Elementary School Principal Update

October 27th, 2023

Character Contest

Congratulations to the ABA team! Mario Kart was our winner, but there was tough competition this year!

Abby Kelley Foster Charter Elementary

Be Respectful
Be Responsible
Be Honest

Putting the Garden to Bed!

Our kindergarten students removed all of the vegetable plants from our garden to get it ready for winter. They worked hard pulling out the kale, tomato, and other plants!

Thank you to all of the familes that came out for our Fall Curriculum Night! Fun was had by all!

Upcoming Events

- November 10th-No School
- November 13th-Book Fair Opens
- November 17th-Report Cards sent home
- November 21&22-Early Release for Family Conferences
- November 22-24-No School

The Book Fair is Coming!

Scholastic Book Fair is coming to Abby Kelly on November 13 -21. Mrs. Arnold, our school library teacher, is looking for help during the fair. Please email her if you are interested: kaarnold@akfcs.org.
For more information about the Book Fair including ewallets and books for sale, please click on the link: https://bookfairs.scholastic.com/bf/abbykelleyfoster
During the book fair book prices start at $3.00 and up. MA Taxes of 6.25% are applied to all purchases (just like at a normal store). A $3.00 book would cost $3.19 with MA taxes.

To align more with our Abby Kelley Character Virtues, we will round up all book purchases to the nearest dollar. All proceeds will go towards a new book for students who cannot afford to buy one. November's Virtue is Citizenship and as a good citizen we all help each other.

If you would like to opt out, please email me at kaarnold@akfcs.org by Monday, Nov. 13th.

Social Emotional Learning

Please take a look below to see what your student has learned so far during Social Emotional Learning and to find ways that you can support this learning at home:

Kindergarten
English
Spanish
Portuguese
Haitian Creole
Twi
First Grade
English
Spanish
Portuguese
French

Haitian Creole

Second Grade

English
Spanish
Portuguese
Twi

Third Grade

English
Spanish
Portuguese
Vietnamese
Haitian Creole

Fall and Winter Basketball

23-24 Fall and Winter Basketball-English
23-24 Fall and Winter Basketball-Portuguese
23-24 Fall and Winter Basketball-Spanish
23-24 Fall and Winter Basketball-Vietnamese
23-24 Fall and Winter Basketball-Arabic

AKFCS is not affiliated with this program and is only sharing this for your information.

Technology News

Parent Portal Help

Each Wednesday morning between 8:45 and 9:30 am, our Tech department will be available in the Elementary Lobby to help families log into powerschool.
You do not need to register for this event. We will have computers available to use!

Please do not forget to complete the following tasks in Powerschool. It is important that the school has accurate contact and safety information for your student!
-update contact information
-give or decline permission for medication administration (non-prescription like Advil)
-share allergy information if applicable
-sign off that you read our student handbook
-sign off that you read our technology policy, and
-accept or decline Chromebook Insurance

Chromebook Insurance is still available!
To sign-up for the district-issued device protection plan, please go to www.schooldevicecoverage.com/signup.
Here is a short video to walk you through the sign-up process https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=2mFFMl1cX1k.

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Abby Kelley Foster Charter Elementary School
K-3rd Grade Breakfast Menu
November 2023

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
		1 WG Blueberry Muffin Mozzarella Cheese Stick Fresh Apple Choice of Milk	2 Cereal (Variety) WG Chocolate Chip Muffin Fresh Banana Orange Juice Choice of Milk	3 Strawberry Yogurt Graham Crackers Pineapple Tidbits Grape Juice Choice of Milk
6 Cereal (Variety) Graham Crackers Raisins Grape Juice Choice of Milk	7 WG Honey Bun Diced Peaches Apple Juice Choice of Milk	8 Granola Vanilla Yogurt Fresh Banana Orange Juice Choice of Milk	9 WG Cinnamon Roll Mixed Fruit Apple Juice Choice of Milk	10 **No School**
13 Cereal (Variety) Graham Crackers Raisins Blended Fruit Juice Choice of Milk	14 Apple Frudel Diced Pears Orange Juice Choice of Milk	15 Cereal (Variety) WG Chocolate Chip Muffin Fresh Apple Choice of Milk	16 Strawberry Yogurt Granola Fresh Banana Apple Juice Choice of Milk	17 WG Honey Bun Pineapple Tidbits Blended Fruit Juice Choice of Milk
20 Granola Vanilla Yogurt Raisins Orange Juice Choice of Milk **1/2 Day Of School**	21 Strawberry Yogurt WG Banana Muffin Pineapple Tidbits Grape Juice Choice of Milk **1/2 Day Of School**	22 **November Break**	23 **November Break**	24 **November Break**
27 Cereal (Variety) WG Banana Muffin Raisins Grape Juice Choice of Milk	28 Apple Frudel Fresh Apple Choice of Milk	29 Granola Strawberry Yogurt Mixed Fruit Blended Fruit Juice Choice of Milk	30 Mozzarella Cheese Stick Graham Crackers Diced Peaches Grape Juice Choice of Milk	TRIO Community Meals Nourishment through compassionate care.

Abby Kelley Foster Elementary Charter School
K-3rd Grade Lunch Menu
November 2023

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
		1 **Domino's Cheese Pizza** Marinated 3 Bean Salad Cucumber Slices Craisins Ranch Choice of Milk	2 Turkey Sausage Patties WG Pancakes Crispy Cubed Potatoes Dragon Punch Fresh Apple Choice of Milk Ketchup & Syrup	3 Mini WG Corn Dogs Sweet Potato Tots Green Peas Fresh Banana Choice of Milk Mustard
6 Galaxy Cheese Pizza Wango Mango Juice Green Peas Fresh Apple Choice of Milk	7 Cheeseburger Sliders Baked Beans Tater Tots Fresh Orange Choice of Milk Kethcup & Mustard	8 **Domino's Cheese Pizza** Baby Carrots Cherry Tomatoes Appledsauce Cup Ranch Choice of Milk	9 Baked Meatballs Marinara Sauce WG Penne Pasta Broccoli Cuts Fresh Banana Choice of Milk	10 **No School**
13 Cheese Lasagna with Sauce Broccoli Cuts WG Dinner Roll Diced Pears Choice of Milk	14 WG Chicken Tenders Sweet Potato Tots Green Beans Diced Peaches Choice of Milk Ketchup	15 **Domino's Cheese Pizza** Zucchini Sticks 100% Fruit Juice Ranch Choice of Milk	16 Popcorn Chicken in Orange Sauce Brown Rice Green Peas Wango Mango Juice Fresh Apple Choice of Milk	17 Turkey Hot Dog w/ WG Bun Baked Beans Dragon Punch Fresh Banana Choice of Milk Ketchup
20 Sunbutter & Jelly Fresh Baby Carrots Wango Mango Juice Diced Pears Choice of Milk **1/2 Day of School**	21 Turkey & Cheese Sandwich Honey Ginger Carrots Black Bean Salad Fresh Orange Choice of Milk **1/2 Day of School**	22 **November Break**	23 **November Break**	24 **November Break**
27 Stuffed Shells with Sauce Green Beans Diced Pears Choice of Milk	28 Meatloaf in Brown Gravy WG Dinner Roll Whipped Potatoes Sliced Carrots Diced Peaches Choice of Milk	29 **Domino's Cheese Pizza** Romaine Lettuce Cucumber Slices Craisins Ranch Choice of Milk	30 Baked Meatballs in BBQ Sauce Green Peas Whole Kernel Corn WG Dinner Roll Fresh Banana Choice of Milk	TRIO Community Meals Nourishment through compassionate care.

Resources for Elementary School Families

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