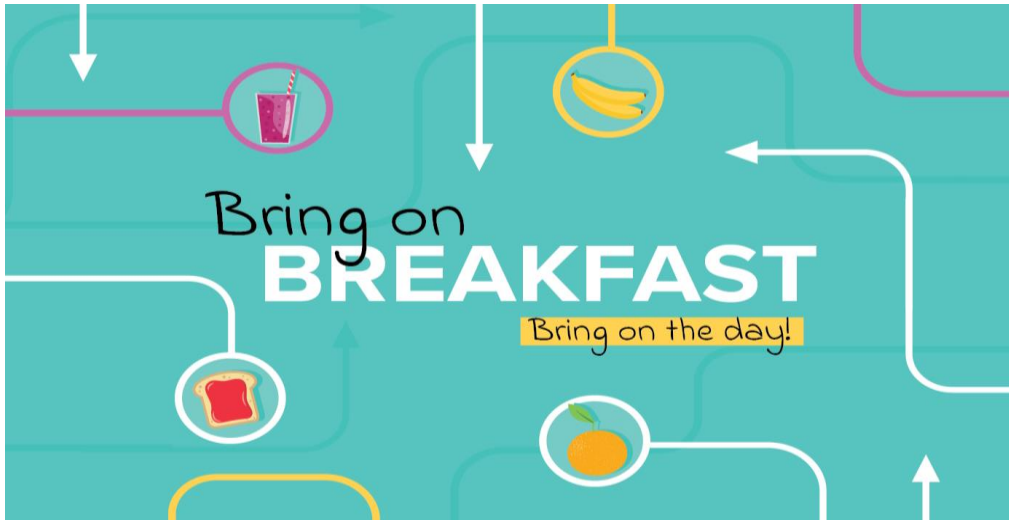


August Newsletter



Tolleson Elementary School District #17 Chartwells Newsletter



What's New in Your Schools?

Greetings, everyone! As we commence a new academic year, we are thrilled to unveil an exciting and groundbreaking initiative known as Global Eats. This program offers students an education beyond traditional classroom settings. Furthermore, this month, our emphasis lies on the significance of starting the day with a nourishing breakfast, as well as advocating for the mental and physical well-being of our students.

At Chartwells, we are dedicated to aligning our district goals with the needs of our students.

One of our top priorities is to foster social-emotional learning, character development, and mental health for all students. This commitment is reflected in our second priority goal. We trust that you found our newsletter enjoyable, and we wish you a fantastic school year ahead.

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Innovative Programs

Global Eats

Chartwells K12 has introduced an exciting program called "Global Eats," aiming to broaden children's culinary horizons by bringing diverse flavors and ingredients from around the world to school cafeterias. By showcasing authentic flavors and unique ingredients



Discovery Kitchen August Weekly Menu Highlight:

Throughout the week, students are presented with various entree options as part of the Discovery Kitchen program, providing them with a range of choices.

August 7- August 11

Bagel Sandwich, Breakfast, Egg Patty, Turkey Ham with Cheese.

August 14- August 18

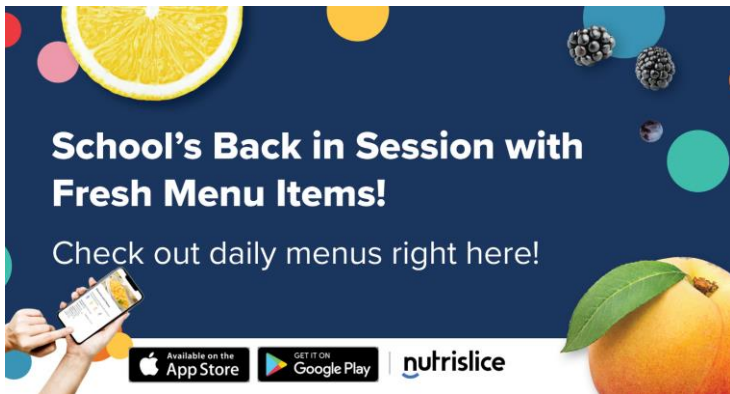
Frittata, Cheese & Veggie

August 21- August 25

Pasta, Butternut Squash Macaroni and Cheese



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Discovery
KITCHEN



FREE Breakfast, Lunch, Supper & Snack!!!!!!

Tolleson Elementary School District #17 is operating the National School Lunch Program under CEP which is a provision that is part of the Healthy Hunger-Free Kids Act of 2010.

CEP allows schools and districts to serve breakfast and lunch at no cost to all enrolled students without the burden of collecting household applications.

The Income Eligibility Form for the 2023-2024 period serves as an alternative application form.



Attention! Please be informed that starting from August 2, 2023, there will be a price adjustment for adult meals in our school. The new price for all adult meals will be \$5.00. We appreciate your understanding and cooperation as we strive to maintain the quality of our food services.

August 3: National Watermelon Day

National Watermelon Day on August 3 recognizes the refreshing summertime treat enjoyed at picnics and fairs! And since watermelon is 92% water, it is very satisfying in the summer heat.

August 4: National Chocolate Chip Cookie Day

Imagine if Ruth Graves Wakefield hadn't run out of baker's chocolate for her cookie recipe that day in 1937. Because that's what happened. The cookie recipe she was preparing called for baker's chocolate and would have blended smoothly into the dough. However, she was out. Mrs. Wakefield used semi-sweet chocolate instead, figuring it would just melt into the dough and work much like the baker's chocolate.

August 19: National Potato Day

Whether baked, fried or mashed, these taters bring on the flavor. They are a staple of many meals, too. Filling a void for appetizer dishes and working double duty at suppertime, these versatile root veggies satisfy and fill us up.

