



THE LION'S ROAR

McAvinnue's Community Newsletter: Week Of October 21st

MCAVINNUE'S PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Hello McAvinnue Community!

I hope that everyone is doing well...and enjoying the amazing weather that we are having this weekend! What a pleasant change compared to the more Fall like temperatures we had this past week. Reminder...please have your child dress in layers even with the predicted temperature increase that will occur this upcoming week.



We will host McAvinnue's Picture Day on Monday, October 21st. Pictures and be purchased in advance online or you can use the order form and pay with cash or check. Regardless of your payment choice, you will need to make payment by Monday, October 21st.

Please keep in mind that all students will have their picture taken regardless of whether you are planning to purchase a picture package. We need to do this so that we have a picture of every child at McAvinnue for our child's student profile on our Aspen records system.

Mark your calendars and plan to join us for McAvinnue's "Trunk Or Treat" Family Celebration! On Tuesday, October 29th from 5:00 PM - 6:15 PM, you can come to St. Rita's Church rear parking lot (directly across from McAvinnue), for some costume and candy fun! This event is free of charge! All you need to do is come by with your costume on, bring a bag for treats, and we will do the rest! You will have a chance to walk through a maze of cars that will each have a special treat for you!

We are super excited to bring this event back at McAvinnue! We hope that everyone makes the time to come by!

We are looking ahead to November as we approach the end of October. I have updated the school calendar in the section of this newsletter called "Upcoming Events". Be sure to check it out and mark your calendars to keep yourself organized.

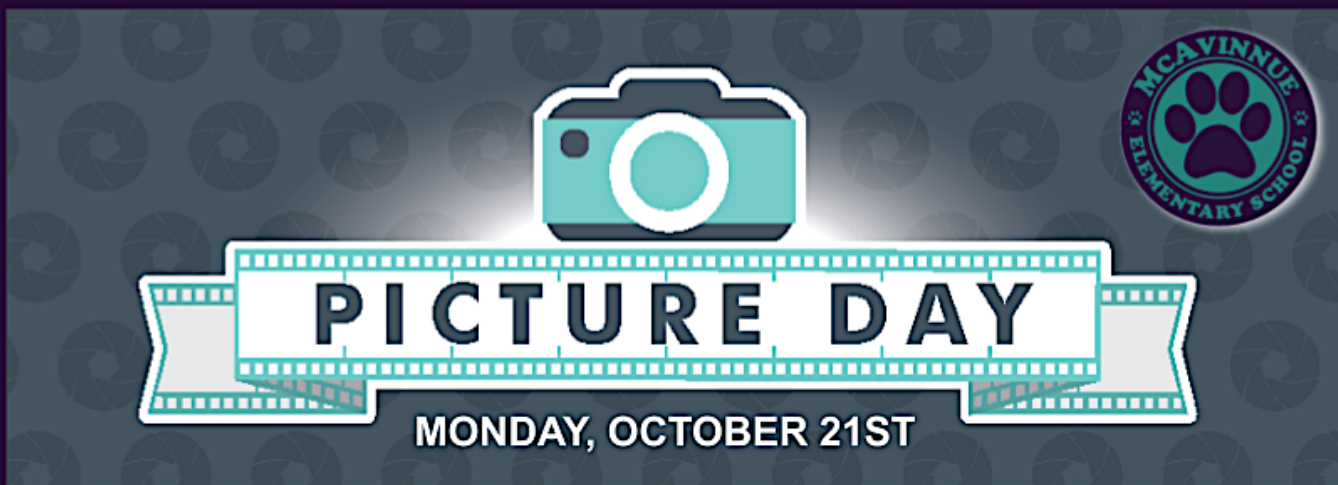
We will not have school on Tuesday, November 5th due to the local and statewide "Election Day". On this day off from school, it is important for you to go out and cast your vote to be seen and heard. Local elections can make the greatest impact in making change within the Lowell community. Be on the lookout for more information over the next few weeks for specific voting poll information, etc.

Here are a few items that you need to be aware of. Please mark your calendars for the following events and activities at McAvinnue for the next few weeks:

- **Monday, October 21st** - McAvinnue Reopens @ 9:10 AM
- **Monday, October 21st** - McAvinnue's Picture Day
- **Tuesday, October 22nd** - Grade 4 Field Trip: Patriot's Hall Of Fame Engineering Challenge: "Tower & Bridges"
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- **Thursday, October 31st** - Halloween
- **Thursday, October 31st** - McAvinnue's "Lion's Pride" Core Value All School Celebration: October Edition @ 9:30 AM - 10:15 AM

If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact the Main Office at McAvinnue or send Mr. Domina a message a mdomina@lowell.k12.ma.us.

Picture Day: Monday, October 21st



We host McAvinnue's "Picture Day" on Monday, October 21st. The picture order forms will be sent home with your child this week. If you are interested in purchasing a picture package, please complete the order form and submit payment.

Orders can be completed online using link below.

<https://vando.imagequix.com/294339Z>

The school code is: 10724F

You can also pay with cash or check using the order form that was sent home this past week.

All payments need to be made on Monday, October 21st to purchase a picture package.

If you need an extra order form, please stop by the Main Office at McAvinnue on Monday and we will be happy to pass along an order form.

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If you have any questions, please reach out to the Main Office for support.

A promotional graphic for "Fall Picture Day" with a dark blue background and white stars. At the top, the text "DON'T FORGET Fall Picture Day!" is displayed in a mix of teal and white. Below this, it says "We Will Be Coming To Your School On: Monday, Oct. 21st 2024". A teal brushstroke graphic contains the text "Order Online Today At:" followed by a "Click Here" button and "Enter Code: 10724F". Below the button is the URL "https://vando.imagequix.com/294339Z". Three student portraits are shown: a boy in a white shirt and tie, a girl with long brown hair in a dark top, and a girl with braids in a colorful patterned top. The "O'Connor Studio" logo is in the bottom left corner.

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[Click Here](#) Enter Code: **10724F**

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O'Connor Studio

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After School Program Still Has Openings!



SPACE STILL AVAILABLE

**DON'T
MISS OUT!**

MCAVINNUE'S AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAM

We still have spots open in the Tuesday (Grades 1-2) and Thursday (Grades 3-4) After School Program in the following program groups:

- Lego Club
- Arts & Crafts Club
- Sports & More Gym Club

Send Mrs. Gervais an email at mgervais@lowell.k12.ma.us if you are interested in signing up for this FREE after school opportunity! #McAvinnuePride

McAvinnue's Week In Review



**Kindergarten Launches
ST Math!**



**Before School Program
Fun!**



Pumpkin PreK Fun!

PreK students in Ms. Annie's classes had a great week

Kindergarten students had a blast this week launching ST Math! We are looking forward to checking out their progress over the next few weeks as they move along the Kindergarten journey!

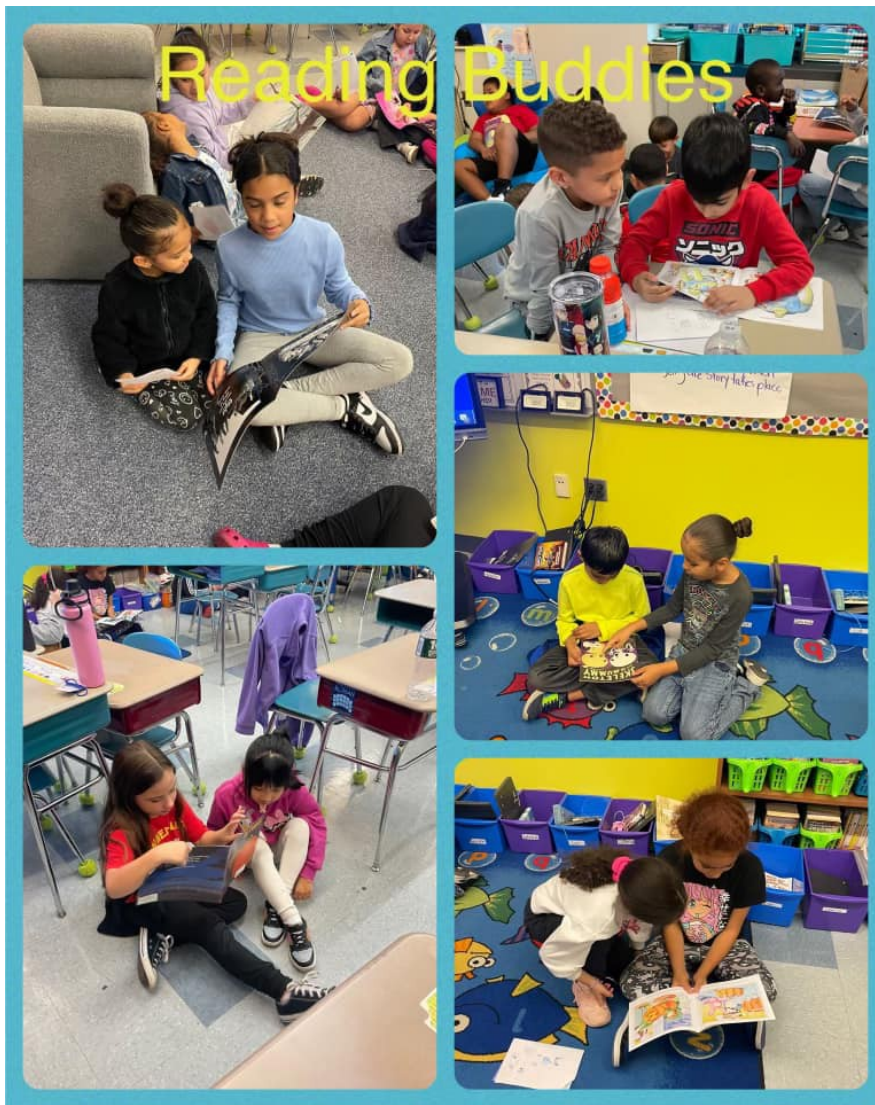
Check out the fun that is occurring during McAvinnue's Before School Program! We focus on cooperative game playing as well as some arts and crafts work prior to the launch of the school day.

exploring pumpkins using all their senses and got to carve it on Friday! So much fun learning!



Big Dipper Learning In Room 204!

Check out some Science fun with Grade 1 students in Room 204! They studied and made the Big Dipper simulating the moon with flashlights. So cool!



Reading Buddy Time!

"Reading Buddy" time for Grade 3 students in Room 304 and Grade 1 students in Room 202! We love how our older students can serve as mentors to our younger students!

Candy Donations Needed!



We are gladly accepting candy donations for McAvinnue's "Trunk Or Treat" Family Celebration!

Please feel free to drop off a bag of candy to the Main Office at McAvinnue anytime during school hours. Also, you can have your child bring a bag of candy with them to school...and they can drop it off at the Main Office when they arrive to the school building.

We will accept donations all the way up to the big event on Tuesday, October 29th!

Thank you in advance for your support with this!

Allergies? Asthma? Medications? - Please Let Nurse Danielle Know!

If your students have any medical concerns or diagnosis, please make sure Nurse Danielle is aware. Also, if they have any medical conditions, for example allergies or asthma, that require medications such as Epipens or inhalers here at school, please remember she needs updated paperwork and medication yearly.

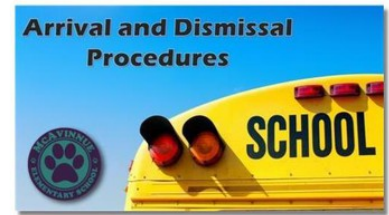


Please reach out as soon as possible to get her the necessary paperwork and to arrange drop off of new medications. Nurse Danielle's email address is dralls@lowell.k12.ma.us and she can also be reached by calling (978) 937-2871 ex. 47858. Our fax number is (978) 937-2880.

Drop-Off & Pick-Up Logistics

Drop-Off Logistics

- Arrival begins at 9:10 AM each day. The late bell rings at 9:25 AM.
- Please pull up to the 4th Avenue side of the building when dropping off your child.
- As you approach the 4th Avenue sidewalk, a faculty member will greet and support getting your child safely out of the vehicle.
- This area is a drop off area ONLY. You will not be permitted to park in this location.
- Please be sure to drive all the way down to the end of the sidewalk so we can fit as many vehicles in this location as possible.
- Ensure your child is ready to go and do not get out of the car so we can keep traffic moving.
- Students accessing our CSA program will be dismissed out the 4th Avenue door near the rear of the school building by the exit driveway.
- Large bus students will enter using the back door located in the rear of the school building.
- Small bus and van transportation students will use the 4th Avenue door near the rear of the school building by the exit driveway.



Morning Lining Up Locations

- Grade 1, 3, and 4 students will use the Main Door to enter the school building.
- Grade 2 will use the 4th Avenue doorway near the front of the school to enter the building.
- PreK & Kindergarten will use the Early Childhood door to enter the building. This door is located to the right of McAvinnue's Reading Garden and to the left of the Main Door.

Pick-Up Logistics

- Grade 1 will be dismissed out the Main Door.
- Grades 2, 3, and 4 will be dismissed out the 4th Avenue door near the front of the school.
- Kindergarten students will be dismissed out the Early Childhood door. This door is located to the right of McAvinnue's Reading Garden and to the left of the Main Door.
- Students accessing our CSA program will be dismissed out the 4th Avenue door near the rear of the school building by the exit driveway.
- PreK students will be dismissed out the 4th Avenue door near the rear of the school building by the exit driveway. Please contact Ms. Annie for the specific dismissal time.

Bus Transportation Information

School bus transportation is provided to students in grades K-4, who live greater than .75 mile from their residence or alternate address to their assigned school. Middle school students (grades 5-8) must live greater than 1.5 miles from their residence or alternate address to their assigned school.



Kindergarten through 4th grade students will receive a printed bus pass via postal mail. These passes were mailed out on August 23rd. You can also look up your student's bus pass information by using their Student ID for the username and date of birth for the password at the link below. This is the same information that students use to log in to their Chromebooks for school.

Please note that Kindergarten and 1st grader students **must** have an older sibling (4th grade or older) or parent present at the bus stop in the afternoon in order to depart from the school bus. If a parent or older sibling is not present, the student will be brought to the Moody School, located at 158 Rogers Street. A driver's license or valid identification must be presented to the staff in order to dismiss the student.

You can use the LPSP "Bus Lookup Tool" using the link below. You will need to use your child's LASID or lunch number along with their birthdate to access this helpful system.

There also is a helpful video that you can watch that will walk you through the process.

Click Here For The LPSP "Bus Lookup Tool"

You will need to have your child's LASID or lunch number to access the most up to date bus information for your child. Please keep in mind that this number is also used to log into your child's borrowed device.

Bus Pass Lookup Tutorial

Tyler's Versatrans e-Link

Welcome to Lowell Public Schools eLink



User Name: LASID

Password: mmddyyyy

Login

User Name= lunch code

Password= birthday
mmddyyyy

Example: August 31, 2009
08312009

Is Your Bus On Time?

The Lowell Public Schools Transportation Department has added a live spreadsheet to its webpage that indicates in the AM or PM if a school bus (grades K-8) is running late and by how long.

Check it out today: <https://www.lowell.k12.ma.us/Page/5990>




Physical Education Class Information With Ms. Rindo


Here is information regarding when each grade level and homeroom has weekly Physical Education Class with Ms. Rindo.

Please ensure that your child wears sneakers on their assigned day in the gymnasium so that can fully participate.

Kindergarten-Physical Education Class

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
	Ms. Pepper 205	Mrs. Lewis 206	Mrs. Zolkos 207	Ms. Martineau 208


 Please remember to wear your sneakers!
¡Por favor recuerda usar tus zapatos de deporte!




Kindergarten

Grade 1-Physical Education Class

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Mrs. Gervais 204		Ms. Corio 201	Mrs. Joyce 202	Ms. Wagner 203


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Grade 1

Grade 2-Physical Education Class

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Mrs. Ubele 101	Mrs. Makumbi 102	Ms. Carrucini 103	Ms. Michaud 104	


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Grade 2

Grade 3-Physical Education Class

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Mrs. Abrams 302	Mrs. Cutrumbes 303	Mrs. M-C 304		Ms. Ryder 301


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Grade 3

Grade 4-Physical Education Class

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Ms. Clemente 309	Mrs. Laczynski 310		Mrs. Figueroa 307	Mrs. McCann 308


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Grade 4

CSA-Physical Education Class

Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday
Ms. Pastor 108	Mrs. Orozco 109	Mrs. Irwin 211

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CSA

McAvinnue's "Yoga Pose Of The Week": Magic Massage Continued...

We will continue the new pose that was launched last week called the "Magic Massage"! This new pose will allow us to restore our energy through relaxation techniques that will reduce tension while we improve our self-care practices. We will practice the "Magic Massage" pose daily during our "Virtual" Morning Announcements during this up and coming week on Monday, Wednesday, and Friday.



Magic Massage

Restore. Relax.
Alleviate tension. Self-care.



1. Begin in Sitting or Standing Mountain.
2. Close your eyes and focus on your breath.
3. Using your fingertips and small, firm circular movements, massage the top of your head, your temples, forehead, around your eyebrows, and alongside your ears. Take care to spend a little extra time on the areas that need it.
4. Now move your fingers to the back of your neck and shoulders, massaging into any areas that are holding tension.
5. Find your collarbone. Bring your fingers down about an inch or so to find the soft spots on either side of your breastbone. Massage gently for 10 seconds.
6. Massage each of your hands with the opposite hand, pressing into the palm, the soft spot between the thumb and the palm, and down along each finger. Loosen your wrists by clasping your hands together and rocking them from side to side, making a figure 8.
7. Rest your hands on your lap while continuing to keep your eyes closed. Breathe evenly and deeply for 15 - 30 silent seconds. Notice how you feel.

Did you know? Self-massage is restorative, especially after a long period of studying, concentrating or writing. Magic Massage stimulates the blood flow to the brain and other areas where we typically hold tension, such as the neck and shoulders. The increased blood flow to the brain helps improve concentration skills required for reading and writing, while the muscle massage soothes and releases tension.



Upcoming Events



UPCOMING EVENTS!

Here are important dates to remember for the remainder of October and November:

- **Monday, October 21st** - McAvinnue's Picture Day - Student & Faculty Portraits
- **Tuesday, October 22nd** - Grade 4 Field Trip: Patriot's Hall Of Fame Engineering Challenge: "Tower & Bridges"
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- **Friday, November 1st** - First Day of American Indian Heritage Month
- **Tuesday, November 5th** - No School: Election Day
- **Monday, November 11th** - No School: Veterans Day
- **Thursday, November 14th - 15th** - Dentist At McAvinnue
- **Tuesday, November 26th** - McAvinnue's "Lions Pride" Core Value All School Celebration: November Edition @ 9:30 AM - 10:15 AM
- **Wednesday, November 27th** - Early Dismissal (All Students) @ 11:50 AM
- **Thursday, November 28th** - No School: Thanksgiving Day
- **Friday, November 29th** - No School: Thanksgiving Recess

McAvinnue's "Trunk Or Treat" Family Celebration

Mark your calendars for our next all school family event! Please join us for McAvinnue's "Trunk Or Treat" Family Celebration on **Tuesday October 29th from 5:00 PM - 6:15 PM.**

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ST Math Weekly Progress!



We're excited to announce that McAvinnue students have solved over 159,000 puzzles and have reached 20% of our puzzle goal progress! Keep up the amazing work!

Let's take a moment to celebrate our Grade 3 and 4 classrooms!

Special recognition goes to the students in 302, 307, 309, 301, and 310, who have played through over 100 ST Math objectives! Your dedication and hard work are truly paying off.

Let's keep pushing forward and continue solving puzzles toward our goal!



STMath

**over 159,000
puzzles solved**



Objectives

**Let's celebrate
3rd and 4th grade classrooms!**



**Students in
302, 307, 309, 301, and 310
have played through
over 100 ST Math Objectives**



STMath

ST Math Champions: Week Of October 14th



McAvinnue's ST Math Progress Champions



**Saylor
Room 301**



**Ryder
Room 204**



**Sovi
Room 302**

2024-2025 School Year Calendar

Superintendent of Schools-Lowell Public Schools- Lowell, MA
2024-2025 School Year Calendar

Monday, August 26, 2024	Staff Return to School - Staff Orientation Day
Tuesday, August 27, 2024	First Day of School - Grades 1-12
Friday, August 30, 2024	No School Labor Day Recess
Monday, September 2, 2024 *	No School - Labor Day
Tuesday, September 3, 2024	No School - State Primary Elections
Wednesday, September 4, 2024	First Day of School - Pre-Kindergarten & Kindergarten
Wednesday, October 9, 2024	Wednesday - Early Release for grades PreK-12
Monday, October 14, 2024 *	No School - Indigenous Peoples' Day
Tuesday, November 5, 2024	No School for Students - Election Day - Professional Day for Staff
Monday, November 11, 2024 *	No School - Veterans' Day Observed
Wednesday, November 27, 2024	Early Dismissal - Thanksgiving Recess
Thursday, November 28, 2024 *	No School - Thanksgiving Day
Friday, November 29, 2024 *	No School - Thanksgiving Recess
Monday, December 2, 2024	Schools Re-Open
Wednesday, December 4, 2024	Wednesday - Early Release for grades PreK-12
Friday, December 20, 2024	Winter Vacation Begins at the Close of Day
Tuesday, December 24, 2024 *	Christmas Eve
Wednesday, December 25, 2024	Christmas Day
Tuesday, December 31, 2024 *	New Year's Eve
Wednesday, January 1, 2025 *	New Year's Day
Thursday, January 2, 2025	Schools Re-Open
Wednesday, January 8, 2025	Wednesday - Early Release for grades PreK-12
Monday, January 20, 2025 *	No School - Martin Luther King, Jr. Day
Wednesday, February 5, 2025	Wednesday - Early Release for grades PreK-12
Friday, February 14, 2025	Mid-Winter Vacation Begins at the Close of School
Monday, February 17, 2025 *	President's Day [Mid-Winter Vacation: Monday, February 17 - Friday, February 21, 2025]
Monday, February 24, 2025	Monday - Schools Re-Open
Wednesday, March 5, 2025	Wednesday - Early Release for grades PreK-12
Thursday, April 17, 2025	Spring Vacation Begins at the Close of School
Friday, April 18, 2025 *	No School - Good Friday
Monday, April 21, 2025 *	Patriot's Day - [Spring Break: Monday, April 21 - Friday, April 25, 2025]
Monday, April 28, 2025	Schools Re-Open
Wednesday, May 14, 2025	Wednesday - Early Release for grades PreK-12
Monday, May 26, 2025 *	No School - Memorial Day
Friday, June 13, 2025	180th School Day - Early Release for grades PreK-12 on Last Day of School
Thursday, June 19, 2025 *	Juneteenth
Monday, June 23, 2025	185 th School Day [Includes five (5) Snow Days]

Approved by the Lowell School Committee at their meeting of: 4/17/24

* Central Administration, Family Resource Center will be closed
in observance of a holiday

Number of School Days Per Month	
August	3
September	19
October	22
November	17
December	15
January	21
February	15
March	21
April	16
May	21
June	10





2024-2025 LPSD Calendar.pdf

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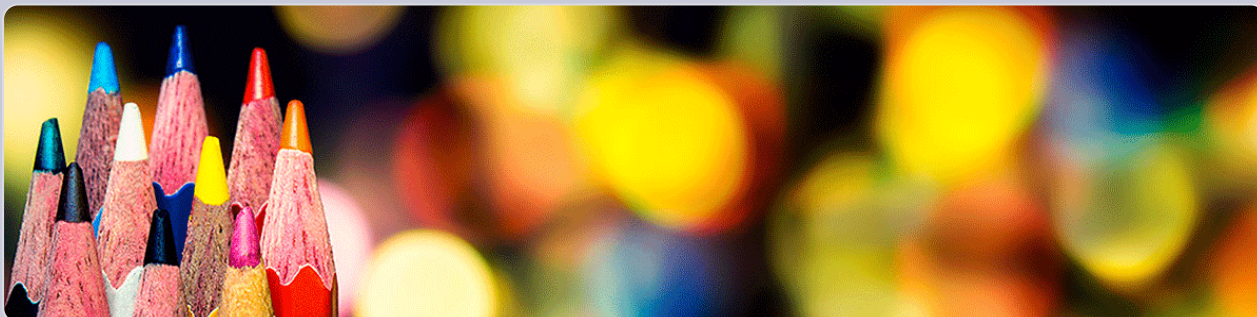
McAvinnue's School Site Council 2024-2025

McAvinnue's Site Council is a group of faculty, parents, and community stakeholders who come together to help drive the instructional focus of the McAvinnue Elementary School. We look at student data and make decisions about the school's Quality Improvement Plan and budget.



We need one additional parent to join this important group. The commitment is one, one-hour, meeting each month usually on Zoom. As we hit budget season in February-April, there will be other meetings added.

If you would like to be a part of the team, please fill out the form below. If you have questions, please reach out to Mr. Domina at mdomina@lowell.k12.ma.us.



McAvinnue's School Site Council Interest Form

Please complete the information below if you are interested in joining McAvinnue's School Site Council.

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McAvinnue's Morning Announcements Are Back!

McAvinnue's "Morning Announcements" are back once again for the 2024-2025 academic school year! We are excited to bring these back starting on Monday, September 16th!



Like we had successfully done during previous school years, a new edition of McAvinnue's "Virtual" Morning Announcements will be presented to our students on Monday, Wednesday, and Friday each week. We will continue to use Tuesday and Thursday each week to be used for "Open Circle"....our Social Emotional Learning (SEL) program that focuses on community building, prosocial decision making, and appropriate responses to daily stressors both within the school and home settings.

This will continue to be a great way to bring our school together each day focusing on the same message to get the energy, commitment, and engage up before we launch into another great day at "the best school we all know".

McAvinnue's Morning Announcements will occur on Monday, Wednesday, and Friday each week.

You can check out current and past editions of McAvinnue's Morning Announcements on our YouTube channel using the link below.

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You can check out the latest edition of McAvinnue's Morning Announcements below for last school year!

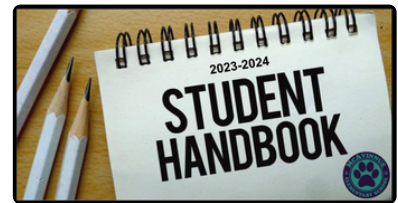
McAvinnue's Morning Announcement 10.16 2024



Parent & Family Resources

Student Handbook 2024-2025

The LPS Student Handbook is a great tool to use to fully understand the expectations of the role of our students as well as the partnership needed for our families to ensure that the school year is a great success.



You can access the district elementary student handbook by clicking the button below. You will find various policies and procedures focusing on attendance, grading, discipline, bus expectations, and more.

Please reach out directly if you have any questions.

[Click Here To Access The LPS 2024-2025 Student Handbook](#)

McAvinnue's School Attendance Information

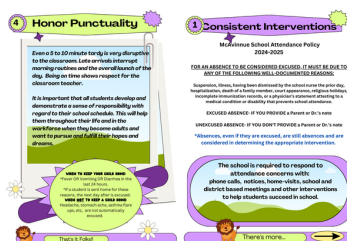
As you are aware, attending school is first step each in the learning process for our students. It is critical that our students arrive to school on time each day so that they can access all of the engaging and meaning lessons that have been planned by our teachers and related service providers.



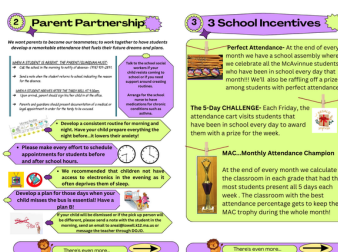
The McAvinnue Attendance Team will monitor student attendance on a weekly basis and will reach out directly to families when they notice frequent absences, a pattern of absences, or an increased number of consecutive absences within a short period of time.

Please refer to McAvinnue's Student Attendance Booklet below that will provide additional information. This booklet will be sent home with students in multiple languages. It is important that you review this information for your own awareness and to be fully prepared to support your child with the first step of the learning process...attending school on time.

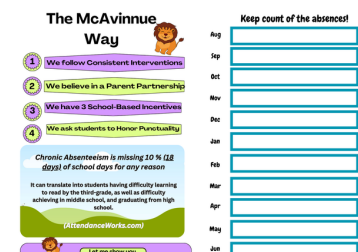
The handbook is provided in three languages below.



English

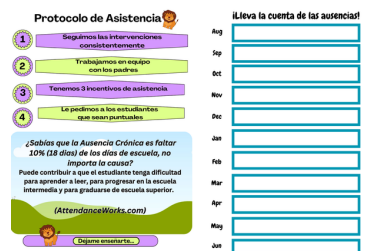
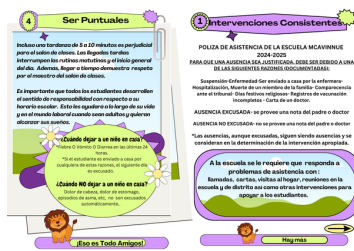
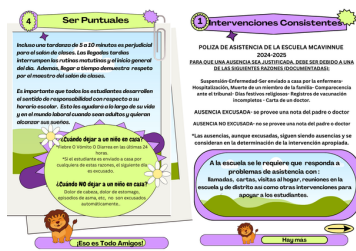


English



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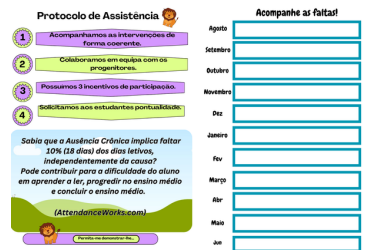
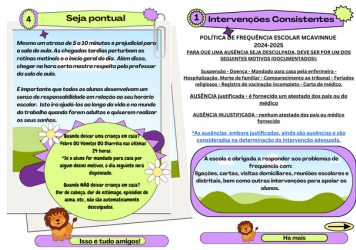




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Breakfast and Lunch Will Be Free for All LPS Students

As we reopen for the new school year, Lowell Public Schools Food and Nutrition are "Powering Potential" for students and faculty with innovations in our menus and enhancements to our overall dining operations. When your child dines with us, rest assured that we will be serving delicious, nutritious meals prepared with the utmost attention to safety. We encourage every student to fuel up with breakfast and lunch meals each day so they can be energized and prepared to succeed throughout the day, in and out of the classroom.

Please keep up to date on our program, nutrition education, monthly menus and back to school letters on the [LPS Food and Nutrition website](https://www.lowell.k12.ma.us/foodservice).

Any concerns please feel free to email foodservice@lowell.k12.ma.us





GREAT NEWS

MASSACHUSETTS PASSES PERMANENT FREE SCHOOL MEALS FOR ALL

WHY EAT SCHOOL BREAKFAST + LUNCH?

Better Productivity

Better Health

Better Days

improved focus, behavior,
& attendance rate.

good for the brain & gives
students the fuel to learn.

one less thing to worry
about & it's free!



PROJECT BREAD



October Breakfast & Lunch Menus



Breakfast MENU

October 2024
Elementary
Breakfast Menu

Check out <https://lowellk12ma.nutrislice.com/> for Menu's, Nutrition Education & Monthly Promotions! Questions or concerns please contact foodservices@lowell.k12.ma.us

All Breakfast items are whole grain. Offered Daily: 1 % and Skim Milk and Fresh Fruit All Breakfast is provided free for all students. Menu is subject to change.



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30 Cinnamon Raisin Bagel Assorted Cereal Bowls with Graham Cracker Served with Apples & Pears	1 Sausage, Egg, and Cheese Bagel Sandwich Chocolate Chip Muffin Served with Oranges & Juice	2 Apple Frudel Assorted Cereal Bars Served with Strawberries & Clementines	3 Egg and Cheese English Muffin Oatmeal Raisin Round Served with Fresh Fruit Cup & Juice	4 Breakfast Smoothie Bagel with Cream Cheese Served with Apples & Bananas
7 Maple Mini Waffles Assorted Cereal Bowl with Graham Cracker Served with Apples & Pears	8 Bacon, Egg, and Cheese Bagel Sandwich Blueberry Muffin Served with Oranges & Juice	9 Breakfast Smoothie Benefit Bar Served with Strawberries & Clementines	10 Sausage, Egg, and Cheese Wake Up Wrap UBR Round Served with Fresh Fruit Cup & Juice	11 Sausage and Cheese Pizza Bagel with Cream Cheese Served with Apples & Bananas
14 No School	15 French Toast Chocolate Chip Muffin Served with Oranges & Juice	16 Sausage, Egg, and Cheese Bagel Sandwich Oatmeal Betty Crocker Bar Served with Strawberries & Clementines	17 Blueberry Breakfast Bread Nature Valley Round Served with Fresh Fruit Cup & Juice	18 Mini Cinnamon Cream Cheese Bagel Breakfast Smoothies with a Graham Cracker Served with Apples and Bananas
21 Pumpkin Breakfast Bread Assorted Cereal Bowl with Graham Cracker Served with Apples & Pears	22 Egg and Cheese Wake Up Wrap Blueberry Muffin Served with Oranges & Juice	23 Powder Sugar Donut Assorted Cereal Bars Served with Strawberries & Clementines	24 Bacon, Egg, and Cheese on an English Muffin Oatmeal Raisin Breakfast Round Served with Fresh Fruit Cup & Juice	25 Breakfast Smoothie Bagel with Cream Cheese Served with Apples and Bananas
28 Cinnamon Roll Assorted Cereal Bowls with Graham Cracker Served with Apples & Pears	29 Mini Strawberry Filled Bagel Chocolate Chip Muffin Served with Oranges & Juice	30 Country Chicken Biscuit Assorted Cereal Bars Served with Strawberries & Clementines	31 Mini Cini Caramel Bagel Pumpkin Spiced Donut Served with Fresh Fruit Cup & Juice	1 Egg and Cheese Wake Up Wrap Bagel with Cream Cheese Served with Apples & Bananas

<div> <div> </div> <div> </div> </div> <div> <div>OCTOBER 2024</div> <div>Elementary Lunch Menu</div> </div> <div> Breakfast and Lunch are FREE for all students! Our menu consists of Whole Grains, Fresh Fruits and Vegetables. Students must take a fruit and/or vegetable with each lunch. All meals are served with the option of milk. Sunbutter and Jelly Sandwiches and Vegetarian Meals served daily. Menus are subject to change. V= Vegetarian LG=Locally Grown LTO= Limited Time Offer HOTM=Harvest of the Month </div> <div> </div>				
MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
French Toast Sticks with Chicken Sausage Hamburgers & Cheeseburgers Greek Salad with a Flatbread V LG Chicken Salad Sandwich on a Bulky Roll Tater Tots & Roasted Butternut Squash LG Apples & Peaches	World Vegetarian Day! Kickin' Bean Taco V Beef Taco Crispy Chicken Sandwich Yogurt & Fruit Power Pack V Greek Hummus Wrap V LG Chickpea Salad & Fiesta Corn Clementines & Bananas	National Apple Day! Chicken Parmesan with Penne Cheese Quesadilla V Greek Salad with a Flatbread LG Chicken Salad Sandwich on a Bulky Roll Roasted Green Beans & Carrots LG Apples & Berry Cup	General Tso Popcorn Chicken with Fried Rice Chicken Tenders with a Dinner Roll Veggie Nuggets with a Dinner Roll V Yogurt & Fruit Power Pack V Greek Chicken Wrap LG Broccoli & Carrots LG Oranges & Apples	Cheese Pizza V Pepperoni Pizza Greek Salad with a Flatbread LG Chicken Salad Sandwich on a Bulky Roll Red Pepper Strips & Side Salad LG Apples & Bananas
Chicken & Vegetable Dumplings with Veggies Edamame Dumplings with Veggies V Chicken Parm Sub Kale Chicken Caesar Salad with Flatbread LG Ham and Cheese Sandwich Broccoli & Carrots LG Apples & Pears	Chicken Fajita with Tortilla Wrap Hamburgers & Cheeseburgers Black Bean Burger V Pizza Platter Chicken Caesar Wrap LG Roasted Chickpeas & Cucumber Clementines & Apples	Shepherd's Pie with a Dinner Roll Vegetarian Nuggets with A Roll V Fish and Chips with Coleslaw and A Dinner Roll Kale Chicken Caesar Salad LG Ham and Cheese Sandwich Corn & Carrots LG Bananas & Berry Cup	Wally's Boomini Nachos Wally's Boomini Bean Nachos V Bosco Cheese Sticks with Mamiara V Pizza Platter Chicken Caesar Wrap LG Green Beans & Carrots LG Pears & Fresh Fruit Cup	Sausage Pizza Day! Cheese Pizza V Chicken Sausage Pizza Pizza Platter Chicken Caesar Wrap LG Red Pepper Strips & Side Salad LG Apples & Bananas
No School Indigenous People's Day National School Lunch Week!	Lowell Grande Nachos Chipotle Cheesy Bean Nachos V Crispy Chicken Sandwich Pretzel Platter V Turkey BLT Sub LG Kickin Beans & Corn Clementines & Apples	Buffalo Chicken Mac and Cheese Mac and Cheese V Hamburger & Cheeseburger Asian Chicken Salad with Flatbread LG Tuna Salad Sandwich Cucumbers & Carrots LG Bananas & Berry Cups	LTO: Cheesy Enchilada Chorizo Bake Pizza Crunchers V Pretzel Platter V Turkey BLT Sub LG Roasted Veggies & Green Beans Pears & Fresh Fruit Cup	Cheese Pizza V Buffalo Chicken Pizza Asian Chicken Salad with Flatbread LG Tuna Salad Sandwich Red Pepper Strips & Side Salad LG Apples & Bananas
Country Chicken Bowl with Corn Muffin Country Vegetarian Nugget Bowl with Corn Muffin V Omelet with a Corn Muffin V Ham Chef Salad with Flatbread LG Italian Sub Broccoli & Carrots LG Apple & Peaches	Walking Taco Tuesday! Beef Walking Taco Hamburgers & Cheeseburgers Kickin Bean Taco V Bagel Power Pack V Moroccan Harissa Wrap LG Kickin Beans & Fiesta Corn Clementines & Apples	HOTM: Waffles with Chicken Sausage and Pear Compote Penne Bolognese with a Breadstick Ham Chef Salad with Flatbread LG Italian Sub Cucumbers & Carrots LG Bananas & Berry Cup	Black Bean, Pork, Plantain & Rice Bowl Crispy Chicken Sandwich Veggie Nuggets with a Dinner Roll V Bagel Power Pack V Moroccan Harissa Wrap LG Green Beans & Carrots LG Pears & Fresh Fruit Cup	Cheese Pizza V Big Mac Pizza Ham Chef Salad with Flatbread LG Italian Sub Red Pepper Strips & Side Salad LG Apples & Bananas
Deluxe Chicken Sandwich with our Honey Bee Sauce Hot Pretzel Dippers V Chicken Caesar Salad with Flatbread LG Turkey and Cheese Sandwich Pickled Cucumbers & Waffle Fries Apples & Pears	Arroz con Pollo Rainbow Flatbread V Chocolate Hummus Platter V Ham and Cheese Sub LG Street Corn Salad & Carrots LG Clementines & Apples	Lok Lak Chicken Tenders with a Dinner Roll Veggie Nuggets with a Dinner Roll V Chicken Caesar Salad with Flatbread LG Turkey and Cheese Sandwich Roasted Chickpeas & Carrots LG Bananas & Berry Cup	Happy Halloween! Chili Garlic Popcorn Chicken Lo Mein Pizza Crunchers V Chocolate Hummus Platter V Ham and Cheese Sub LG Celery Sticks & Kale Caesar Salad LG Blood Oranges & Fresh Fruit Cup	Cheese Pizza V Hawaiian Pizza Chicken Caesar Salad with Flatbread LG Turkey and Cheese Sandwich Red Pepper Strips & Side Salad LG Apples & Bananas

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McAvinnue Spirit Gear By Prep Sportswear

We have an online store if you wish to order any McAvinnue gear! It is open 24 hours per day and there is no due date for orders. Anytime you want to order...on any day!

The company is Prep Sportswear and has been reliable with solid product quality from reputable brands.

There is a 30% off deal occurring now on all items! This is a major discount if you are interested in purchasing McAvinnue merchandise.

Like during previous school years, we are also exploring additional local options to purchase McAvinnue gear. Stay tuned for more information in the month of September.

To access our current online store for McAvinnue spirit gear, please click the link below.



Click To Access Prep Sportswear Spirit Gear

General Information

How can I update my contact information (phone number/email/address)?

- Go online to the Family Resource Webpage (<https://www.lowell.k12.ma.us/UpdateContactInfo>) and fill out the "contact us" form. Families who don't have access to the internet can fill out the form in person at the Family Resource Center. If an address change is related to economic factors or housing instability (family moves in with relatives, eviction, hotel/motel, fire or unsheltered, please contact the McKinney Vento Office located at the Family Resource Center in person (151 Merrimack Street), by phone (978-674-4321) or go to the webpage at <https://www.lowell.k12.ma.us/HomelessAssistance>.



How do I update my emergency contacts?

- If you were in the school last year we will send a verification sheet out. if you are new we will send home an emergency form to fill out on the first day of school.

How do I register my child for the new school year?

- All school registrations are completed online using a computer or laptop. You can access the online application by going to <https://www.lowell.k12.ma.us/SchoolRegistration>. If you only have a mobile device and don't have access to a computer or laptop, you can register in person at the Family Resource Center (151 Merrimack Street). Please call the Family Resource Center if you have any questions (978-674-4321).

What should I do if I need to register my child(ren) and I don't speak English?

- The Lowell Public Schools is committed to providing translation and interpretation services for families who require assistance in a language other than English. The online registration application and website is translated in Spanish and Portuguese and can be accessed by going to <https://www.lowell.k12.ma.us/SchoolRegistration>. For all other languages, please call Vannak Khin at (978) 328-6782 to arrange services. In-person language interpretation support for registration can be accessed by visiting the Lowell Public Schools at 151 Merrimack Street. Families can also call the Family Resource Center at (978) 674-4321 to make an appointment with a Bilingual Family Liaison.

How old does my child need to be to enroll in preschool or kindergarten?

- A child must turn 4 years old on or before September 1, 2023, in order to apply for preschool and 5 by September 1 to apply for kindergarten. A family can apply for preschool by going to <https://www.lowell.k12.ma.us/PreschoolRegistration> to fill out an online application or <https://www.lowell.k12.ma.us/KindergartenRegistration> for kindergarten. For registration questions, please call (978) 674-4321.

How do I apply for a transfer for my child to change schools in the new year?

- Per the 2023-2024 School Assignment Policy, all students have the option to request one school transfer per year.
- Families can apply online at <https://www.lowell.k12.ma.us/SchoolTransfer> or can come to the Family Resource Center in-person to complete the application. Transfers are assigned on a space availability basis.

Community Connections & Opportunities



Community Connections

Girls Lacrosse Registration Now Open!

Registration is now open for Girls Lacrosse for Spring 2025 for girls in grades K-8 (new K program this year!).

To register: www.lowellgirlslacrosse.com

The season will run from the middle of February to June!

LGL Registration is OPEN for Spring 2025!

LGL Littles (new Kindergarten program for 2025)

Grades 1/2

Grades 3/4

Grades 5/6

Grades 7/8

Season runs mid-February through beginning of June

Register online @ lowellgirlslacrosse.com

Learn more about our programs on LGL's Teams and FAQs pages!

✉ Questions, please email lowellgirlsyouthlacrosse@gmail.com



Lowell Youth Boys Lacrosse Registration Now Open!

Lowell Youth Lacrosse Spring 2025 registration is now open for boys in grades 1-8. To register: <https://lowellyouthlax.com>

Practice session begin in March with game play occurring on Sundays.

Financial aid is available if needed.

LOWELL YOUTH LACROSSE SPRING 2025 REGISTRATION NOW OPEN

UNTIL FEBRUARY 22, 2025

FIRST TIME PLAYERS WELCOME
BOYS GRADES 1-8

FINANCIAL AID
AVAILABLE

PRACTICES BEGIN IN MARCH
GAMES ARE ON SUNDAYS



INQUIRE ABOUT OUR
LEARN TO PLAY
PROGRAM



REGISTER ONLINE TODAY!

www.lowellyouthlax.com



lowellyouthlacrosse@yahoo.com

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Pumpkin Palooza

Thursday October 24 from 4:30 p.m. to 6 p.m. the Lowell Public Schools Early Childhood Department is hosting a Pumpkin Palooza at the McAuliffe Elementary School (570 Beacon St.) Join us for pumpkin decorating, face painting, games, and more!

To register: <https://docs.google.com/.../1FAIpQLSeoBnNutUd48N.../viewform>



YMCA Trunk or Treat and Pumpkin Palooza

On Tuesday October 29, we are partnering with our friends at the Greater Lowell Family YMCA for a Trunk or Treat and Pumpkin Palooza from 5:30 p.m. to 7 p.m. at the YMCA next to the train station on Thorndike Street.

To register: <https://forms.office.com/pages/responsepage.aspx...>



The Greater Lowell Family YMCA and Lowell Public
Schools are proud to partner for these
spooktacular events!

TRUNK OR TREAT! AND PUMPKIN PALOOZA!

October 29th, 5:30pm to 7pm

Hosted at the Lowell YMCA



Join us for an evening of treats, crafts, and games!
This event is open to everyone in the community!



For any questions email
Ashley Goroski at
agoroski@lowellymca.org OR
Anna Hueston at
ahueston@lowell.k12.ma.us

For more information on hosting a trunk, donations
and to register to attend, scan the QR code!



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LOWELL PUBLIC SCHOOLS (LPS) CFCE PROGRAM IS FUNDED BY THE COORDINATED FAMILY & COMMUNITY
ENGAGEMENT GRANT AWARDED TO THE LPS BY THE DEPARTMENT OF EARLY EDUCATION AND CARE.

Free Flu Clinics

That nasty flu season is quickly approaching! Don't worry - the Lowell Health Department has got you covered. They will be holding two FREE public flu clinics - Tuesday October 22nd and Tuesday October 29th from 4 PM - 6 PM at 107 Merrimack St.

For more information and to register: <https://lowellma.gov/1853/Vaccine-Clinic>



Get your **FREE** flu vaccine at the Lowell Health Department!

Tuesday, October 22, 2024
Tuesday, October 29, 2024

4:00PM-6:00PM

Lowell Health Department
107 Merrimack St

REGISTER TODAY!



Scan or visit
lowellma.gov/VaccineClinics

- Appointments strongly encouraged; walk-ins welcome.
- Register for your appointment by scanning the QR code or visiting www.lowellma.gov/vaccineclinics.
- This is a free clinic. If you have health insurance, please bring your card(s) with you. If you do not have insurance, your vaccine will still be free. **You will never receive a bill for a vaccine received at this clinic. You do not need an ID or other paperwork to receive a vaccine at this clinic.**
- If you can't make it to our clinic hours or need to receive your vaccine at home, please call the Public Health Nursing Division at (978) 674-4308.



Monster Bash in Lowell

MonsterBash returns on October 26th from 12:00 PM - 3:00 PM!

Join in the fun at Lowell City Hall for the Haunted House, and trick or treat at downtown businesses!

Community organizations will table on JFK Plaza with kid's activities and candy, and Kosmic Kelly will show off some spooky science. Make sure to grab a photo with the Ghostbusters car!

This event is produced in partnership with the Kiwanis Club of Greater Lowell and the Office of Cultural Affairs and Special Events.

The trick-or-treat map will be posted here closer to the event.

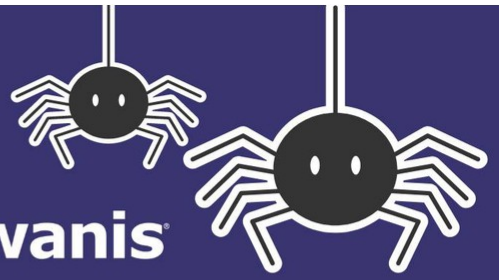
More information at www.likelowell.com/monsterbash.

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MONSTERBASH

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 26, 2024



2024 Trick or Treat Locations

1. **Cobblestones of Lowell** 91 Dutton St.
 2. **Lazy Cat Lounge** 177 Merrimack St.
 3. **Community Teamwork Inc.** 155 Merrimack St.
 4. **Little Delights Bakery** 138 Merrimack St.
 5. **Tea-Do** 127 Merrimack St.
 6. **El Potro Mexican Grill** 124 Merrimack St.
 7. **City of Lowell Health Dept.** 107 Merrimack St.
 8. **Koto Asian Fusion Restaurant** 76 Merrimack St.
 9. **Time Out Cafe and Eatery** 72 Merrimack St.
 10. **Fuse Bistro** 45 Palmer St.
 11. **Tremonte Pizzeria** 44 Palmer St.
 12. **The Collective by Banyan & Birch** 51 Market St.
 13. **Lowell General Store** 53 Market St.
 14. **Brew'd Awakening Coffeehaus** 61 Market St.
 15. **lala books** 189 Market St.
 16. **Allura Salon & Spa** 173 Market St.
 17. **Pizzelle** 201 Market St.
 18. **Brush Art Gallery & Studios** 256 Market St.
 19. **Arts League of Lowell** 307 Market St.
 20. **Gormley's Cafe** 343 Market St.
 21. **Panela** 525 Market St.
 22. **Nibbana Cafe** 12 Cardinal O'Connell Pkwy.
 23. **Worthen House Cafe** 141 Worthen St.
 24. **Lowell Ink** 161 Worthen St.
 25. **Shear D'Zines** 11 Central St.
 26. **NFI MA** 27 Prescott St.
 27. **Craic Sauce** 15 Warren St.
 28. **The Social Pup** 34 Jackson St.
 29. **Mill No. 5** 250 Jackson St.
-Multiple businesses on 4th & 5th floor
- ★ **Lowell City Hall** 375 Merrimack St.
- 📖 **Family Quiet Spaces**
Pollard Memorial Library - 401 Merrimack St.
City of Lowell Health Dept. - 107 Merrimack St.
- 🎃 **St. Anne's Episcopal Church** 8 Kirk St.
- 🎵 **Pumpkins & Pints** 222 Merrimack St.

Cub Scout Pack 7 is looking for new cubs to join their pack! Tons of fun and learning experiences for all kids in Kindergarten through Grade 5. For more information, visit www.pack7lowell.com

Pack 7 meets at St. Rita's Church directly across from McAvinnue!



Cub Scout Pack 7 is a Family Pack for both girls and boys in kindergarten through fifth grades



In partnership with FEMA—Cub Scouting is offering fun and play filled 'Be Prepared' emergency preparedness programming for youth. Kids will have a great time and learn to Be Prepared via camping, group hiking, learning to use basic tools, archery, developing communication skills and lots of playing.



Visit www.Pack7Lowell.com to find about our next open house or to visit one of our weekly den meetings and learn about the year-long programming.

Meeting Location — St. Rita Hall
(158 Mammoth Rd., Lowell)

www.Pack7Lowell.com

join@pack7lowell.com



Be A Girl Scout

Interested in joining the Girl Scouts Of America? Check out the information below for an event on Tuesday, September 17th at 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM at the Pollard Library in Lowell.

To sign up for Girl Scouts of Eastern Massachusetts, please use the link below.

gsema.org/jion





Your Year of Adventure

- ✓ Hike to the highest point in your town.
- ✓ Learn a new outdoor skill.
- ✓ Take on challenges with confidence.

Each day as a Girl Scout brings thrills and out-of-this-world experiences. Don't miss your chance to make new friends and be part of a journey you'll never forget! Find your squad and get ready for amazing adventures.

Be a Girl Scout
gsema.org/join

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of eastern
massachusetts

Start your Girl Scout journey in Lowell at our FREE Try Girl Scouts event!

**Tuesday, September 16
6 - 7 PM**
**Pollard Memorial Library
401 Merrimack Road
Lowell**

*Bring your grown-up(s) along.
Scan code to RSVP or visit
www.gsema.org/eventsup2*



Fall Playgroup Opportunities

The Lowell Public Schools' Coordinated Family and Community Engagement Program holds weekly playgroups for children under 5-years-old and their families.

You can access the registration form below.

[Click Here To Register](#)

**Click Here
to Register**



Equity, Excellence, Empowerment.

Early Childhood Department

Coordinated Family and Community Engagement

Starting September 17, 2024 FALL PLAYGROUPS



Lowell Public Schools' CFCE program provides weekly playgroups for young children under the age of five and their families! Sing songs, read books, engage in activities and share ideas with peers. Join the fun and invite your friends! Click on the link above to register.

Tuesdays	Wednesdays	Thursdays	Fridays
Sept. 17 - Dec. 10 10am-11am	Sept. 18 - Dec. 11 10am-11am	Sept. 19 - Dec. 12 10am-11am	Sept. 20 - Dec. 13 10am-11am
Location #1: YMCA, 35 YMCA Dr. Language Support: English	Location #1: IINE, 101 Jackson St, Suite 2 Language Support: Spanish	Location: YMCA, 35 YMCA Dr. Language Support: English	Location #1: Pollard Memorial Library, 401 Merrimack St. Language Support: Spanish
Location #2: Lowell Housing Authority, 580 Chelmsford St Language Support: Khmer	Location #2: St. Rita's 158 Mammoth Rd Language Support: Khmer		Location #2: St. Rita's 158 Mammoth Rd Language Support: Spanish

For questions call 978-967-6784

Visit the Lowell Public Schools calendar and Early
Childhood homepage for more information
www.lowell.k12.ma.us

Lowell Public Schools (LPS) CFCE program is funded by the
Coordinated Family & Community Engagement grant awarded to the LPS by
the Department of Early Education and Care.



Community Resources & Daycare Options for Families

Looking for before or after school daycare options for your child?
Here is a short list of options and information for your
consideration.

Here is a list of daycare options in Lowell:

- **Community Team Work (CTI):** (978) 454-5100
 - Families who are already enrolled in a CTI program...
 - Call or text school-age coordinators to request a slot
 - Billy 978-995-0028, wma@commteam.org
 - Karen 978-729-7216, kshannon@commteam.org



- Families who are not enrolled in a CTI program
 - If you've filled out a CTI application in the past...
 - Contact Karen (978) 729-7216, kshannon@commteam.org to see if where you are on the waitlist (if there is a waitlist)
 - If you've never filled out a CTI application...
 - Fill out an application at 17 Kirk St., 126 Phoenix Ave
 - Or call the main CTI number (978) 454-5100 to request an email version of the application.
- **YMCA:** (978) 454-7825; 1 YMCA Dr in Lowell
 - Karen Espinola is the school-age director
 - Fill out a application online or at the YMCA to request a slot
 - Debbie Doben is the preschool director if your child is preschool age
- **Family Childcare:** Call programs to see if they have openings near you
 - Bethel Family Childcare (978) 458-6577
 - Clarendon Family Childcare (978) 454-3026
 - Child Development and Learning (CDE) (978) 275-2843
 - ACRE Family Childcare (978) 937-5899
 - CTI: See above contact information
- **Girls Inc:** (978) 458-6529, 220; Worthen St. in Lowell
 - Accept girls ages 5-14 years old
 - Accept Child Care Circuit vouchers, DCF vouchers, and private pay (income-based, sliding scale)
 - Call Pam Lerocque (Director of Finance & Administration) to check on openings
- **Boys and Girls Club:** (978) 458-4526; 657 Middlesex St in Lowell
 - School-age openings for after-school
 - Teens who are working with the Department of Children and Families can call BGC or DCF to see if they're eligible



The Family Leadership Institute provides families with the knowledge and skills to partner with schools and communities to ensure their children achieve their full potential.

Throughout the year, the FLI runs a variety of programs including: survival English classes, family college visits, mental health and financial literacy workshops, and more. For more information about the FLI visit: <https://www.lowell.k12.ma.us/Page/5263> or email FLI Director Zoe Dzineku at zdzineku@lowell.k12.ma.us.

Local Food Support

Do you need support with food options for your family. No need to worry...there are many local groups that can offer support for you during your time of need.

Click the link below for a list of local food pantries that are willing to help.



You can also reach out to Mrs. De La Luz, McAvinnue's Social Worker, for support navigating these and other options at adelaluz@lowell.k12.ma.us.



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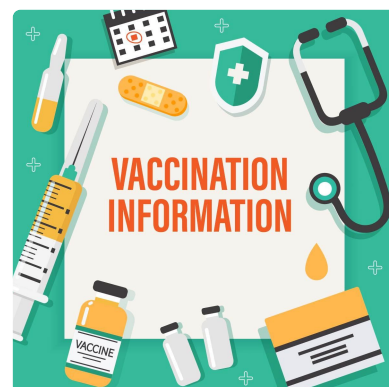
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Community Vaccination Information

Click the link below to see a comprehensive list of local vaccination options for your child.

Please keep in mind that certain vaccinations are required for students to participate in learning at all Lowell Public Schools.

If you have any questions regarding vaccination requirements, please contact Nurse Danielle at the school. She will be glad to help you out and provide you with the information that you require or request.



Community vaccination sites.pdf

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McAvinnue's Family Read-A-Loud: "Boo Stew"

📖 Kids Book Read Aloud: BOO STEW by Donna L. Washington and Jeffery Ebbeler



McAvinnue's School Website

Check out our school website where you can find a wealth of information including school news, calendars, and other events.

Please visit our website at:

<https://www.lowell.k12.ma.us/mcavinnue>



Follow McAvinnue On Social Media

You can follow McAvinnue on social media at the following sites! We update things daily and this is a great way to stay in touch with all of the amazing things that are happening inside and out of "the best school we all know"!

Click the buttons below to access our social media sites!



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Our Vision

McAvinnue Elementary School is a place...where there are high expectations, where students are academically engaged, where instruction is guided by a systematic approach to examine data, where there is a multi-tiered system of support, and where a responsive environment that fosters social emotional connections between faculty and students prevails.

#McAvinnuePride #BeTheDifference #NextLevel

Email: mdomina@lowell.k12.ma.us

Website: <https://www.lowell.k12.ma.us/Domain/21>

Location: 131 Mammoth Road, Lowell, MA, USA

Phone: (978) 937-2871

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Twitter: [@McAvinnueLPS](https://twitter.com/McAvinnueLPS)



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