

Brighouse Newsletter

**Brighouse
Elementary**
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Principal
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Vice Principal

School Schedule:
8:40 - Welcome Bell
8:45 – Classes Begin
10:10 -10:25 - Recess
11:50 - 12:42 - Lunch
2:45 - Dismissal

January 12th - 16th 2026 Week at a Glance

Monday	
Tuesday	
Wednesday	PAC Meeting @ 3:15 pm
Thursday	Black Excellence Day
Friday	Spirit Day- Fancy and Fabulous! Hot Lunch - Edo

Dear Brighouse Families,

Welcome back! We hope that all families had a safe and restful winter break. Now that we are back to school, traffic congestion in the pick up and drop off circle continues to be a time where cars are waiting to enter the traffic circle. Having vehicles queued along the curb while through traffic attempts to pass through can cause sightline issues for vehicles exiting the traffic loop. Arranging an alternative pick up and drop off spot or parking near by and walking to and from school will help all of us with traffic congestion. When you are in the traffic circle, please drive slowly and use the marked lane for your children to ensure their safety.

Receiving text messages from the Richmond School District is an important way for us to share urgent updates with our school community. Recently, a school had to close unexpectedly due to a burst pipe, and only a few families received that message. To ensure everyone stays informed, the Richmond School District will send all families a text message in February to “opt in” to receive these alerts. It is essential that you reply to this message so you can receive urgent notifications from the district in the future.

Wishing you all the best,

Leah Scharf and Kathy Pantaleo

Important Dates!

Jan 14	PAC Meeting @ 3:15pm
Jan 15	Black Excellence Day
Jan 16	Spirit Day - Fancy and Fabulous
Jan 16	Hot Lunch - Edo
Jan 22	Hot Lunch - Britemind
Jan 23	ProD - No School
Jan 30	Spirit Day - Dress as a book character!
Feb 6th	Movie Night
Feb 12th	Early Dismissal @11:50 am for Conferences
Feb 13th	ProD - No School



Hot Lunch Orders are now open for January to March!

Create an account here to place your order: Munchalunch.com



Black Excellence Day - Thursday, January 15th

Black Excellence Day was created by the Ninandotoo Society to rejoice and learn about the stories, art, and history of Black people.

Fancy and Fabulous Day!

What: Fancy and Fabulous Day

When: Friday January 16

Why: To show school spirit

Who: Whoever wants to participate

Where: Brighouse Elementary school

What: Wear an outfit that makes you feel special and a little extra amazing!

