



CAC Weekly Newsletter

Week of Sunday, September 27th, 2026

Dear Collegiate families,

Thank you to all of our families who took the time to join us for parent-teacher conferences. It was wonderful to see so many families on campus and to witness the meaningful conversations taking place between parents and teachers. These partnerships are such an important part of supporting our students and helping them thrive.

A special thank you to our Student Council for preparing a delicious breakfast for our staff, as well as to the families who generously donated food for the teacher meals throughout our long conference days.

As we move into fall and cooler temperatures, please remember to send your elementary students to school prepared for outdoor recess. Unless conditions are wet or temperatures are below 20 degrees, students would plan to be outside, so please be sure they have appropriate jackets and clothing for the changing weather.

For our high schoolers, Colorado's Free College Application Day is fast approaching on October 21st! Our seniors will gather with teachers and administrators for a light breakfast and dedicated time to complete and submit their college applications. Many Colorado colleges and universities will waive their application fees that day, providing our students with a wonderful opportunity to take an important step toward their future.

We are also excited to welcome our first college representative of the year from Western Colorado University on October 30th. Our high school students will have the opportunity to learn more about Western Colorado, ask questions specific to the university, and get answers to general college planning questions as well.

Finally, a heartfelt thank you to our dedicated teachers and staff for preparing thoughtfully and connecting with each family. The relationships they build with students and families are central to what makes Collegiate such a special community.

As we wrap up this long weekend, I hope you had time to relax, recharge, and make good memories with your family. I am grateful to be part of such a supportive and caring community.

Thank you for being such an important part of Collegiate!

Warmly,

Paula Brock
PK-6 Assistant Principal

Upcoming Events:

Also found on our website.

Monday, September 28th
Spirit Night Fundraiser at Brothers
BBQ: 4-8pm
More information below.

Thursday, October 1st
Foundation Meeting: 3-4pm
All are welcome!

Friday, October 9th - Monday,
October 12th
No School
Fall Break

Wednesday, October 14th
9th-11th Grade PSAT/NMSQT

Kickoff Party and Chili Cookoff: 5-7pm

Sign up and find more information below.

Bring a non-perishable food item!

School Accountability Meeting: 3:15-

4:15pm

All are welcome!

Thursday, October 8th

HS Homecoming Dance: 7-11pm

Friday, October 16th

Last Day of 1st Quarter

HS Outdoor Ed Day

5th-8th Grade International Towne

Elementary Spirit Week:

Monday, 9/28 through Friday, 10/2

PK-6th grade students are encouraged to dress up and show their school spirit during spirit week!

Monday, 9/28: Stuffy Day

Tuesday, 9/29: Super Hero Day

Wednesday, 9/30: Crazy Hat & Hair Day

Thursday, 10/1: Sports Day

Friday, 10/2: Multiples Day

See our [CAC Calendar](#) for more information about each day.

Spirit Night:

Join CAC in a fundraiser at Brothers BBQ from 4-8pm, and 20% of all proceeds will come back to our school!

Call ahead at [303-799-9777](tel:303-799-9777) or stop by, and don't forget to mention Collegiate Academy!

[9069 E Arapahoe Rd, Greenwood Village, CO 80112, USA](#)

[Click here to access the flyer.](#)

October Count Day:

October Count Day this year is **Thursday, October 1**.

The most important action you can take to support school funding is to make sure your student attends school on that day. Much of public education funding from the State of Colorado is based on student count, so we encourage you to make sure your student comes to school that day.

The “count window” the state observes is from **Thursday, September 24** through **Thursday, October 8**, but the most important student count day is **Thursday, October 1**. Help us get an accurate count by having your student participate in learning that day.

If your student will be absent on October 1 due to illness, please call our attendance line, Elementary: [303-972-7433 ext. 1623](tel:303-972-7433) and Secondary: [303-972-7433 ext. 2699](tel:303-972-7433) to report the absence. Attendance during the “count window” will help counteract an absence on Thursday, October 1.

Thank you for your support of CAC. Every student counts!

Kickoff Party & Chili Cookoff:

We invite all PK-12 families to join CAC for a Kickoff Party from 5-7pm on Thursday, October 1st on the South patio outside the cafeteria. Families will be able to enjoy a crockpot cookoff, tailgate games, and the Thursday Night Football game as the Cleveland Browns take on the Pittsburgh Steelers. Rep your favorite sports team with a jersey!

This event is also a canned food drive and competition between elementary, middle, and high school students! We ask that all taste-testers bring at least one canned or non-perishable food item that will be donated the following day. The group who brings the most cans will win a prize!

To enter your crockpot meal in our chili cookoff, [sign up here](#).

To donate food items to support the event, [sign up here](#).

We hope to see everyone there!

ParentSquare:

Jeffco is launching ParentSquare as our primary platform for school communication starting on October 21st. Families will receive messages through email, app, voice or text, helping everyone stay informed and involved.

An account is automatically created for each parent or guardian using the contact information in [Infinite Campus](#), our student information system. We encourage you to activate your account to download the free mobile app, set your language preferences, and choose how and when you'd like to receive messages.

Please note: you do not need to set up an account to receive emails, texts, or phone calls from our school.

After School Clubs:

Some after school clubs are up and running for the year!

Dungeons & Dragons/Magic the Gathering (Tabletop Club)

Wednesdays from 3-4:30pm in Mr. Hutson's room (202A)
7th-12th Grade

Resin Epoxy Art Club

Thursdays from 3-4pm in Mrs. Berggren's room (210A)

Indoor Soccer Club will start in October for K-12th graders due to gym events! More information will be sent home soon.

Extended Days

Extended days are now available! Students can stay until 4pm after school on the allotted days to get extra help, complete homework, or work on assignments.

Please click here for the weekly schedule.

Secondary students can work on any assignment in any classroom, as long as the teacher is there.

Para Subs

We are still looking for paraeducator substitutes who can step in and support our regular paras when they are absent. The hours may vary depending on the shift, but the position will generally be from 10:15am-1:00pm. The primary responsibilities would be supporting our elementary students during recesses and lunch. This would be an on-call position, with substitutes contacted as coverage needs arise.

Please reach out if you have any questions or would like additional information.

Send resume to pbrock@collegiateacademy.net.

Volunteer:

All volunteer opportunities are listed on our school website under the “Connect” tab.

Access volunteer opportunities [HERE](#).

Log your volunteer hours [HERE](#).

Important Documents:

Click on the links below to access each document:

[BakPak Program Form](#)

[Bell Schedule](#)

[School Supply Lists](#)

[2026-27 Family Calendar](#)

[2026-27 Activity Calendar](#)

[Carpool Lane Regulations](#)

[Health Office Information](#)

[Dress Codes](#)

[Handbook](#)

[Fee Payment Flyer](#)

Refer a Family:

Help us spread the word:

Get 40 volunteer hours when you refer a family to our school and they enroll for the 2026-27 school year!