Early 5's and Kindergarten Information

CLASS TIMES



Early 5's Monday - Friday 8:05 AM - 11:15 AM 12:05 PM- 3:15 PM



3 Day Kindergarten Monday, Wednesday, Friday 8:05 AM - 3:15 PM



Progressive Kindergarten Monday, Wednesday, and Friday for the first half of the year; add Tuesday shortly after Christmas; and Thursdays after Spring Break 8:05 AM- 3:15 PM



5 Day Kindergarten Monday - Friday 8:05 AM - 3:15 PM



Hot Lunch



Hot lunch is offered every school day through Caledonia Community Schools. An account will need to be set up for your child to receive hot lunch. In August a letter will be mailed to you with your child's student ID number. You need this ID number to set up the account. You may either choose to send money to school with your child (checks need to be made out to Caledonia Food Service) or there is a \$1.75 flat fee per transaction charged for the convenience of making online credit and debit card deposits to your child's account.

Every month a menu of what is being offered will be sent home and posted on our school's website. Simply have your child let his/her teacher know by 9:00am if ordering that day and what the menu choice is. If purchasing school meals is a hardship, your child(ren) may be eligible to have these meals for free or at a reduced price. Go to www.LunchApp.com to apply for these benefits. Contact our school office at 698-8660 or our District Food Service Office at 891-0227 with any questions.

Transportation



Parents of students who reside in the Caledonia Community School district and choose Caledonia busing must notify the Caledonia Bus Transportation Department by emailing Betty at Caledonia Transportation (nelsonb@calschools.org or calling 891-0224) no later than **June 22, 2020**. Please include your address, phone number and if your child needs pick up, drop off, or both. DCS students will ride with students from Caledonia Community Schools. They will have the same bus stop each day whether it is at home or at a daycare. Students that are not registered to ride Caledonia buses are not permitted to ride home with a friend. We currently do not have the same restriction on our DCS buses.

Dutton Christian has buses available for families who reside outside the Caledonia Community School district and within the geographical area defined by the transportation committee. Remaining space will be available to Dutton Christian School families who reside in the Caledonia Community School district. Fees are charged per family for riding on these buses. The routes are established in the summer and each family is notified of pick up and drop off times.

Students in the Early 5's AM class may ride the bus to school, and students in the Early 5's PM class may ride the bus home. We do not have mid-day transportation.

Many students are carpooled. Drivers enter the north driveway of Dutton United Reformed Church and make a circle around the church after dropping children off at the playground. The front drive is reserved for buses and prekindergarten families.