

# Rosa Parks Kindergarten Academy

March 14, 2025

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## **Have a Wonderful Spring Break! School Resumes on March 31.**

Hello RPKA Families,

We had a wonderful week celebrating reading. Students heard guest readers, read by flashlight, dressed as favorite book characters and more. Be sure to check out the pictures from this fantastic celebration of reading.

I hope you all have a relaxing and fabulous spring break. School will resume on Monday, March 31.

Thank you for all you do for your child at home. We couldn't do this without you!

Respectfully,  
Angela Swails  
Principal  
Rosa Parks Kindergarten Academy

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# School Smiles

## On-site Dental Care



### student-signup - School Smiles

In-school Dental Services provided include: cleaning, fluoride treatment, x-rays, sealants, fillings, crowns, extractions. If you would like to have your child seen by the dentist at school you must complete the information below.

[schoolsmiles.com](https://www.schoolsmiles.com)

## March Shining Stars!



Congratulations to our March Shining Stars! These students stand out for living out our motto of "Treat People Right and Do the Right Thing" We are so proud of our Shining Stars!

# 2025-2026 Kindergarten Registration Information

Kindergarten registration will begin on January 6, 2025 for those students who will be entering Kindergarten in the Fall of 2025. The student must turn 5 years old on or before August 1, 2025 in order

to register. There is a waiver process for children with a birthdate after August 1 st up to August 15th.

The Kindergarten Academy your student will attend is determined by your residence only and not where

other siblings may be attending. To determine which Kindergarten Academy your child will attend, please go to the Perry Township website at [perryschools.org](http://perryschools.org). Go to the For Parents tab, click on Enrollment, and Boundary Map.

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## Upcoming Dates

- March 17-28 - Spring Break
- March 31- School Resumes

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## Bus Reminder

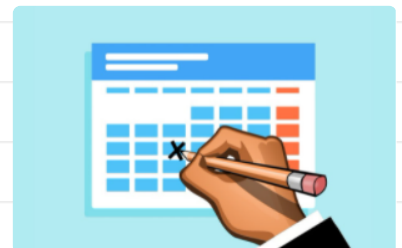
Please remember to be at the bus stop in the morning 10 minutes before your bus is scheduled to arrive. This greatly helps our bus drivers deliver our children safely and on time to school! Thank you for your help with this!



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## Save the Date

Please be sure to open the SAVE DATE DOCUMENT to see the activities and events we have planned for this **exciting school year**.





## Opportunities for your child to try something new!

**Camp Invention®**

**FUN & CREATIVITY COLLIDE AT**

**CAMP INVENTION**

**LEARN MORE AT [INVENT.ORG/CAMP](https://www.invent.org/camp)**

A fourth grader finds fun in physics with her magnetic penguin pal.

An instructor empowers a third grader to build creative problem-solving skills while designing her own claw machine.

A second grader gains confidence as he wires his transmitter and sends Morse code messages.



## A TYPICAL DAY AT THE ALL-NEW 2025 CAMP INVENTION®

Give your child a summer experience that builds confidence, creativity and imagination! Campers team up with friends to explore open-ended STEM challenges led by qualified educators and guaranteed to be full of hands-on FUN!

**A.M. BASE CAMP:** Drop off your camper with qualified local educators who start each day with games that ignite creativity.



### CLAW ARCADE™

Campers unleash nature-inspired creativity to make their own claw machines with unique prizes, then give a confidence-boosting pitch to hook investors!



### PENGUIN LAUNCH™

Campers team up for an eco-expedition as they investigate Antarctica with a robotic assistant, then design launchers to propel plush penguins across snowy landscapes!

**GAMES & LUNCH:** Half the campers head outside to play action-packed games while the others eat lunch — and then they switch.



### IN CONTROL™

Campers take the driver's seat on the ultimate road trip as they design a custom control panel and navigate their journey with help from GPS and AI tools!



### ILLUSION WORKSHOP™

When they explore the science behind special effects, campers uncover optical illusions in movies, art and animation before building their own moving props!

**P.M. BASE CAMP:** The day wraps up as campers wind down with problem-solving games.

*All images feature actual campers enjoying our new 2025 program.*

### SECURE YOUR SPOT TODAY!

Register at [INVENT.ORG/CAMP](https://www.invent.org/camp) or 800-968-4332

**Grades:** K - 6th

**Location:** Abraham Lincoln Elementary School  
5241 Brehob Road, Indianapolis, IN 46217

**Dates:** June 16 - 20, 2025

**Time & Cost:** 9:00 AM to 3:30 PM | \$275 (before discount) | Less than \$9 per hour!

*Sibling Discount (up to \$40 off per child) and Payment Plans Available at [INVENT.ORG/CISAVE](https://www.invent.org/cisave)*

**Camp Director:** Lindsay Compton | [lcompton@perryschools.org](mailto:lcompton@perryschools.org)

SAVE \$25 WITH CODE  
**FUN25**  
AT [INVENT.ORG/CAMP](https://www.invent.org/camp)  
Offer expires March 20, 2025

Scan the QR Code  
to register!



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## SOUTHSIDE INDY AQUATICS SWIM TEAM & SWIM LESSON EVALUATIONS

Come to Southport High School (Door 8) any time between 6-7 pm on Tuesday, April 1 or Thursday, April 3 for a quick evaluation in the water for summer swim lessons or swim team. Please have athletes bring a swim suit and towels, and goggles if they have them. Swim team practices begin Monday, April 7 and Swim Lessons begin Tuesday, April 8. Visit [www.southsideindyaquatics.com](https://www.southsideindyaquatics.com) for more information or e-mail questions to [lcox@southsideindyaquatics.com](mailto:lcox@southsideindyaquatics.com)



**INDIANA CENTRAL LITTLE LEAGUE**

**Register Now!**

**for the 2025 Season**

**BASEBALL and SOFTBALL**

**for more details go to [www.icll.info](http://www.icll.info)**

T-ball (4-6) & Coach Pitch (6-8) \$65—Minor Baseball Player/Coach Pitch (8-10) \$80



Major Baseball (10-12) \$80—Senior Baseball (12-16) \$100

Minor Softball Player/Coach Pitch (8-10) \$80

Major Softball (10-12) \$80



**GET A 10% DISCOUNT IF REGISTERED & PAID BY 3/1/25**

**COUPON CODE - 549819**





### 2025 Dates

Registration ends	April 1 <sup>st</sup>
Coaches Meeting	April 13 <sup>th</sup>
Practice Start	April 15 <sup>th</sup>
Opening Day	April 26 <sup>th</sup>
Closing Day	June 21 <sup>st</sup>

### DIVISION/AGE COST

Tee Ball	4-6	\$100
Rookie/Instructional	6-9	\$125
Minors	8-11	\$175
Majors	10-12	\$175
Juniors/Seniors	13-15	\$175



**Little  
League**

[www.southportlittleleague.com](http://www.southportlittleleague.com)

Player divisions determined by age as well as skill level and team availability

Come out and enjoy a few months of baseball and fun! Each registration comes with jersey and hat, and all divisions, except Junior/Senior, comes with a Knothole Club membership for each player to attend Indianapolis Indians games.

## Lunch Menu





## KINDERGARTEN ACADEMY LUNCH MENU 2024-2025 2nd SEMESTER

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
<b>Week 1</b>	Chicken Smackers with WG Dinner Roll ★ Mashed Potatoes	Bean & Cheese Burrito ➤ Corn or Refried Beans	Mozzarella Sticks with Marinara Sauce ➤ Green Beans	Hamburger or Cheeseburger on WG Bun ★ Potato Emojis	Cheese ➤ or Pepperoni 4x6" Pizza Broccoli or Baby Carrots with Dip
<b>Week 2</b>	Chicken Tenders with WG Dinner Roll ★ Mashed Potatoes	Bosco Sticks with Marinara Sauce ➤ Green Beans	Mac 'n Cheese Bites ➤ Baked Beans	French Toast Sticks with Eggstravaganza ★ Seasoned Potatoes	Cheese ➤ or Pepperoni Pizza Slice Broccoli or Baby Carrots with Dip
<b>Week 3</b>	Chicken Patty on WG Bun ★ Baked Beans	Grilled Cheese Sandwich ➤ Potato Emojis	Yogurt with Cheese Stick and Muffin ➤ Baby Carrots with Dip	Chicken Nuggets with WG Dinner Roll ★ Green Beans	Tony's Personal Pan Cheese ➤ or Peppperoni Pizza Broccoli or Baby Carrots with Dip
<div>WG = whole grain ➤ = vegetarian (no meat) ★ = vegetarian version/alternative available (see detailed menu) P = contains pork</div> <div><b>Second entrée options:</b> M,W,F PBJ Uncrustable (2.6 oz) with Cheese Stick and Cheez-Its or Cheddar Goldfish ➤ T/TH PBJ Uncrustable (2.6 oz) with Cheese Stick and Grahams ➤</div> <div>Students must take a fruit or vegetable to be considered a reimbursable meal</div>					

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A vegetarian option is now available. Please contact the front office if you are interested in this option.

## Breakfast Menu





## KINDERGARTEN ACADEMY BREAKFAST MENU 2024-2025 2nd SEMESTER

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Week 1	Eggo Bites ➤ (Cook's Choice)	Breakfast Pizza Bagel ★ (Nardone's product contains meat & pork) <sup>P</sup>	WG Donut Holes in a Cup ➤	Otis Spunkmeyer WG Muffin ➤ (2 oz)	Pillsbury Mini Cinni ➤
Week 2	WG Pop Tart ➤ (1 ct)	WG Breakfast Bar ➤ (Dunkin' Sticks)	WG Breakfast Burrito ★	UBR Bar ➤	Pillsbury Muffin ➤
WG = whole grain					
➤ = vegetarian (no meat)					
★ = vegetarian version/alternative available (see detailed menu)					
<sup>P</sup> = contains pork					
Fruit, Juice, & Low Fat/Skim Milk offered daily			Students must take a fruit or juice to be considered a reimbursable meal		

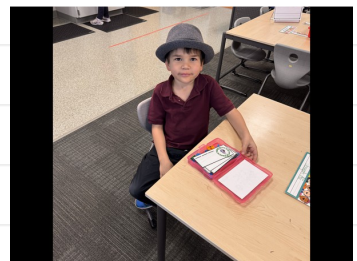
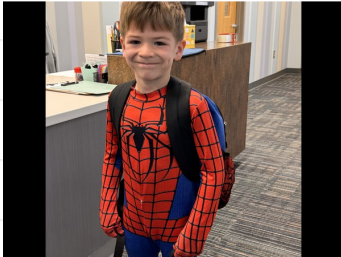
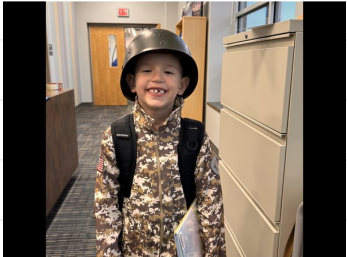
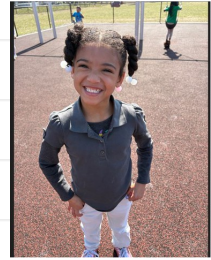
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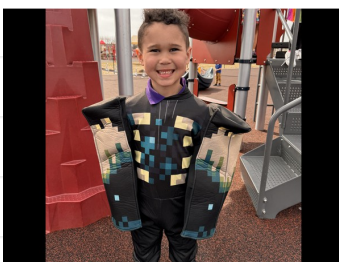
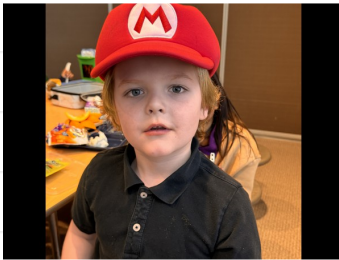
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## Check out our STARS!











Thank you to AIRE SERV for providing our car rider tags! Please remember AIRE SERV for you heating and air conditioning needs!



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