are invited to come and go anytime from 6:30 – 8:00 p.m.

Parents who are new to Rustic, or who would like a refresher on campus wide information are invited to join us in the library @ 6:30 or 7:15 for a brief presentation with administration. Each teacher will hold 2 sessions with important classroom information. These will take place at 6:45 & 7:30 with time to explore the classroom and visit with the teacher after each session. Please enter through the back doors, just off the parking lot. If weather allows, we will also open the field for additional parking. We will have several local vendors and our Rustic Oak PTA set up in the cafeteria throughout the evening as well. While we understand that it is sometimes unavoidable, this evening is best suited for parents to attend alone as we will not have childcare or student driven activities.

Happy Grandparent's Day!

JOIN YOUR GRANDCHILD FOR BREAKFAST THE WEEK OF SEPT. 14TH FROM 7:15-7:45AM.



FEEL FREE TO
BRING OR BUY
BREAKFAST.

SEPT. 14- PREK & K
SEPT. 15- FIRST GRADE
SEPT. 16- SECOND GRADE
SEPT. 17- THIRD GRADE
SEPT. 18- FOURTH GRADE



IF YOU HAVE MULTIPLE GRANDCHILDREN, YOU CAN CHOOSE ONE DAY.

SAFETY DRILLS

The first two weeks of school, we will be conducting our first round of required safety drills. Our goal in teaching and practicing the procedures for these drills early, is to ensure that our students and staff know what to do in the event of an emergency. Teachers will spend time discussing and practicing what to do for each drill with their students prior to our practice drill.



Hold is followed by the Directive: **"In Your Room or Area"** and is the protocol used when hallways need to be kept clear of occupants.



Secure is followed by the Directive: **"Get Inside. Lock Outside Doors"** and is the protocol used to safeguard people within the building.



Lockdown is followed by **"Locks, Lights, Out of Sight"** and is the protocol used to secure individual rooms and keep occupants quiet and in place.



Evacuate may be followed by a location, and is used to move people from one location to a different location in or out of the building.



Shelter and state the **Hazard** and **Safety Strategy** for group and self protection.



A note from the Nurse

Hi, My name is Ashley Bates. I am your child's school nurse on campus. I do my very best to keep kids in the classroom to learn while also meeting their healthcare needs in the clinic. If you have any health concerns about your child you would like to discuss with me, please feel free to email me at batesar@pearlandisd.org or by phone at 281-482-5400. All medication paperwork is located on the district website under the department and health services tab. If you have any questions at all, please do not hesitate to reach out to me. Students must be healthy to be educated, and I look forward to taking care of your child this school year.

Counseling Corner

Hi! My name is Landry Angel and I'm the school counselor. It's going to be a wonderful year and I'm excited to see all the growth our buffaloes will make. I'll share information about each character trait and fun things to try at home through each of our Sunday Rusty Reports. The first two weeks of school are our Kindness Kickoff! Please know I'm here to help in any way. If your family is ever in need of any supports, please don't hesitate to reach out. Check out more information about the school counseling program [here](#).
281-482-5400 angell@pearlandisd.org



Rustic Oak Elementary



Dress Up Days

These days are fun and help bring our campus together, however all are optional. We will make sure to communicate any additional days through our Rusty Report and social media.

September

Start with Hello Week

22nd - Wear green

30th - Picture Day

November

World Kindness Day

13th - Wear kind words

College & Career Week

16th - Wear camo, red, white, or blue

17th - Wear a college shirt & hat

18th - Wear your favorite hat

19th - Wear your school colors

20th - Wear sweats

October

Character Week

19th - Wear blue

20th - Wear yellow

21st - Wear orange (Unity Day)

22nd - Wear green

23rd - Wear school spirit shirts

Red Ribon Week

26th - Wear Red

27th - Superhero gear

28th - Team gear

29th - Bright colors

30th - Book character dress up (no masks)

December

*Decemeber Fun Calendar will be sent out

Spring Semester

February

Kindness Week

16th - Wear team gear

17th - Wear superhero gear

18th - Wear a hat

19th - Wear pajamas/comfy clothes

2026-27 SCHOOL YEAR

BUILD PEARLAND Proud.

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Holidays

Sept. 7 (Labor Day)
Nov. 23 – 27 (Thanksgiving)
Dec. 21 – Jan. 1 (Christmas)
Jan. 18 (MLK, Jr.)
March 8 – 12 (Spring Break)
March 26 – 29 (Easter Break)
May 31 (Memorial Day)

Holidays for Students/Teachers Oct. 9

Staff In-service

(No school for students)
Aug. 5 – 7 (Welcome Week)
Aug. 10 – 17 (Staff Development)
Aug. 18 (Instructional Planning)
Sept. 21 (Staff Development)
Oct. 12 (Staff Development)
Nov. 9 (Staff Development)
Jan. 4 (Instructional Planning)
Jan. 5 (Staff Development)
Feb. 15 (Staff Development)
May 28 (Instructional Planning)

Grading Periods

[] First Semester (77.5 days)
1st Aug. 19 – Oct. 8
2nd Oct. 13 – Dec. 18
Second Semester (92.5 days)
3rd Jan. 6 – March 19
4th March 22 – May 27

Early Release

Dec. 18
May 27

Report Cards

Oct. 15
Jan. 6
March 24
June 4

Progress Reports

Sept. 10
Sept. 30
Nov. 4
Dec. 2
Feb. 3
Feb. 24
April 14
May 5

Graduations

May 26 - Pearland High School
May 27 - Turner College & Career HS
May 28 - Dawson High School

Updated: 6/9/2026

* STAAR Testing (SUBJECT TO CHANGE)
< > TELPAS (Assessment Window)
w Welcome Week

g Graduation
H October is Pearland History Month
+ Bad Weather / Make up day

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
BREAKFAST Students: \$1.50 Students, Reduced Price: FREE Adults: \$2.85 LUNCH Students: \$2.75 Students, Reduced Price: Free Adults: \$5.00				Offered at Breakfast Daily: Variety of Whole Grain Cereals with A Cheese Stick Fruit and 100% Juice Choice of Milk Offered at Lunch Daily: Fruit & Veggies Choice of Milk
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Blueberry Waffle Cheese Nachos Chicken Filet Sandwich Cheesy Refried Beans Cucumber Slices w/Tajin Diced Peaches/ Watermelon	Glazed Donut Cheeseburger/Hamburger Grilled Cheese Crinkle Fries Baby Carrots Mandarin Oranges/ Banana	Sausage Biscuit Cheese Stuffed Breadsticks Chicken Alfredo Pasta Seasoned Corn Romaine Salad Diced Pears/ Apples Slices	French Toast Sticks Cheese / Pepperoni Pizza Mini Corn Dogs Roasted Ranch Cauliflower Celery Sticks Razzleberry Applesauce/ Orange	Breakfast Sausage Pizza Mini Maple Pancake w/ Breakfast Patty Mini Maple Pancake w/Strawberry Yogurt Tarter Tots Baby Carrots Apple Blueberries w/ Whipped Cream



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7 Labor Day No School	8 Glazed Cinnamon Roll Hot Dog Mini Bagel Cheese Pizza Baby Carrots Crinkle Fries Banana Mandarin Oranges	9 Chicken Biscuit Grilled Cheese Mandarin Orange Chicken w/ Rice Celery Sticks Seasoned Broccoli Apple Slices Diced Pears	10 Froot Loop Waffle BBQ Pork Sandwich French Bread Cheese Pizza French Bread Pepperoni Pizza Romaine Salad Sweet Potato Waffle Fries Razzleberry Applesauce /Orange	11 Pancake & Sausage Stick Breaded Chicken Drumstick w/ Roll Cheeseburger Mac & Cheese w/ Roll Wowbutter Sandwich & Cheese Stick Seasoned Green Beans Baby Carrots Apple Strawberry Craisins
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★ JOIN ★

PTA

★ EVERY ★
STUDENT HAS
A STARRING ROLE



SUPPORT STUDENTS



BUILD COMMUNITY



MAKE AN IMPACT

≡ **NO** ≡ VOLUNTEERING
REQUIRED!



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★ SCAN HERE ★
TO JOIN PTA!



VOLUNTEERS

FOR **ALL** ON-CAMPUS VOLUNTEERS

1 COMPLETE BACKGROUND
CHECK APPLICATION
THROUGH PEARLAND ISD.



SCAN ME

2 COMPLETE VOLUNTEER INTEREST
FORM. (RECEIVED BY PTA VIP)



SCAN ME

3 ALL VOLUNTEERS NEW AND RETURNING
ATTEND A VOLUNTEER ORIENTATION.
(DATES TBA)

4 SIGN VOLUNTEER POLICIES &
PROCEDURES AGREEMENT.
(PROVIDED AT VOLUNTEER
ORIENTATION)



Email questions to RusticPTAvolunteers@gmail.com