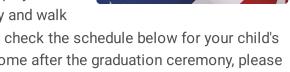
Rosa Parks Kindergarten Academy

May 23, 2025

NO SCHOOL MONDAY, 5/26/2025

Hello RPKA Families.

Next week we will hold our graduation celebrations! I hope you'll be able to join us as our students participate in a ceremony and walk



across our stage to receive their certificates. Be sure to check the schedule below for your child's graduation day and time. If you plan to take your child home after the graduation ceremony, please be sure to have your ID with you.

Due to graduation ceremonies and other classroom events, students will NOT be eating lunch at their normal times next week. Please do NOT plan to have lunch with your child this last week of school. Thank you for understanding.

Please plan to dine at Fiesta Ranchera on Tuesday, 5/27, for our final dine and donate event. Thank you for all your support!

I want to thank you all for a wonderful year! Our STARS have been amazing! They have grown and learned so much this year and are ready for first grade! Thank you so much for sharing your child with us! What a privilege it has been to work with all of our RPKA families!

Have a wonderful weekend!

Respectfully, Angela Swails Principal Rosa Parks Kindergarten Academy

Kindergarten Graduation!



MEDICINE PICK UP

If your child has medication in the clinic, please plan to pick it up by the last day of school, Thursday, 5/29. Any medication that is not picked up will be discarded. Per School Board Policy 5330, medication for students in grades K-8 "may be released only to the



student's parent/guardian or to an individual who is 18 years of age or older and who has been deisgnated, in writing, by the student's parent/guardian to receive the medication." Any emergency medications, including inhalers and EpiPens, should not be picked up until the last day of school. We appreciate your help!



Congratulations to our May 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!

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT FROM MRS. COOLMAN:

Please return all library books. If your child has an outstanding book I will be sending home a notice (with a picture) to help your child find and return the book. Thank you!



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 <u>perryschools.org</u>. Go to the For Parents tab, click on Enrollment, and Boundary Map.

Upcoming Dates

- May 26- NO SCHOOL
- May 27th and May 28th Kindergarten Graduation
- May 27th Fiesta Dine to Donate
- May 29th Last day of school

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!



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**.





Save the Date 2024-2025.pdf

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Opportunities for your child to try something new!

SOUTHSIDE INDY AQUATICS SWIM LESSONS

June swim lesson registration is open! Classes are 30 minutes long and will be in the Perry Meridian High School pool. Once a week and twice a week classes are available. Register online at https://www.southsideindyaquatics.com or mai to: lessons@southsideindyaquatics.com



Falcon Youth Sports

Summer 2025

Dear Parents,
Below you will find opportunities for your child to participate in various athletic activities being offered at Perry this summer. When registering your athletes, please use the grade they will be entering into for the 2025/2026 school year. Please reach out if you have any questions or need help registering!

Future Falcon Flight Academy	Multi-Sport Try It Out Camp! June 3-5 (9:00am-11:30am) Location: Perry Meridian High School Grades K-5 can try 10 different sports! Registration Link Questions? Contact pdouglass@perryschools.org			
Boys Basketball	Grades 1 & 2 and Non-Travel 3 & 4 Summer Camp June 16-20 Grades 1 & 2 @ 1:00pm-2:00pm Grades 3 & 4 @ 2:00pm-3:00pm Location: Douglas MacArthur Elementary Registration Link Questions? Contact mmcfarland@perryschools.org			
	Grades 3 & 4 Travel and all 5-8 Summer Camp June 2-6 and June 9-12 (1:00pm-3:00pm) Location: Perry Meridian High School Registration Link Questions? Contact mmcfarland@perryschools.org			
Girls Basketball	Grades K-8 Summer Camp ■ July 21-23 (12:00pm-1:30pm) ■ Location: Perry Meridian High School Registration Link Questions? Contact kdstafford@perryschools.org			
Cheer	Fall Football Cheerleading • K-6 • REGISTRATION ENDS SOON! Registration Link Questions? Contact ssimmonds@perryschools.org	0.70		

Football	Fall Football K-2 Flag Football Registrations S-5 Tackle Football Registrations Registration Link Questions? Contact ssimmonds@perryschools.org Grades K-6 Summer Youth Camp July 8- July 10 5:30-7:00 Perry Meridian High School Registration Link Questions? Contact ssimmonds@perryschools.org	
Soccer	Grades 1-8 Boys and Girls Soccer Camp June 16-19 (6:00pm-8:00pm) Mary Bryan Elementary School Registration Link Questions? Contact jvanhom@perryschools.org	
Swimming	Summer Swim Lessons Lesson for all ages Perry Meridian High School Registration Link Questions? Contact lessons@southsideindyaquatics.com	
CURRENT 6TH GRADER 81 Boys & Girls Cross Country	Grades 6-8 Summer Training Train for the middle school cross country season 3 workouts a week with the team Summer Running Information Questions? Contact agunkel@perryschools.org	
CURRENT 6TH GRADERS! Boys & Girls Tennis	Grades 6-8 Summer Camp June 24-27 (9:00am-10:15am) Location: Perry Meridian High School Registration Link Questions? Contact dschoch@perryschools.org	
Join Falcon Youth	Mailing List Receive emails directly to your inbox about the latest youth sports opportunities in Perry Township. Scan the QR or email ssimmonds@perryschools.org Facebook Page	
Sports	Follow us on Facebook to see youth sports opportunities and updates! Scan the QR or search for Falcon Youth Sports	



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YOUTH DEVELOPMENT YMCA

6610 N Shadeland Ave Indianapolis, IN 46220 (317) 484-9622 BeforeAndAfterSchool@indymca.org Indymca.org/YouthDevelopment





Get Ready with Girl Scouts



Get Ready with Girl Scouts and you'll kick off your summer with fun skill-building adventures and new friendships! Your student will head outside, play games, and gain confidence, all while building essential school-ready skills like teamwork and following instructions.

Take advantage of this special promotion—available only for new members starting kindergarten or first grade in fall of 2025!

Join by 6/30/2025 for only \$63 and receive:

- Up to 18 months of membership starting April 1 through September 2026
- Three Get Ready with Girl Scouts activity books filled with games, crafts, and essential skills to get ready for the next school year
- A special gift from Girl Scouts

Calling All Incoming and Current Kindergarten Girls!
All Meetings are from 5:30-6:30PM

May 13th-Perry Park-451 E Stop 11 Rd, Indianapolis, IN 46227 May 29th-Perry Park-451 E Stop 11 Rd, Indianapolis, IN 46227 June 17th-Perry Park-451 E Stop 11 Rd, Indianapolis, IN 46227

Please note that all caregivers are required to stay for the duration of the program Questions? swest@girlscoutsindiana.org or 317-924-6867



Scan the QR code to get started today and keep the adventures going through september 2026. For a imited time*, girls can join or \$63. Financial assistance is readily available for anyone who might need it.

girl scouts of central indiana -ain scour memberships are renewed annually. The membershi year is October 1-September 30.

SUMMER Pottery Painting CAMP

Keep flexing that creative muscle with your besties all summer long at uPaint Summer Camp!

Camp time - 1:00-2:30pm 1 Day - \$32 | 3 Days - \$90 5 Days - \$145

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SCAN ME









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!

AMES & LUNCH: Half the campers head outside to play action-packed games while the others eat lunch — and then they swit



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 Al 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 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! Stilling Discount (up to \$40 off per child!) and Payment Plans Available at INVENT.ORG/CISAVE

If these dates/times don't work for you, please visit invent.org/camp for other locations near you.

Camp Director: Lindsay Compton | Icompton@perryschools.org



Scan the QR Code to register!



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Unearth Imagination This Summer!

Summer is the perfect time to explore new worlds, discover exciting stories and build a love for reading. Summer Reading at the Indianapolis Public Library is designed for everyone from seasoned readers to those just starting out. Our fun, engaging activities, events, and book recommendations are tailored to support every age and reading level.

May 31 - August 2, 2025

It's easy. Track time spent reading, listening to audiobooks, reading aloud to someone, or having someone read to you.

Part of a local summer camp, school, daycare, or day program that wants to participate in Summer Reading? Make it more fun by registering as a group. Please contact your local library for details.

Earn Prizes

Prizes are earned at 1 hour, 5 hours, 10 hours, 15 hours and 20 hours of reading.

Claim prizes unfil August 2, 2025.

How to Sign Up

Starting May 1, register at your local library, online, or through the Beanstack app:

Register Online





Join us for an adventure in learning and become a lifelong reader!
Contact your local library or visit indypt.org/srp for details.



31 de mayo - 2 de agosto de 2025

Es fácil. Registra el tiempo que pasas leyendo, escuchando audiolibros, leyendo en voz alta a alguien o haciendo que alguien te lea.

gFormas parte de un campamento de verano, escuela, guardería o programa diumo local que quiere participar en la Lectura de Verano? Hazlo más divertido inscribiéndote como grupo, Comunicate con tu biblioteca local para obtener más información.

Gana premios

Los premios se ganan cuando se cumple 1 hora, 5 horas, 10 horas, 15 horas y 20 horas de lectura.

Reclama los premios hasta el 2 de agosto de 2025.

Cómo registrarte

A partir del 1 de mayo, inscribete en tu biblioteca local, en línea o mediante la aplicación de Beanstack:

Inscripción en línea





Acompáñanos en esta aventura de aprendizaie y conviértete en un lector para toda la vida. Comunícate con tu biblioteca local o visita indypt.org/srp para más información.

Lunch Menu



KINDERGARTEN ACADEMY LUNCH MENU 2024-2025 2nd SEMESTER

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY		
Wook	Chicken Smackers with WG Dinner Roll ★	Bean & Cheese Burrito ➤	Mozzarella Sticks with Marinara Sauce	Hamburger or Cheeseburger on WG Bun ★	Cheese ➤ or Pepperoni 4x6" Pizza		
	Mashed Potatoes	Corn or Refried Beans	Green Beans	Potato Emojis	Broccoli ar Baby Carrots with Dip		
Week	Chicken Tenders with WG Dinner Roll ★	Bosco Sticks with Marinara Sauce	Mac 'n Cheese Bites	French Toast Sticks with Eggstravaganza	Cheese ➤ or Pepperoni Pizza Slice		
1.500	Mashed Patatoes	Green Beans	Baked Beans	Seasoned Potatoes	Broccoli or Baby Carrots with Dip		
Week	Chicken Patty on WG Bun ★	Grilled Cheese Sandwich ➤	Yogurt with Cheese Stick and Muffin ➤	Chicken Nuggets with WG Dinner Roll ★	Tony's Personal Pan Cheese ➤ or Peppperoni Pizza		
Ĭ	Baked Beans	Potato Emojis	Baby Carrots with Dip	Broccoli ar Baby Carrots with Dip			
* = va	WG = whole grain = vegetarian (no meat) getarian version/alternative lable (see detailed menu) P = contains park	Fruit and Low Fat/ Skim Milk offered daily	PBJ Uncrustable (2.6 az) with Cheddar T/	rée options: W.F Cheese Stick and Cheez-its or Goldtish ➤ TH Cheese Stick and Grahams ➤	Students must take a fruit or vegetable to be considered a reimbursable meal		

	JANU	JARY	2025	5		FEBR	UARY	202	5		MA	RCH:	2025			AP	RIL 2	025			M	AY 2	025	
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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)	WG Donut Holes in a Cup ➤	Otis Spunkmeyer WG Muffin ➤ (2 az)	Pillsbury Mini Cinni ➤		
Wook 2	WG Pop Tart ➤	WG Breakfast Bar ➤ (Dunkin' Sticks)	WG Breakfast Burrito ★	UBR Bar ➤	Pillsbury Muffin ➤		
* - ve	WG = whole grain = vegetarian (no meat) getarian versian/alternative able (see detailed menu) P = contains pork	Fruit, Juice, & Low Fat,	/Skim Milk offered daily		e a fruit or juice to be reimbursable meal		



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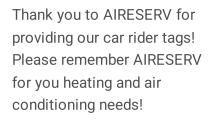














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