



# PRINTS

## February 2023

### Westridge Elementary Mission Statement:

**In an effort to create life-long learners, the staff at Westridge Elementary School working closely with parents and community strives to realize each child's fullest potential in the areas of personal, social, intellectual, emotional, and physical development.**

Dear Westridge Families,

Thank you to everyone that came out and joined us for Math Night last night. We had a great turnout! A big thank you goes out to Mrs. Lantzer and the teachers helped plan and run all the different activities.

We will be celebrating our Valentine's Day parties on Friday, February 10<sup>th</sup>. Students are welcome to bring a Valentine's Day box to school. The box does need to be decorated at home. Students are also welcome to bring valentines for all of their classmates on that Friday.

Parent/teacher conferences will be held on Tuesday, February 14<sup>th</sup> and Wednesday, February 15<sup>th</sup> from 3:00 to 6:30 PM. The window to sign-up for a conference time online will open on Monday, January 30<sup>th</sup> at 9:00 AM. Conferences are on a first come, first serve basis, so be sure to sign up right away.

The window for new kindergarten registration is still open. Please visit [elkhornweb.org](http://elkhornweb.org), and you will see more information on the main screen. The parent meeting for Kindergarten Round-up is on Monday, April 10<sup>th</sup> from 6:00 to 7:00 PM, and Round-up is on Friday, April 14<sup>th</sup> from 9:00 to 11:00 AM.

Have a great weekend!  
Mr. Broshar  
Principal  
Westridge Elementary

[FRIDAY] **Feb 10**  
Valentine's Day Parties

[TUES & WED] **Feb 14 & 15**  
Early Dismissal- 2:06 PM  
Parent/Teacher Conferences 3:00-6:30 PM

[THURSDAY] **Feb 16**  
No School- Teacher In-service

[FRIDAY] **Feb 17**  
No School

[FRIDAY] **Mar 17**  
No School- Teacher In-service

[MON-FRI] **Mar 20-24**  
No School- Spring Break



# WE'RE HIRING

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## We're Hiring!

EPS is currently seeking to fill open teacher assistant positions, specifically in the following areas:

- *Secondary TAs*: assist with general and special education students in grades 6-12 in the areas of small and large group academic work, academic interventions, student supervision, and basic clerical duties.
  - Starting Wage: \$16.20/hour
  - Apply online at <https://bit.ly/secondaryTA>
- *High School English Learner TAs*: assist students in grades 9-12 who have limited English proficiency by providing EL services under the direction of a certified regular education teacher.
  - Starting Wage: \$16.75/hour
  - Apply online at <https://bit.ly/EL-TA>

You can find more information about Westridge Elementary online.



<https://www.elkhornweb.org/westridge/>



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Recess & Lunch Times

Grade	Lunch	Recess
Kindergarten	10:45-11:05	11:10-11:30
First Grade	11:15-11:35	11:40-12:00
Second Grade	11:30-11:50	11:55-12:15
Third Grade	11:45-12:05	12:10-12:30
Fourth Grade	12:00-12:20	12:25-12:45
Fifth Grade	12:15-12:35	12:40-1:00





### *A Note from the Nurse...*

- If you received a **health screen referral letter** within the last few months please visit the appropriate medical professional and have them complete the bottom portion of the letter and return it to school with your child if you have not already done so.

### **• It's not too early to start scheduling your school and sports physicals!**



- Students who will be entering **Kindergarten** in the fall or who are **new students from out of state** will need to submit a **physical exam and vision exam** (including test for strabismus, amblyopia, and **acuity**) dated after **February 15, 2023**, as well as a current immunization record including the Kindergarten booster shots. Here is the [Summary of the School Immunization Rules and Regulations](#)
- Students entering the **7th grade** in the fall will need to submit a **physical exam** dated after **February 15, 2023** and an updated **immunization record** including a **Tdap booster**.
- Students wanting to participate in a sport at the middle school or high school must have a **sports physical** completed sometime after **May 1, 2023** and uploaded to [rschool](#).

*\*\*Health records should be submitted to school prior to the first student day on Aug 15, 2023 .*

*\*\*7th graders still need to submit a physical exam to the front office as well, as these are different systems.*

♥♥ **February is dental health and heart health month!** Encourage your children to brush their teeth twice a day, floss once a day, and have a check up with a dentist every 6 months. Encourage eating a healthy diet and getting plenty of regular sleep and exercise to promote a healthy heart.

***Thank you!***

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