



Options Monday Memo

September 19, 2022

Upcoming Dates - Mark your calendar	
September 23	Picture Day
September 23	Last day for course change requests
September 30	October Count - see note below
October 7	October Count - see note below

Important Links

[PSD 2022-23 Calendar](#)

Lunch Menu

Click [here](#) to view the lunch menu



School Picture Day

School Picture Day is this Friday September 23rd. Order forms were sent home with students, however; you can also order pictures online via the company's website. Visit <https://my.lifetouch.com/mylifetouch/> and using code EVTBKNNK4.

October Count

October Count is the window during which student attendance is monitored by the state of Colorado to determine allocations to schools for funding. Because October Count Day is Monday October 3rd, it is vital that your child is present for the preceding Friday, September 30th, and the following Friday, October 7th. If you are aware that your child will be absent for one of those days, please contact our attendance line to let us know so that we can plan accordingly and attempt to gather other evidence to support your child's attendance at PSD Options and ultimately secure the appropriate amount of funding from the state.

Breakfast Availability for Students

PGA & PSD Option have worked with PSD's Child Nutrition Team to be able to offer breakfast this year. Starting on Friday 9/23, when students order a school lunch for the current school day, they will have the option to also order breakfast for the following day. At lunch, any students that ordered breakfast will be given a brown bag that includes shelf-stable food that they can take home and have for breakfast the next day. Breakfast is \$1.50 for students, \$2.35 for adults, and free for students that qualify for free or reduced lunch and have completed the necessary application for this year. To view the breakfast menu, please visit <https://psdschools.nutrislice.com/menu/global-academy/breakfast>. You can also view the breakfast menu by visiting the [Options school website](#), selecting "Lunch Menu" in the pale blue quick links menu under the banner image, and then clicking the "Breakfast" button at the top of the page.

General notes for PSD Options

To help your child know where to go at drop-off, [here is a map](#) that shows the exterior doors to which students should go. K-2 students can enter through the main entrance.

Parking Lot

If you have not already done so, [please make sure to read this document before dropping off or picking up your child](#). We have made a few adjustments to the pick-up/drop-off procedures to make things safer for everyone, and to align our practice with that at PGA. The highlighted sections are changes from previous practice. Also note the picture on the second page which identifies our drop-off and pick-up lanes.

Planned & Unplanned Absences

If your child will be absent from Options, please call our attendance line at 970.488.4601. Please keep in mind that since Options is an enrichment program, we tend to be more flexible on attendance. However, there will be a window in late September and early October in which attendance is vital so that we receive appropriate funding from the state.

Chessmates

Do you want to learn how to play chess? Are you an avid chess player already? Chessmates is the club for you! Chessmates offers a **homeschool chess** club that meets Wednesdays throughout the year. Beginner and Intermediate levels are available. For more information and to register, click here: <https://chessmatesfc.com/school/homeschool/>

