

Irving Elementary

| Monday September 16 | Tuesday September 17 | Wednesday September 18 | Thursday September 19 | Friday September 20 |
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| Day #1 | Day #2 | Day #3 | Day #4 | Day #5 |
| Breakfast: | Breakfast: | Breakfast: | Breakfast: | Breakfast: |
| Student: \$2.00 Adult: \$2.15 Extra Milk: \$0.40 | | | | |
| Bread Stick/ Cheese Toast Jelly Fresh Apples | Cereal Bar Assortment Graham Crackers Grape Juice Raisins | Blueberry Muffin Toast Jelly Fresh Apples | Cereal Toast Jelly Raisins Orange Juice | Cinn Poptart Toast Jelly Fresh Oranges Apple Juice |
| Lunch: | Lunch: | Lunch: | Lunch: | Lunch: |
| Student: \$3.00 Adult: \$3.75 Extra Milk: \$0.40 | | | | |
| Corn Dog Calico Beans Pineapple Fresh Broccoli | Hamburger Patty Bun, 1.25 oz. Oven Fries Mixed Fruit Fresh Carrots | Breakfast Pizza Tater Tots Pears Fresh Cherry Tomatoes | Turkey & Swiss Sub Green Beans Peaches Fresh Carrots | Stuffed Sticks and Dip Broccoli Applesauce Marinara Cup Celery Sticks |

The bell rings at 7:50 AM. Your child will be counted tardy at **7:51 forward** either as **excused:**

- illness,
- family emergencies,
- recognized religious observances,
- to accompany parents out of town, to attend funerals, etc.;
- appointments that cannot be scheduled outside the school day,
- school-sponsored or approved activities;

or unexcused with no note from the parent or for simply being late. Unexcused absences also include, but are not limited to:

- shopping,
- hunting,
- concerts,
- preparation/participation in parties/celebrations,
- and employment.

Truancy will not be tolerated by the board.

PLEASE let me know the reason for your child's absence. This information is needed in order to record attendance.

You are now able to view absences and tardies by accessing your PowerSchool portal account.

As a courtesy, please call or email any changes to your child's pick-up arrangements for that day by 1:00 PM unless you have an emergency.

Reference: School Board Policies 501.3, 501.9, 501.10

Derek Morris, Principal

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Transportation Reminder

The middle school is a transfer point **only** for before and after school. Parents should be dropping off and picking up their children at their attendance center if they have plans other than their typical bussing needs.



According to the Student Transportation Handbook (found on the Indianola website): ‘ . . . **Elementary parents cannot pick up or drop off elementary students at the Middle School for transportation.**’



Please have your child look on our lost and found table for items that may belong to your family.

Recess and lunch time reminders:

| AM Recess | Time |
|----------------------------------|------------|
| K | 9:30-9:45 |
| 1 st /2 nd | 9:45-10:00 |

| Lunch | Time | Recess |
|-----------------|-------------|-------------|
| K | 11:00-11:20 | 11:20-11:45 |
| 1 st | 11:15-11:35 | 11:35-12:00 |
| 2 nd | 11:30-11:50 | 11:55-12:20 |
| 3 rd | 11:45-12:05 | 12:05-12:30 |
| 4 th | 12:00-12:20 | 12:20-12:45 |
| 5 th | 12:15-12:35 | 12:35-1:05 |

| PM Recess | Time |
|----------------------------------|-----------|
| 2 nd -3 rd | 2:00-2:15 |
| 4 th | 2:15-2:30 |
| K-1 st | 2:40-2:55 |



fyi, Irving Events

September 16-17Parent/Teacher Conferences (3:25-7:45 PM)
September 174th Grade Field Trip to DSM Historical Building and the Art Center;
Leaving at 8:15 and returning around 2:30
Parent/Teacher Conferences (3:25-7:45 PM)
September 18Early Dismissal (2:00)
Parent/Teacher Conferences (2:30-3:30)
Sep 23 – Oct 4.....Fall Intersession (No School)
October 7-11.....Fall Break

Homecoming Week (September 16-20)

- Monday, the 16th: Dot Day
- Tuesday, the 17th: Super Hero/Villain Day
- Wednesday, the 18th: Neon Day
- Thursday, the 19th: Pajama Day
- Friday, the 20th: Purple and Gold Day



POP THOSE TABS

Enjoy a Beverage: Make a Difference

Wouldn't it be amazing if you could help many families going through difficult times by collecting a product you already use? With the pop tab program through the **Ronald McDonald House** you can do just that.

The small tab on the top of your aluminum beverage can might not seem like much, but when brought together in large quantities, they make a monumental difference.

Schools, businesses, and individuals come together to donate millions of tabs every year. After being sold for scrap, they bring in enough money to pay the electric bill every year at the Ronald McDonald House of Des Moines.

District/Community Events



You can search/subscribe to upcoming events in the district's Digital Backpack:

www.indianola.k12.ia.us/digital-backpack

- Fall Cheer Clinic
Attention All Kindergarten through 5th Graders!!!!
CLINIC DATE/TIME: Sunday, September 22nd. 1:00pm – 5:00pm
CLINIC LOCATION: North Gym at the Indianola High School
PERFORMANCE: Friday, September 27th at the beginning of the Varsity Football Game.
COST: \$20 - All participants will learn a cheer, a chant, and a short dance. They will also receive a t-shirt to wear for their performance on the following Friday (September 27th).

Registration is required and due back to your school by end of day on Tuesday, September 10th.

Checks can be made payable to IHS Cheer.

Registration forms are in the office.

Questions can be sent to indianolacheerleaders@gmail.com

Student directory information for birthday party invites and party invitation distribution

Due to the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA), we are unable to give student identifiable information to outside individuals or organizations. Our school directory information is for school officials with legitimate educational interests. Thus, teachers are unable to supply parents with the addresses of their peers for party invitations.

NOTICE OF NONDISCRIMINATION

Students, parents, employees and others doing business with or performing services for the Indianola Community School District are hereby notified that this school district does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, age (except students), religion, national origin, sex, marital status, sexual orientation, gender identity or disability in admission or access to, or treatment in, its programs and activities.

The school district does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, age (except students), religion, national origin, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity or disability in admission or access to, or treatment in, its hiring and employment practices. Any person having inquiries concerning the school district's compliance with the regulations implementing Title VI, Title VII, Title IX, the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA), § 504 or Iowa Code § 280.3 is directed to contact:

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who has been designated by the school district to coordinate the school district's efforts to comply with the regulations implementing Title VI, Title VII, Title IX, the ADA, § 504 and Iowa Code 280.3 (2007).