



USD 270  
AUGUST/SEPTEMBER  
NEWSLETTER  
2016

First Half Day of the  
2016-2017 School Year  
Thursday, August 18, 2016

ENROLLMENT FOR  
ELEMENTARY AND  
JUNIOR/SENIOR HIGH  
SCHOOL

August 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> in the  
Cardinal Gym. The hours will  
be Wednesday, August 3<sup>rd</sup> from  
10 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. and  
Thursday, August 4<sup>th</sup> from 8  
a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

A textbook rental fee of \$50.00, an  
activity fee for Junior High of \$15  
and High School students of \$25,  
art fee Junior High students  
\$12.50, art fee for High School  
students \$25, industrial art fee for  
Junior High students \$8.00,  
industrial art fee High School  
students \$15.00. Vo Ag fee High  
School students \$15.00 and a band  
equipment rental fee all students  
\$20 this is for students who will be  
using the school equipment only,  
per year is due at enrollment. If  
there are three or more students  
from one family, the third student  
will pay \$5 less for their activity  
fee. Activity fees must be paid  
before participating in athletic  
practices. Enrollment forms will be  
mailed out. Please complete the  
forms and bring them with you to

enroll. Lunches may also be paid  
at time of enrollment. If your  
child's birth certificate and Social  
Security Number are not on file,  
you will need to bring these.

**The first half day of school  
will be Thursday, August  
18th. It will be a half day of  
school dismissal at 11:30 with  
breakfast served. Classes for  
K-12 will be 8:00 a.m. to 3:30  
p.m.**

**Breakfast**

Grades K-5 .....	\$1.80
Grades 6-8.....	\$1.90
Grades 9-12.....	\$2.00
Adults.....	\$2.15

**Lunches**

K-5.....	\$2.65
Grades 6-8.....	\$2.75
Grades 9-12.....	\$2.85
Adults.....	\$3.50

**Applications for free and  
reduced lunches may be  
obtained from the offices.**

**FALL SPORTS SCHEDULE**

**JUNIOR HIGH**

**VOLLEYBALL:** Cheryl  
Copeland and Jennie Hovis – First  
Practice will be Monday, August  
15<sup>th</sup> at 3:45 p.m. in the Cardinal  
Gym.

**JUNIOR HIGH/HIGH**

**SCHOOL FOOTBALL:** Grant  
Stephenson, Ryan Becker Justin  
Casey, Steve Buresh, Blake  
Gehring and Trevor Axelson– First  
Practice will be Monday, August  
15<sup>th</sup> High School will practice at 6  
a.m. Junior High will practice at 7  
a.m. Both High School and Junior  
High will practice again at 3:30  
p.m. Check out of equipment will  
be Wednesday, August 17<sup>th</sup>, High  
School 6-7 a.m. Junior High 7-8  
a.m.

**VOLLEYBALL:** Kate  
Bremerman, Hannah Friend – First  
Practice Monday, August 15<sup>th</sup>, at  
5:30 a.m. and 3:30 p.m.

**CROSS COUNTRY-**Travis  
Dixon- First Practice Monday,  
August 15<sup>th</sup> at 7 a.m. in front of the  
High School.

**All sports physicals need to be  
turned into school offices before  
the first day of practices.**

**Physicals**

All students are reminded that  
to be able to represent Plainville in  
inter-school athletics or  
cheerleading, students must file  
with the offices a signed physical  
form signed by a practicing  
physician certifying that the  
student is physically fit to  
participate in inter-school athletics  
or cheerleading. (This includes  
practice time as well as  
participation time). This statement  
must also be signed by a parent or  
guardian stating the student has  
their consent to participate. All  
athletes and cheerleaders are  
encouraged to take care of this  
formality as soon as possible.  
Physical forms are available online  
through KSHSAA website  
[www.kshsaa.org](http://www.kshsaa.org). Also make sure  
that the back side of the form is  
read and completed prior to  
turning it in. **All physical forms  
should be turned in at  
enrollment. Students will not be  
allowed to participate until  
physicals are on file at the  
offices.**

**HOMECOMING  
FRIDAY, OCTOBER 7  
2016**

**KANSAS SCHOOL  
IMMUNIZATION  
REQUIREMENT  
(Kindergarten-12th Grade)  
2016-2017 SCHOOL YEAR**

Immunization requirements and recommendations for the 2016-2017 school year are based on the Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices (ACIP) recommendations and the consensus of the Governor's Child Health Advisory Committee Immunization Workgroup. The current recommended and minimum interval immunization schedules may be found at:

<http://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/schedule/s/hcp/child-adolescent.html>. The best disease prevention is achieved by adhering to the recommended schedule however, if a child falls behind, the minimum interval schedule is implemented. To avoid missed opportunities, immunization providers may use a 4 day grace period per age and interval between doses. In such cases, these doses may be counted as valid. K.S.A 72-5208-5211a - Kansas Statutes Related to School Immunizations Requirements and K.A.R. 28-1-20 defines the immunizations required for school and early childhood program attendance found here:

[http://www.kdheks.gov/immunize/download/KS\\_Imm\\_Regs\\_for\\_School\\_and\\_Childcare.pdf](http://www.kdheks.gov/immunize/download/KS_Imm_Regs_for_School_and_Childcare.pdf)

**Diphtheria, Tetanus, Pertussis (DTaP/Tdap):** Five doses required. Doses given at: Dose 1: 2 months, Dose 2: 4 months, Dose 3: 6 months, Dose 4: 15-18 months (4th dose may be given at 12 months provided at least 6 months after dose 3) and Dose 5: prior to kindergarten entry. Four doses are acceptable if dose 4 given after age 4 years. A single dose of **Tdap** is required at Grades 7-12 if no previous history of Tdap vaccination regardless of interval since the last Td.

**Poliomyelitis (IPV/OPV):** Four doses required. Dose 1: 2 months, Dose 2: 4 months, Dose 3: 6-18 months, and dose 4 must be given 6 months after 3rd dose, after 4 years of age and prior to Kindergarten entry. Three doses are acceptable with one dose after 4 years of age, 6 months between 2nd and 3rd dose and final dose prior to Kindergarten entry. Students enrolled in Grade 6-12 with a

complete minimum interval Polio series do not need to be recalled for additional doses. Guidance found on the back of the KCI and School Requirements FAQ:  
<http://www.kdheks.gov/immunize/schoolInfo.htm>

**Measles, Mumps, and Rubella:** Two doses required. Dose 1: 12-15 months and Dose 2: prior to Kindergarten entry. Minimum age is 12 months of age and interval between doses may be as short as 28 days.

**Hepatitis B:** Three doses required. Dose 1 given at birth, Dose 2: 2 months, and Dose 3: 6-18 months of age.

**Varicella (chickenpox):** Two doses are required. Dose 1: 12-15 months and Dose 2: prior to Kindergarten entry. Students 12 years old and younger a 3 month interval is recommended however, upon record review the interval between doses may be as short as 28 days for the 2nd dose to be counted as valid. Students 13 years and older a 28 day interval between doses are required. Please note that regardless of students' age, if first dose is at 12 months of age with 2nd dose 28 days after 1st dose, both doses are valid. No doses are required when student has history of varicella disease documented by a licensed physician. Legal alternatives to school vaccination requirements are found at K.S.A. 72-5209

In addition, to the immunizations required for school entry the following vaccines are recommended to protect students:

**Meningococcal (MCV4):** One dose *recommended* at 11 years of age with a booster dose at 16 years of age.

**Human Papillomavirus (HPV):** Three doses *recommended* at 11 years of age.

**Influenza:** Annual vaccination *recommended* for all ages > 6 months of age; number of doses is dependent on age and number of doses given in previous years. Vaccination efforts by school and public health officials, immunization providers and parents are key to the success of protecting our children and communities from vaccine preventable disease.

**KANSAS LICENSED CHILD  
CARE FACILITIES AND EARLY  
CHILDHOOD PROGRAMS  
OPERATED BY SCHOOLS  
IMMUNIZATION  
REQUIREMENTS**

Immunization requirements and recommendations for the 2016-2017 school year are based on the Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices (ACIP) recommendations. The current immunization schedules, including catch up schedules, may be found at: <http://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/schedule/s/hcp/child-adolescent.html>. The best disease prevention is achieved by adhering to the recommended schedule however, if a child falls behind, the minimum interval schedule must be enforced. To avoid missed opportunities, immunization providers may use a 4 day grace period per age and interval between doses. In such cases, these doses may be counted as valid. K.A.R. 28-1-20 defines immunizations required for children attending child care facilities licensed by KDHE or early childhood programs operated by schools. The complete regulation is available at [http://www.kdheks.gov/immunize/download/KS\\_Imm\\_Regs\\_for\\_School\\_and\\_Childcare.pdf](http://www.kdheks.gov/immunize/download/KS_Imm_Regs_for_School_and_Childcare.pdf).

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**Poliomyelitis (IPV/OPV):** Four doses required. Dose 1: 2 months, Dose 2: 4 months, Dose 3: 6 months, final dose must be given 6 months after 3rd dose, after 4 years of age and prior to Kindergarten entry. Three doses are acceptable with one dose after 4 years of age, 6 months between 2nd and 3rd dose and final dose prior to Kindergarten entry.

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**SPECIAL EDUCATION  
INFORMATION  
FOR NORTH CENTRAL KANSAS  
SPECIAL EDUCATION  
COOPERATIVE**

**Special Education Child Find**

This school district and the North Central Kansas Special Education Cooperative (NCKSEC) work together to identify every student, age birth through 21, living within the district boundaries, that has developmental delays or may be in need of special education. If you have a child or know of a child who you think has development delays or special needs, contact the administrator in your district or Debra Reha, Director for the NCKSEC at 205 F St. Suite 235; PO Box 369, Phillipsburg, KS 67661 (785-543-2149).

Areas of special education include: birth through age two (infant-toddler), early childhood – disability, developmentally delayed, visual impairments including blindness, hearing impairments including deafness, deaf-blindness, autism, traumatic brain injury, emotional disturbance, specific learning disabilities, mental retardation, multiple disabilities, orthopedic impairments, other health impairments, speech or language impairments, and gifted.

Parents are advised that all special education services are designed to offer the utmost in educational opportunities for each qualifying student, as well as to provide assistance and support in the areas of physical, mental, emotional, and social growth. State and federal laws are followed in providing each student with a free appropriate public education in the least restrictive environment. If you have a child or know of a child who may need special education services please notify the school district or the NCKSEC.

our children and communities from vaccine preventable disease.

**DISTRICT OFFICE**

USD 270 District Office is located at the Elementary Building, 203 SE Cardinal Avenue Room 201. To find our offices come in the door by the Elementary Office and signs are posted to direct you. Our phone number and fax number have remained the same.

**District Office- 785-434-4678**

**Fax Number- 785-434-7404**

**Elementary Office-434-4508**

**JH/HS Office-434-4547**

**District Newsletter**

Any parent not receiving the District Newsletter is asked to notify the Superintendent's Office so that you may be added to the list. 785-434-4678.



**BACK TO SCHOOL NIGHT**

**TUESDAY, AUGUST 16<sup>TH</sup>**

**AT 6:30 P.M.**

**Classrooms will be open.**

**Teachers will be available.**

**Students may bring their supplies to school.**

**TRANSPORTATION**

If you live more than 2 ½ miles from the school, you may fill out a transportation form for your student or students to ride on the regular bus route. The transportation forms are at the elementary and high school offices.

☐ **Hepatitis B:** Three doses required. Dose 1: given at birth, Dose 2: 2 months, and Dose 3: 6-18 months of age.

☐ **Varicella (chickenpox):** Two doses required. Dose 1: 12-15 months and Dose 2: prior to Kindergarten entry. Minimum age is 12 months of age and interval between doses may be as short as 28 days. Children less than 13 years of age are recommended to have a 3 month interval between doses however; second dose is valid when administered 28 day after first dose. No doses required when student has history of varicella disease documented by a licensed physician.

☐ **Haemophilus influenzae type b (Hib):** Four doses required for children less than 5 years of age. Doses 1 given at 2 months, Dose 2: 4 months, Dose 3: 6 months and Dose 4: 12-15 months of age. Total doses needed for series completion is dependent on the type of vaccine administered and the age of the child when doses were given.

☐ **Pneumococcal conjugate (PCV):** Four doses required for children less than 5 years of age. Dose 1 given at 2 months, Dose 2: 4 months, Dose 3: 6 months, and Dose 4: 12-15 months of age. Total doses needed dependent on the age of the child when doses were given.

☐ **Hepatitis A:** Two doses required for children less than 5 years of age. Dose 1: 12 -23 months of age, Dose 2: 6-18 months after dose 1. Children 24 months and older who have not received any doses must receive 2 doses spaced 6 months apart.

Legal alternatives to school vaccination requirements are found at K.S.A. 72-5209

In addition, to the immunizations required for children attending child care facilities licensed by KDHE and early childhood programs operated by schools, other vaccine recommendations are:

☐ **Rotavirus:** Three doses recommended for < 8 months of age; not required.

☐ **Influenza:** Annual vaccination recommended for all ages > 6 months of age; number of doses is dependent on age and number of doses given in previous years. Vaccination efforts by school and public health officials, immunization providers and parents are key to the success of protecting

## **PLAINVILLE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL SUPPLY LIST**

**2016-2017**

**Please mark all supplies with  
your child's full name**

**PRESCHOOL-** 1 book bag (large enough to fit folder), 1 large tub of baby wipes, 2 containers of disinfectant wipes, 1 paint shirt (oversized t-shirt), 3 Expo dry erase markers (no neon colors), 1 two-pocket folder, a seasonal change of clothes (in zip lock bag with name on it), 1 box Kleenex, 1 small bottle of runny glue, 1 set of watercolors, 1 box gallon Ziploc bags.

**KINDERGARTEN-The following supplies will be shared within the kindergarten classroom. There is no need to write names on the following supplies;** 1 pkg of markers, 6 large glue sticks, 6 pencils, 1 bx of pencil top erasers, 1 large eraser, 2 bxs of 24 crayons, 1 pair of Fiskars non-pointed scissors, 1 bx of quart or gallon sized Ziploc bags, 1 clean pair of socks (for erasers), 4 dry erase markers, 1 set of water color paints, 1 box of snack crackers, 1 highlighter, **Please write your child's name on the following supplies;** 1 bath size towel for rest time (no rest mats), 1 backpack, 1 3-pronged folder, gym shoes for PE, headphones (No ear buds), 1 clip board, 1 composition notebook, 1 box Kleenex.

**FIRST GRADE-**Gym shoes for PE, Book Bag (no wheels), Headphones (No ear buds), 10 # 2 pencils and extra pencil top erasers, 4 large or 8 small glue sticks, 2 large bx Kleenex, 1 bx broad-lined Crayola markers (classic colors), 1 pkg dry erase markers, 1 bx of Crayola colored pencils, 1 plastic folders for

papers, Fiskar scissors, 2 pkg Clorox wipes, 1 school box, 1 bx of Crayola 24 crayons, 1 pkg card stock (white or color), 1 clipboard, 2 highlighters, 1 bx Ziploc bags, 1 composition notebook, 1 ink pen, 1 clean sock (for eraser).

**SECOND GRADE-** Gym shoes for PE, Book Bag (no wheels), Headphones (No ear buds), 2 pkg #2 pencils, pencil top erasers, 1 bx 24 crayons, 6 large glue sticks or 12 small glue sticks, 1 pointed scissors, 1 bx of Kleenex, 1 two pocket folder, 1 bx Crayola Classic Markers, 1 school supply box, 1 pkg dry erase markers, 1 bx colored pencils, 1 ink pen, 2 highlighters, 1 clipboard, 1 composition notebook.

**THIRD GRADE-**Gym shoes for PE, Book Bag(no wheels), Ear Buds, 1bx of crayons, 1 large bx of Kleenex, 36 #2 pencils, 1 sharp pointed scissors, 1 wooden ruler with inches and centimeters, No trapper keepers, 2 two-pocket folder, 1 pencil box, 8-10 large glue sticks, 1 bx of markers, 2 highlighters, 4 spiral notebooks, 1 container Clorox wipes, 2 big erasers, 2 pkg pencil top erasers, 1 pkg cardstock white/Boys-Color/Girls, 2 dry erase markers, 1 pkg wide-lined notebook paper.

**FOURTH GRADE** –Gym shoes for PE, Book Bag (no wheels), Ear Buds, 36 #2 pencils, 1 large sharp pointed scissors, 3 large bx of Kleenex, 1 pkg of wide lined notebook paper, 2 big erasers, 1 bx of colored pencils, 8 large glue sticks, 2 red pens, 2 pkgs primary color Expo dry erase markers, 2 two-pocket folders ( 3 hole punched & each different no fasteners), 1 pencil zippered bag, 1 container Clorox wipes, 4

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composition notebooks, 2 highlighters, No Trapper Keepers. **FIFTH GRADE-**Gym shoes for PE, Book Bag (no wheels), Ear Buds, 24 #2 pencils, 1 wooden ruler (no flexi-rulers), 1 scissors, 2 large bxs Kleenex, 2 pkgs of college ruled notebook paper, 2 large erasers, 1 bx of markers, 1 bx colored pencils, 4 large glue sticks, 4 colored pens, 2 highlighters, 1 pack of 4 dry erase markers, 1 pencil zippered bag, 1 clorox wipes, 2 composition notebooks, 1 pair clean tube socks, 1 wooden clipboard, 1 pkg cardstock White/Girls & Color/Boys. **SIXTH GRADE-**Gym shoes for PE, Book Bag (no wheels), Ear Buds, 24 #2 pencils (must provide own lead for ever-sharps), 1 scissors (sharp, pointed large size), 4 large boxes of Kleenex, 2 pkgs of college rule notebook paper, 2 big erasers, 1 bx colored pencils, 2 red pens, 1 container Clorox wipes, 1 one subject notebooks (college rule), 1 pair clean tube socks, 1 pkg graph paper, 1 pkg white cardstock.

### **ADVERSE WEATHER**

When adverse weather conditions make it advisable, school closings will be announced over the School Communication System, as well as KAYS 99.5 Radio, KQMA 92.5 Radio, KWCH TV, and KAKE TV.

### **Use of Facility**

The fee for the use of facilities at USD 270 is \$5.00 per hour plus custodial fees. The use of the Industrial Arts Shop and Classroom, the Vocational Agriculture Shop and Classroom, the Family and Consumer Science Classroom, and the Weight Room are not available for outside Organizational use. The Activity Room (which is the cafeteria seating area) and the kitchen are two separate rooms.

**All Plainville JR/SR High School students will need the following for all classes:**

- \* 3 or 5 Subject college ruled notebooks
- \* College ruled loose leaf notebook paper
- \* Pencils or mechanical pencils with lead
- \* 3 boxes of Kleenex – (SIP Teacher)
- \* 1 small bottle of hand sanitizer
- \* Blue or Black ink pens
- \* Red ink pens
- \* Highlighters

**Students enrolled in the following classes will need to supply the following:**

**7<sup>TH</sup> & 8<sup>TH</sup> GRADE MATH**

- Texas Instruments II 30XS
- Ruler with both customary and metric measurement
- 1” 3-ring binder
- Small Post-It notes
- 4 Dry Erase Markers
- Loose leaf notebook paper

**READING (7<sup>TH</sup> & 8<sup>TH</sup> Grade)**

- Notecards
- 8 Folders (different colors if possible)

**SCIENCE (7<sup>th</sup>, 8<sup>th</sup>, 9<sup>th</sup> Grade)**

- 1 Package of page protectors
- 1 1 subject notebook
- 2 3x5 Notecards (2 packages of lined notecards)
- 3 Glue sticks (not purple)
- Apron (for labs)

**ENGLISH**

- 7<sup>TH</sup> Grade:** Yellow pocket folder
- 7<sup>TH</sup> Grade:** Writing notebook– 1 sub/wide ruled  
Book covers, 1 box of thin 8 count markers
- 8<sup>TH</sup> Grade:** Purple pocket folder
- 8<sup>TH</sup> Grade:** Writing notebook – 1 sub/college ruled,  
book covers, 1 box of thin 8 count markers
- 9<sup>TH</sup> Grade:** Blue pocket folder
- 10<sup>TH</sup> Grade:** Red pocket folder
- 10<sup>TH</sup> Grade:** Writing notebook – any type
- 11<sup>TH</sup> Grade:** Orange pocket folder
- 12<sup>TH</sup> Grade:** Green pocket folder
- 12<sup>TH</sup> Grade:** Writing notebook – any type

**SOCIAL STUDIES**

- 1” 3-ring binder
- Pocket folders
- Highlighters (grades 9-12)
- Colored pencils (grades 7-9)

**MATH CLASSES AND PHYSICS**

- Ruler
- 1 ½” 3 ring binder
- Graphing calculator  
–TI-83 or higher (i.e. TI-84) is preferred  
\*Texas Instruments will be displayed in class.
- \*\*Algebra I students only need a TI 30XS**
- Alg I & Alg II – College ruled notebook

**SPANISH**

- 1” 3-ring binder – used for Spanish class only
- 5 count pkg. of page dividers

**AGRI-SCIENCE**

- 2” 3-ring binder
- 2 pkgs of page dividers

**WELDING**

- Gloves
- Safety glasses

**ART**

**8<sup>th</sup> Grade**

- 8 ½”x 11” spiral sketchbook
- 6 or more #2 Pencils
- Colored Pencils - Box of 24 or more Crayola or Prang brand

**9-12 Grades**

- Spiral sketchbook 8 1/2 x 11
- 6 or more #2 pencils
- Black Sharpie Markers 2 ultra fine, 2 fine
- Nylon detail brush set of 10

**INDUSTRIAL TECH**

- 1” 3-ring binder
- 1 small 10-12 foot tape measure

**WOODS COURSES**

- 1 small 10-12 foot tape measure

**CHOIR**

- Pencils
- 2 pencils, eraser, black socks,  
3 ring binder

**BAND**

***7<sup>TH</sup> & 8<sup>TH</sup> Essential Elements Book 2***

**CHARACTER EDUCATION**

- Art supplies
- Loose leaf paper
- Folder
- 1” 3 ring binder

**FACS**

- Pocket folder with center clips

**GRAPHIC DESIGN**

- Flash Drive

**BOARD OF EDUCATION:** Tom Nuckols, Donna Brown, Jay Friend, Nathan Grebowiec, Lenee Horting, and Todd Gilliland; Dawn Thyfault, Clerk of the Board; Vickie Dinkel, Treasurer.

**ADMINISTRATION:** Gail Dunbar, Superintendent/Elementary Principal; Lisa Gehring, District Principal;

**ELEMENTARY SCHOOL TEACHERS:** Krista Latta, Vocal Music; Jennie Hovis, Kindergarten; Dana Friend, 1st Grade; Marlisa Berner, 2nd Grade; Abigail Staab, 3rd Grade; Kate Bremerman, 3rd Grade; Danette Kerns, 4<sup>th</sup> Grade; Melody Mesecher, 5<sup>th</sup> Grade; Jeremy Lane, 6<sup>th</sup> Grade ; Reisa Rudman, Physical Education; Jackie Ralph, Reading Recovery Specialist and MTSS; Mary Jo Buresh, Art/Library; Kevin Pham, Band; Shona Sherraden, Parents As Teachers; Chris Drees, Student Support Coordinator.

**JUNIOR SENIOR/HIGH SCHOOL TEACHERS:** Steve Buresh, Senior High Math; Luke Schroeder, Senior High Math; Amy Krob, Junior/Senior High English; Elissa Ternes, Junior/Senior High English; Jill Wells, Junior/Senior High Art; Grant Stephenson, Senior High PE/Health; Jeremy Krob, Senior High Science; Chris Rinehart, Junior/Senior High Science; Shari Bobek, Junior High Reading & English; Cheryl Copeland, Junior High Math; Karen Wilson, Senior High Spanish; Kevin Pham, Junior/Senior High Vocal and Instrumental Music; Travis Dixon, Senior High Social Studies/Yearbook; Wade Ditter, Senior High Business/Computers, Cardinal Creations; Hayley Brown, Junior/Senior High Social Studies; Joe Dreiling, Junior/Senior High Woods and Drafting; Kathryn Owings, Senior High Family and Consumer Science, Cardinal Creations, FCCLA; Gloria Belton, Senior High Vo-Ag/FFA; Jackie Flowers, Junior/Senior High Librarian; Chris Drees, Athletic Director, Student Support Coordinator.

**SPECIAL EDUCATION PARAPROFESSIONALS:** Michelle Brungardt, Norma Finnesy, Nancy Hageman, Deb Junkermeier, Cathy Klein, Brenda Koehler, Gerri Meitler, Merilyn Peters, Angie Armbruster, Bobbi Phlieger, Cara Languen, Regina Riley, Julie Slaubaugh, Elizabeth Bebb, Dawn Rathbun.

**DISTRICT AIDS:** Amy Becker, Vickie Dinkel and Rhonda Newell.

**TECHNOLOGY:** Tom Winters.

**SPECIAL EDUCATION TEACHERS:** Brenda Benoit, School Psychologist; Myra Fisher, Special Ed Teacher; Emily Braun-Miller, Special Ed Teacher; Lease Hrabe, Speech Pathologist; Marianne Werner, Special Ed Teacher, Martha Becker, Special Education Early Childhood Development, Catherine Elliott, Gifted.  
**SECRETARIES:** Vicki Becker, Elementary School; Amanda Russell, Junior/Senior High School; Deb Chew, Central Office, Jamie Husmann, Junior/Senior High Finance & Athletic Director Secretary, Michelle Garvert, Special Education.

**CAFETERIA STAFF:** Deb Meyers, Melea McCrae, Judith Link, Dawn McCrickard, and Lorri Smyth.

**CUSTODIAL STAFF:** Mike Hageman, Sheri Kenney, Patty Hockman, David Sturgeon, Alec Hrabe, Vicki Becker, Deb Meyers.

**TRANSPORTATION:** Rhonda Newell

**BUS DRIVERS:** Kermit Schindler, Butch Post, Susan Augustine, Dave Losey, Robert Staab, Elizabeth Bebb.

### **Medication Release**

If your child will be requiring medication during school you will need to contact the building office. Any medication taken at the school whether prescription or over the counter, self-administered or dispensed by a school employee must have a medical release form signed by the legal guardian and a physician. In the case of prescriptions we will need the legal guardians to bring in a professionally labeled bottle in readable condition. The supply will be counted with the parent/legal guardian. Over the counter medications including cough drops and Tylenol will not be given to students unless parents come to the school to give the medicine themselves or we have a signed medical release. Parents will supply all medications.

**USD 270 has positions open for  
Special Education Para-Professionals and  
for a full time Custodian.  
To apply pick up an application at the  
District Office, 203 SE Cardinal Ave. Room 201  
For more information call 434-4678.**

**Welcome Back to School!**  
**By Gail Dunbar, Superintendent**

Another year is right around the corner and with it, comes the opportunity to help our students gain important skills and to help them meet their goals. I am looking forward to another successful school year at Plainville schools. Each year the administrators choose a theme for the year that we use as a way of having fun with the staff and to provide a focus for the year. Sometimes we surprise the staff, but this year we involved them in the decision and they came up with the theme. The theme this year is TEAM and we asked our staff to come up with words to describe each letter. We will reveal those words at our back-to-school in-service.

This theme is important this year because we are continuing to develop our school improvement process, called MTSS, to help us better meet the needs of all of our students. MTSS, Multi-Tier System of Supports, is a process where we build in levels of support based on the needs of our students. These supports are used in reading, math and behavior. Our district staff, with input from parents and our site council, will work together as a K-12 team this year to build this system.

The Kansas State Board of Education has also developed a new vision called Kansas Can which has five outcomes. These outcomes are: Kindergarten Readiness, Individual Plan of Study Focused on Career Interest, High School Graduation Rates, Postsecondary Completion/Attendance, and Social/Emotional Growth Measured Locally. Our MTSS process will assist our district in meeting these outcomes. We already have a good start!

We have one new teacher joining our district this year. His name is Luke Schroeder and he will be teaching math at the high school and sponsoring the scholar's bowl team. He comes to Plainville from Illinois where he graduated from Southern Illinois University. His wife will be an instructor at Fort Hays State University this coming year. Please join me in welcoming him to our community.

We will continue to focus on our student outcomes this year and they will be addressed through the MTSS process and the new accreditation model. The outcomes are: Plainville students will be: Respectful, Responsible,

Reliable, Resilient, Resourceful and Ready. Each one of the Five Rs has specific behaviors we will continue to work on with our students from kindergarten through twelfth grade. We are proud that our school again tied for the MCL Sportsmanship Award this past year. It continues to be a goal of ours to earn that award. We ask that you help us with that goal when you attend our activities.

Many new opportunities for our students in grades 7- 12 will be available this year. Our second year of Cardinal Creations was a huge success and we plan to expand opportunities for our students to get out in the work world this school year. New classes are being offered in several career-tech education pathways such as culinary arts and design. We are adding graphic design and baking and pastry for high school and beginning guitar and percussion for junior high students. The career exploration class will continue for all seventh grade students which will allow them to begin their six-year plans for their education and help them learn about career possibilities after high school. We are implementing a new program called Career Cruising this year which will give our students many new tools in their course planning and college or career planning.

At the elementary level, we received a grant to help fund materials and equipment for a science lab so our elementary students can experience hands-on science in a lab setting. We also received a grant to add to our percussion section of our band so we can continue to build the drum-line and add to our students' experience in concert band.

I feel it is vitally important our students gain new experiences both inside school and outside our school walls to help them be prepared for the world of college and career. If we work together as a team; school, family, and community, to prepare our students for their future, there is no end to their possibilities. We hope the future for many of them will be in Plainville. Please join us for the Back-to-School night on August 16<sup>th</sup> at 6:30.



**Family Educational Rights and  
Privacy Act**

**Annual Notice to Parents and Students of Rights under the  
Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act**

Under the provisions of the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA), parents of students and eligible students (those who are 18 or older) are afforded various rights with regard to educational records that are kept and maintained by Unified School District No. 270. In accordance with FERPA, you are required to be notified of those rights which include:

1. The right to review and inspect all of your educational records, except those which are specifically exempt. Records will be available for your review within 45 days of the day the district receives your request for access.

2. The right to prevent disclosure of personally identifiable information contained in your educational records to other persons, with certain limited exceptions. Disclosure of information from your educational records to other persons will occur only if:

a. we have your prior written consent for disclosure; or  
b. the information is considered "directory information: and you have not objected to the release of such information; or

- c. disclosure without your prior consent is permitted by law.
- The district may disclose, without your consent, personally identifiable information to school officials with a legitimate educational interest. A school official is a person employed by the school as an administrator, supervisor, instructor, or support staff member (including health or medical staff and law enforcement unit personnel); the school board (in executive session); a person or company with whom the school has contracted to perform a special task (such as an attorney, auditor, medical consultant, or therapist); or a parent or student serving on an official committee such as a disciplinary or grievance committee, or
  - assisting another school official in performing his or her tasks. A school official has a legitimate education interest if the official needs to review an education record in order to fulfill his or her professional responsibility or duties.
  - The district will disclose a student's education records to officials of another school district in which the student seeks or intends to enroll without your consent and without further notice that the records have been requested or forwarded.

3. The right to request that your educational records be amended if you believe the records are misleading, inaccurate, or other-wise in violation of your rights. This right includes the right to request a hearing at which you may present evidence to show why the record should be changed if your request for an amendment to your records is denied in the first instance.

4. The right to file a complaint with the Family Policy and Regulations Office at the U.S. Department of Education if you believe that Unified School District No. 270 has failed to comply with FERPA's requirements. The address of this office is 400 Maryland Avenue SW, Washington, DC 20202-5920.

5. The right to obtain a copy of Unified School District No. 270 policies for complying with FERPA.

A copy may be obtained from: 203 SE Cardinal Ave, Plainville, Ks. 67663.

**Directory Information:**

For purposes of FERPA, Unified School District No. 270 has designated certain information contained in educational

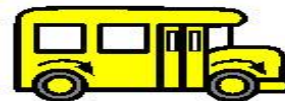
records as directory information. This information may be disclosed for any purpose without your consent. This information can be disclosed without consent because it is the type of information that would not generally be considered harmful or an invasion of privacy if disclosed. The following information is considered directory information: name student, class, address, telephone number, electronic mail address, date and place of birth, participation in officially recognized activities and sports, weight and height of members

of athletic teams, dates of attendance, degrees, honors and awards received, the most recent previous school attended by the designation or grade level, enrollment status (e.g., undergraduate or graduate, full-time or part-time), major field of study and photographs.

You have a right to refuse to permit the designation of any or all of the above information as directory information. If you refuse, you must file written notification to this effect with Unified School District No. 270 at (203 SE Cardinal Ave, Plainville, Ks. 67663) on or before September 3, or within 2 weeks of enrollment. If a refusal is not filed, Unified School District No. 270 assumes you have no objection to the release of the directory information designated.

**Recruiting information:**

Military recruiters and institutions of higher education are entitled under federal law to a list of names, addresses, and telephone numbers of high school students unless you object to the release of this information. If you notify your principal in writing at any time that you do not wish your child's name, address, and telephone number released without your written consent, we will honor that request. Unless the information collected from students is designated as directory information, no information gathered about students shall be released to third parties without the express written consent of the parent or eligible student.



**USD 270 Plainville**

**is taking sealed bids for a  
2002 Red Chevy Suburban  
with 198,800 miles.**

**Also a 2001 Bluebird Micro Bus,  
diesel engine, 29 passenger,  
with 99,503 miles.**

**Sealed bid deadline is August 5<sup>th</sup>.**

**You may bring your sealed bid to the  
District Office, located at the Grade School**

**203 SE Cardinal Ave. Room 201.**

**For more information call 434-4678.**



The Board believes that maintaining a drug free work place is important in establishing an appropriate learning environment for the students of the district. The unlawful manufacture, distribution, dispensing, possession or use of a controlled substance is prohibited in the district. Any employee who is convicted under a criminal drug statute for a violation occurring at the work place must notify the superintendent of the conviction within five days after the conviction.

As a condition of continued employment in the district, all employees shall abide by the terms of this policy. Employees shall not unlawfully manufacture, distribute, dispense, possess or use illicit drugs, controlled substances, or alcoholic beverages on district property or at any school activity. Compliance with the terms of this policy is mandatory. Employees who are found violating the terms of this policy will be reported to the appropriate law enforcement officers.

Additionally, an employee who violates the terms of this policy will be subject to the following sanctions:

1. Short term suspension with pay;
2. Short term suspension without pay;
3. Long term suspension without pay;
4. Required participation in a drug and alcohol education, treatment, counseling, or rehabilitation program;
5. Termination of dismissal from employment.

Prior to applying sanctions under this policy, employees will be afforded all due process rights to which they are entitled under their contracts or the provisions of Kansas law. Nothing in this policy is intended to diminish the right of the district policies or the negotiated agreement.

It is agreed that an employee shall enter into and complete a drug education or rehabilitation program, the cost of such programs will be borne by the employee. Drug and alcohol counseling and rehabilitation programs are available for employees of the district. A list of available programs along with the names and addresses of contact persons for the program is on file with the board clerk.

**EPA Regulations**

In accordance with EPA regulations, all school buildings listed below have been inspected for material which contain asbestos and an Asbestos Management Plan has been developed and adopted. The type of asbestos containing materials (ACBM) found in any building is listed below. Copies of the Inspection/Management Plan (Part A and Part B) are on file in the office of the Asbestos Program Manager. This document complies with the AHERA mandated requirements for asbestos materials in schools, including the results of the inspections, the schedule for periodic surveillance every 6 months, the schedule for certified re-inspection every 3 years, and the schedule for response action and post-response actions of any friable asbestos containing material was found. Friable (crumbled by hand pressure) asbestos containing materials (ACM) may cause health problems, therefore it is very important to avoid disturbing friable ACM. With the adoption of the AHERA Inspection/Management Plan, the local education agency is undertaking considerable efforts and expense to protect the public health and safety. Your cooperation in this effort is needed and appreciated. For further information concerning inspections, re-inspections, periodic surveillance, response actions and post response actions that are planned or in progress, refer to the Inspections/Management Plan, or contact the following persons: Gail Dunbar, Asbestos Program Manager and Superintendent of Schools.

**TYPE OF ACBM FOUND IN BUILDING**

List of Buildings & Outbuildings	Friable	Nonfriable	Nonfriable	Nonfriable	AC
	Confirmed	Assumed	Confirmed	Confirmed	NO
	FC	NA	NC	NC	NO
* Jr. High School 203 SE Cardinal, Plainville					NC
* Elementary School 203 SE Cardinal, Plainville New Gymnasium					NC NC NO
* High School 202 SE Cardinal, Plainville Tractor Shed Concessions Building Field Storage Building Pressbox Storage (under bleachers) Tractor Storage Building Metal Storage Building Wood Storage Building Technology Lab Building *Administration Building					NC NO NO NO NO NO NO NO NO NO NO

**Hot Lunch and Breakfast Programs**

In the operation of child feeding programs, no child will be discriminated against because of race, sex, color, national origin, age, or handicap. If you believe you have been discriminated against, write immediately to the Secretary of Agriculture, Washington, D.C., 20250. Application information for free or reduced price meals will be available at all offices. If you need help in making the application, please call the Grade School or High School offices.

**Equal access to all  
School Programs**

All vocational programs and any other classes offered by USD 270 are open to residents without regard to race, color, national origin, sex, or handicap. USD270 will not discriminate in its enrollment or hiring practices regarding Title VI, Title IX, and Section 504 or the Civil Rights Acts.



**Creative  
Learning  
Programs**

**SEXUAL HARASSMENT**

Sexual harassment will not be tolerated in the school district. Sexual harassment of employees or students of the district by board members, administrators, certified and support personnel, students, vendors, and any others having business or other contact with the school district is strictly prohibited.

**Employee Section**

Sexual harassment shall include, but not be limited to, unwelcome sexual advances, requests for sexual favors, and other verbal or physical conduct of a sexual nature when: (1) submission to such conduct is made either explicitly or implicitly a term or condition of an individual's employment; (2) submission to or rejection of such conduct by an individual is used as the basis for employment decisions affecting such individual; or (3) such conduct has the purpose or effect of unreasonably interfering with an individual's work performance or creating and intimidating hostile or offensive working environment.

No district employee shall sexually harass, be sexually harassed, or fail to investigate or refer a complaint of sexual harassment for investigation. Complaints of sexual harassment by employees will be promptly investigated and resolved. Initiation of a complaint of sexual harassment will not adversely affect the job security or status of an employee, nor will it affect his or her compensation or work assignment. Violation of this policy shall result in disciplinary action, up to and including termination, against any employee. Employees who believe that they have been subjected to sexual harassment should discuss the problem with their immediate supervisor. If an employee's immediate supervisor is the alleged harasser; the employee should discuss the problem with the building principal or the Superintendent of Schools.

Employees who do not believe that the matter is appropriately resolved through this meeting may file a written complaint under the district's discrimination complaint procedure. (See KN)

Confidentiality shall be maintained throughout the complaint procedure.

**Student Section**

It shall be a violation of this policy for any employee to sexually harass a student, for a student to sexually harass another student, or for any employee to discourage a student from filing a complaint or to fail to investigate or refer for investigation, any complaint lodged under the provisions of this policy.

Sexual harassment is unwelcome sexual advances, requests for sexual favors and other inappropriate oral, written or physical conduct of sexual nature when made by a member of the school staff to a student or when made by any student to another student when: (1) submission to such conduct is made, explicitly or implicitly, a term or condition of the individual's education; (2) submission to or rejection of such conduct by an individual is used as the basis for academic decisions affecting the individual; (3) such conduct has the purpose or effect of interfering with the individual's academic or professional performance or creating an intimidating, hostile or offensive academic environment. Sexual harassment may include, but is not limited to; verbal harassment or abuse; pressure for sexual activity; repeated remarks to a person with sexual or demeaning implication; unwelcome touching; or suggesting or demanding sexual involvement accompanied by implied or explicit threats concerning a student's grades, participation in extracurricular activities, etc. Any student who believes that he or she has been subjected to sexual harassment with the principal, guidance counselor, or another certified staff member. If the matter is not resolved to the satisfaction of the student in this meeting, the student may initiate a complaint under the district's discrimination complaint procedure. The filing of a complaint or otherwise reporting sexual harassment will not reflect upon the individual's status nor will it affect grades, future employment or assignments. Confidentiality will be maintained throughout the complaint procedure.





# AUGUST 2016 BREAKFAST



Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
1.	2.	3.	4.	5.
8.	9.	10.	11.	12.
15. New Teacher In-service	16. Teacher In-service	17. Teacher Workday	18. WG French Toast Sticks/syrup Pears Milk	19. Bagel/Cr. Cheese Banana Milk
22. Yogurt Cereal Peaches Milk	23. Breakfast Bites or Cereal Pears/Juice Milk	24. Breakfast Pizza or Cereal Apples/Juice Milk	25. Whole Wheat Mini Blueberry Loaf or Cereal String Cheese (6-12) Oranges Milk	26. WG Waffles/syrup Sausage Links or Cereal Mandarin Oranges Milk
29. Biscuits n Gravy or Cereal Tropical Fruit Milk	30. Banana Bread Slice or Cereal Orange Milk	31. Cheese Omelet Toast or Cereal Apple Milk		

All Menu Items are subject to change. Meals served w/1% White Milk or Skim Chocolate Milk  
 ALL STUDENTS will be served 1 cup fruit or 1/2c juice AND 1/2c fruit  
 ALL BREADS made or served in the USD 270 Kitchen are Whole Grain  
 This institution is an equal opportunity provider



# AUGUST 2016 LUNCH

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
1.	2.	3.	4.	5.
8.	9.	10.	11.	12.
15.  New Teacher In-service	16.  Teacher In- service	17.  Teacher Workday	18.  First Day of School ½ Day No Lunches	19. Chicken Wrap Lettuce & Tomato Fiesta Brown Rice Green Beans Apples Milk
22. Beef & Bean Burrito Romaine/Tomato Mexican Corn WG Tortilla Chips w/salsa (9-12) Cinnamon Apples Milk	23. Stromboli Squares Frsh Broccoli and Carrots Mandarin Oranges Milk Option: Side Salad Two (6-12)	24. BBQ Beef/Bun Sweet Tater Tots Baked Beans Pears Oatmeal Cookie Milk	25. Turkey n Cheese Sub Romaine/Tomato Peas Curly Fries Peaches Milk Option: Side Salad Two (6-12)	26. Cntry Style Beef Pattie Mashed Potatoes & Gravy Steamed Carrots WW Roll (6-12) Banana Milk
29. Chicken Tetrzzini Fresh Carrots Garlic Bread Stick Strawberries Milk	30. Pork Rib/Bun Tri-Tater Green Beans Pears Milk Option Side Salad Two (6-12)	31. Lasagna Romaine Spinach Salad Italian Garlic Bread Stick Cinn. Applesauce Cherry Tomatoes (9-12) Milk		

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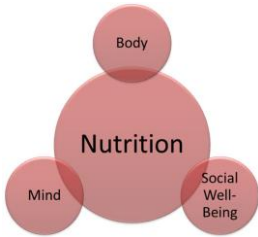
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# September 2016 Breakfast

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
			1. Yogurt Graham Bug Bites or Cereal Pears Milk	2. Cereal Choice Peaches Juice Choice Milk
5.  <b>LABOR DAY</b> No School Labor Day	6. Pancakes/syrup Sausage Links or Cereal Mandarin Oranges Milk	7. Cereal Choice Toast Peaches Juice Choice Milk	8. Mini French Toast or Cereal Pineapple Milk	9. Bagel w/Toppings or Cereal Banana Milk
12. Yogurt Toast or Cereal Cinn. Applesauce Milk	13. Breakfast Bites or Cereal Pears Juice Choice Milk	14. Cereal Choice Apples Juice Choice Milk	15. WW Banana Mini Loaf String Cheese Stick or Cereal Orange Milk	16. Waffle Sticks Sausage Links or Cereal Peaches Milk
19. Cereal Choice Pears Juice Choice Milk	20. Oatmeal Breakfast Round or Cereal Pineapple Milk	21. Biscuit Breakfast Sandwich Mandarin Oranges Milk	22. Cereal Choice Graham Crackers Tropical Fruit Juice Choice Milk	23. Yogurt Cinnamon Bread Stick Banana Milk
26.  <b>NO SCHOOL</b> Teacher In-service	27. Pancake on a Stick or Cereal Applesauce Milk	28. Breakfast Pizza or Cereal Pineapple Milk	29. Tac-Go Salsa or Cereal Oranges Milk	30. Waffle Sticks Sausage Links or Cereal Peaches Milk

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# September 2016 Lunch

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
			1.. BBQ Grilled Chicken Pattie Mash. Potatoes/Gravy Corn Oatmeal Roll Mandarin Oranges Milk Option: Side Salad Two (6-12)	2. Sloppy Joe/Bun Sun Chips (9-12) Sweet Potato Puffs Bakes Beans Grapes Milk
5.  <b>No School            Labor Day</b> 	6. Chicken Wrap Romaine/Tomato Spanish Rice Steamed Carrots Watermelon Milk Option: Side Salad One (6-12)	7. Skroodlegetti Salad Peas (9-12) Garlic Bread Peaches Milk	8. Taco Salad w/WG Chips n Salsa Refried Beans Cinnamon Bun Pineapple Chunks Milk  No Optional Salad	9. Chicken n Noodles Mashed Potatoes Green Beans Roll (6-12) Orange Wedges Milk
12. Hamburger/Bun Romaine/Tomato Sweet Potato Fries Oatmeal Cookie Pears Milk	13. Sweet and Sour Chicken Nuggets Seasoned Brown Rice Asian Fresh Vegetables Celery Sticks Tropical Fruit Milk Option: Side Salad One (6-12)	14. White Chicken Chili Cucumber Slices Cherry Tomatoes Corn Bread Square Peaches Milk	15. Baked Ham Baked Beans Basil Potatoes Roll Apples Milk Option: Side Salad One (6-12)	16. Mac n Cheese Meatballs Steamed Carrots WW Bread (9-12) Rosy Applesauce Milk
19. Ham n Cheese Pocket Potato Wedges Broccoli Tropical Fruit Milk	20. Pepperoni Pizza Garlic Bread Stick w/Marinara Romaine Spinach Salad Apples Milk  No Optional Salad	21. Taco Burger Shredded Romaine Tomatoes Refried Beans Corn/Blk Bean Salsa w/chips (9-12) Pears Milk	22. Italian Pasta Bake Fresh Gr. Peppers Fresh Baby Carrots WW Bread (9-12) Grapes Brownie Milk Option: Side Salad One (6-12)	23. Chicken Pattie Mashed Potatoes Gravy Steamed Carrots WW Roll (6-12) Oranges Milk
26.  <b>No School            Teacher            In-service</b>	27. Stromboli Squares Broccoli Tater Tots Rosy Applesauce Milk Option: Side Salad One (6-12)	28. BBQ Beef on a Bun Sweet Potato Puffs Baked Beans Mandarin Oranges Oatmeal Cookie (9-12) Milk	29. Ham n Cheese Sub Lettuce & Tomato Oven Potatoes Zucchini Yellow Squash Mix Peaches Milk	30. Country Style Beef Pattie Mashed Potatoes & Gravy Carrots WW Roll Banana Milk

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