



# **Spring Break**

**Monday, March 30 – Friday, April 3, 2026**



**School will resume  
Monday, April 6, 2026**

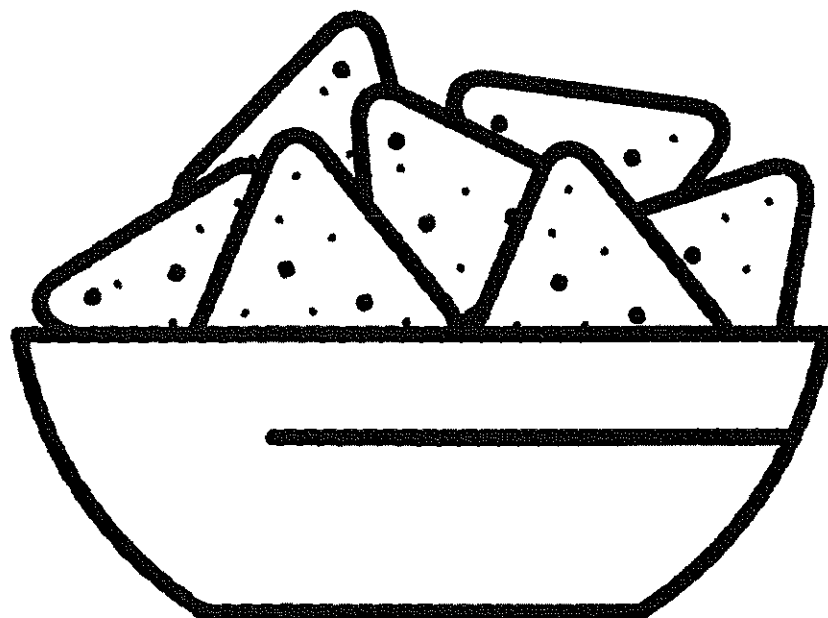
# Chips & Cheese

(Doritos, Hot Cheetos, Fritos)  
Friday, March 27th

**\$2.00**

(just chips, \$1.00)

Fundraiser to benefit Engleburg School





## **Families And Schools Together**

### ***What is F.A.S.T? Families and Schools Together***

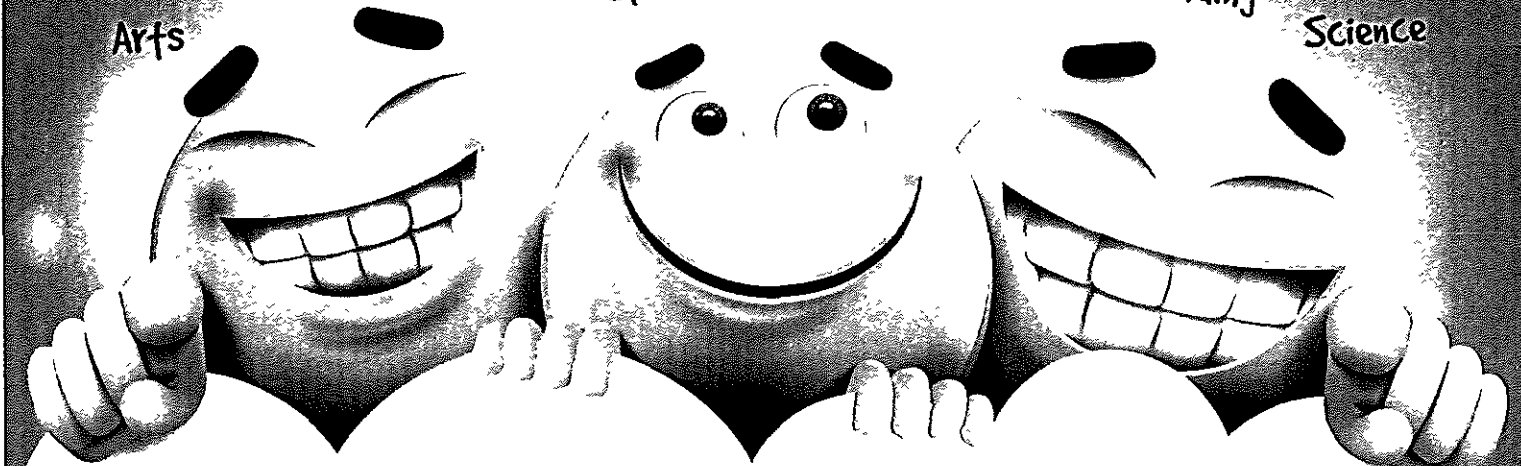
Engleburg Elementary School is excited to announce we will be hosting our Fall semester ***F.A.S.T. Program***. We will start Tuesday, April 7, 2026. The purpose of this program is to bridge the gap between the parents, school, and the community. This is a 8-week program that will be held once a week from 4:45 - 7:30 p.m. The entire family is encouraged to participate. Upon graduating, we will have monthly ***FASTWORKS*** events with all graduated families from previous sessions.

### ***What does the program offer?***

- **A family meal**
- **Fun activities for the ENTIRE family to enjoy**
- **Games**
- **Parent groups**
- **Playtime for the kids**
- **Promotes unity**
- **Resources for the parents**
- **A Raffle basket full of prizes for your family**
- **Graduation upon completion of the program**
- **Most importantly an opportunity for parent to enjoy family time with their entire family**

The Engleburg F.A.S.T. team is excited to participate in this awesome program that caters specifically to our families. We look forward to you joining us. If your have any questions or would like more information please feel free to contact Mrs. Collins, F.A.S.T. Coordinator at 414-616-5600.

Music Reading Field Trips Specialty classes Literacy Skill Building Math  
Arts Science



# SUMMER ACADEMY

K5-Gr.8



Exciting Adventures and Activities to Inspire Learning

Register by **June 1, 2026**. Spots are limited!

For more information and to register, scan the QR code or visit [mpsmke.com/summeracademy](https://mpsmke.com/summeracademy)



Summer Academy is open **weekdays, July 6 – July 30, 2026, 8AM – 12PM**. Before- and after-program care varies by site. Families provide transportation. Any Milwaukee resident is eligible.

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## Summer Academy Sites

|   |                         |
|---|-------------------------|
| <b>Clement Avenue</b><br>3666 S. Clement Ave., 53207    | K5 – 8<br>ESY           |
| <b>Congress</b><br>5225 W. Lincoln Creek Dr., 53218     | K5 – 8                  |
| <b>Elm Creative Arts</b><br>900 W. Walnut St., 53205    | K5 – 8                  |
| <b>53rd Street</b><br>3618 N. 53rd St., 53216           | K5 – 8                  |
| <b>La Escuela Fratney</b><br>3255 N. Fratney St., 53212 | K5 – 8<br>BIL, ESL, ESY |

|   |                      |
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| <b>MacDowell Montessori</b><br>6415 W. Mount Vernon Ave., 53213 | K5 – 8<br>Montessori |
| <b>MACL</b><br>2490 W. Wisconsin Ave., 53233                    | K5 – 8<br>ESL        |
| <b>Metcalfe</b><br>3400 W. North Ave., 53208                    | K5 – 8               |
| <b>Morgandale</b><br>3635 S. 17th St., 53221                    | K5 – 8<br>ESL        |

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| <b>River Trail</b><br>12021 W. Florist Ave., 53225 | K5 – 8             |
| <b>Rogers</b><br>2490 W. Rogers St., 53204         | K5 – 8<br>BIL, ESL |

**Available at select sites:**  
 BIL = Bilingual program (English/Spanish)  
 ESL = English as a Second Language  
 ESY = Extended School Year (must have an IEP)

**Early Release**

# Wednesday

**Students will be released two hours early on**  
**Wednesday, April 15, 2026**  
**12:00 noon**

**The training provided for teachers that day will help them become experts in the science of reading, so all students learn to read at grade level.**

**All students will receive lunch, although lunch times might differ from their usual times.**

**THERE WILL BE NO CLC ON THAT DAY!**

**Families who have questions should contact**  
**Engleburg School Main Office at**  
**414-616-5600.**





**Influenza**

To: Parents of Students of Milwaukee Public Schools

From: MPS Nursing Program

Influenza (flu) has been spreading throughout the country, infecting adults as well as children. There have been many deaths reported in states other than Wisconsin from complications of the flu.

Our main defense is to try to prevent the flu and to stop the spread of the disease. We can do this by communicating risk factors, taking precautions, and sharing valuable resources. Some risk factors include people with chronic health conditions such as asthma, heart disease, and weakened immune systems. Children younger than five, pregnant women, and the elderly are also at high risk of developing flu-related complications.

Here are some recommendations for families from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention related to flu:

- Get the flu vaccine if you haven't yet; everyone 6 months and older should receive a yearly flu vaccine.
- If you are very sick (for example, fever, chills, body aches, headache, coughing, sneezing) or are at high risk of serious flu complications, contact your medical provider to get treated with **antiviral drugs** as soon as possible.
- Get plenty of sleep.
- Drink plenty of fluids.
- Eat nutritious foods.
- To prevent the spread of germs:
  - Wash your hands often and cover your cough.
  - Avoid close contact with people who are sick.
  - Avoid touching your eyes, nose, or mouth.
  - If you or your children are ill, please stay home.
  - Clean and disinfect frequently touched surfaces at home, work, or school.

We are working very hard daily to help control the spread of flu in our school communities. If you have questions or concerns, please contact your school nurse or administrator for assistance.

If you have any questions, contact your school's nurse or visit

<https://www.dhs.wisconsin.gov/library/P-42064.htm>

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Signature/Title

Phone

Date

# Norovirus

## What Is Norovirus?

Norovirus is a virus that causes diarrhea and vomiting. It's sometimes called the stomach flu or stomach bug, but norovirus (NOR-uh-vy-ris) isn't related to the flu.

## What Are the Signs & Symptoms of Norovirus Infection?

About a day or two after contact with norovirus, a person may have symptoms such as:

- nausea and vomiting
- watery diarrhea
- belly pain

Some people might also have a fever, chills, headache, or muscle aches. Sometimes norovirus causes no symptoms, but infected people can still pass the virus to others.

A child with a norovirus infection who has a lot of diarrhea and vomiting can get dehydrated and feel lightheaded or dizzy.

Kids with other health problems may have more severe symptoms.

## Is Norovirus Contagious?

Yes, norovirus spreads easily, even before someone has symptoms. Sometimes an infected person can spread it for weeks after they feel better. Anyone can get a norovirus infection, especially if they spend time where many people gather, like at childcare centers and schools and on cruise ships.

The virus is in the poop or vomit of infected people. It can get on an object or surface, especially when someone doesn't wash their hands well after using the toilet or changing a diaper. Kids can get the virus if they put their fingers in their mouths after touching a contaminated toy or surface.

People also can get infected from eating or drinking contaminated food or water (then, it's known as food poisoning), and even by breathing in the virus if they're close enough to an infected person who vomits.

## How Is Norovirus Diagnosed?

Health care providers usually diagnose a norovirus infection based on symptoms, rather than a test.

If a child's symptoms are severe, the provider may test the blood, poop, or pee.

## How Is Norovirus Treated?

Most norovirus infections get better on their own. As your child recovers at home:

- They should get plenty of rest.
- Give lots of fluids to help your child stay hydrated.
- Give an oral rehydration solution (such as Pedialyte, Enfalyte, or a store brand) to replace lost fluids. It has the right amount of water, sugar, and salt for kids. You can buy it at drugstores or grocery stores without a prescription. You also can give frozen electrolyte pops or broth.
- Don't give your child any medicines unless recommended by their health care provider. Note: Antibiotics only work against bacteria, so doctors don't use them to treat norovirus.
- Make sure your child washes their hands well and often to prevent the virus from spreading.
- When your child's vomiting stops, offer small amounts of foods. A child who isn't throwing up can eat a regular diet if they feel up to it. It may take time for them to feel like eating. There's no need to avoid dairy products unless they make the vomiting or diarrhea worse. Your child may need to avoid greasy or fried foods until they feel better.

## How Long Does Norovirus Last?

Symptoms of norovirus infection usually last about 2–3 days.

Kids with a norovirus infection should not go to school or childcare until their vomiting and diarrhea has stopped for 24 hours. They also should not go in swimming pools until they're well again. Children in diapers should stay out of pools until their diarrhea has stopped for 7 days.

## Can Norovirus Be Prevented?

It isn't possible to completely prevent the spread of norovirus, and there's no vaccine for it.

If someone in your household has a norovirus infection, take steps to help protect other family members

- Wash your hands for at least 20 seconds with soap and water before and after caring for or cleaning up after the sick person. Don't use alcohol-based hand sanitizers because they won't kill the germs
- Wear rubber gloves and a face mask when cleaning up vomit or poop.
- Wipe soiled surfaces and toilet areas using a diluted bleach solution (5 tablespoons of bleach in a gallon of water). Leave the bleach solution in place for at least 10 minutes before wiping it away. (The bleach solution may discolor colored items)
- Clean soiled clothing using the:
  - washing machine's longest cycle and hot water settings
  - dryer's high heat setting

## When Should I Call the Doctor?

In most cases symptoms get better in a few days

Call the doctor if your child:

- goes more than a few hours without drinking
- has signs of dehydration, such as a dry mouth, few tears when crying, peeing less than 3 times a day, or no wet diaper in 4–6 hours
- still has diarrhea or vomiting after a few days
- develops a high fever
- vomits blood, or has bloody diarrhea or severe belly pain

Medically reviewed by: Elana Pearl Ben-Joseph, MD

Date reviewed: April 2022

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Christine Scott



## Respiratory Syncytial Virus (RSV)

Dear Parent or Guardian:

This is to inform you that:

- Your child is suspected of having RSV
  - A student in your child's classroom/school has been identified with having RSV; therefore, your child may have been exposed to this disease.
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### What is respiratory syncytial virus (RSV)

- RSV is a major cause of respiratory illness among individuals in all age groups. Among infants and young children, it is the most common cause of bronchitis, croup, ear infections and pneumonia.

### What are the signs and symptoms of RSV

- Infected newborn babies, in their first few weeks of life, may have minimal respiratory symptoms.
- Symptoms in young children include lethargy, irritability, and poor feeding.
- Older children and adults develop upper respiratory tract illness and occasional bronchitis.

### How is RSV spread

- The virus may be spread by direct contact of the eye, nose or mouth with discharges from the nose or mouth of an infected person

### How soon do symptoms appear

- The symptoms appear 2-8 days after being infected with the virus, usually within 4-6 days.

### What is the treatment for RSV

- There is no specific treatment for RSV. Physicians may prescribe anti-viral drugs and preventive medications to infants who have or are at high risk for severe RSV infection, including babies born premature.

### For how long is an infected person able to spread RSV

- Individuals with RSV infection shelter the virus in the respiratory droplets for the duration of the illness (usually 3-8 days). In rare instances, infants may shelter the virus for as long as 3-4 weeks.

### How can RSV infection be prevented

- Good hand washing methods
- Disposal of oral and nasal discharges of infected persons are effective in preventing the spread of the disease.

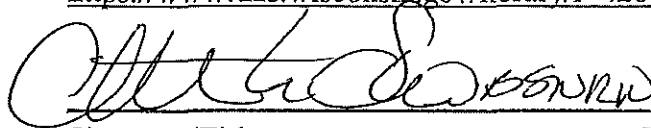
- Environmental surfaces contaminated with RSV should be cleaned with soap, water and disinfected.

**What to do if your child gets RSV**

- Exclusion from school is required if fever is present. Child may return to school once he/she is fever free without the use of medications.

If you have questions, contact your school's nurse or visit

<https://www.dhs.wisconsin.gov/library/P-42083.htm>

 414-616-5620 3/13/2026

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February 9, 2026

Dear Engleburg Families,

Reading at home is one of the best ways to help your child improve their literacy skills. Reading for just 20-30 minutes a day will help your child build a stronger vocabulary, increase their comprehension skills, and create a lifelong love of learning.

**How You Can Help at Home:**

- **Make it Daily:** Establish a consistent time for reading, even if it is just 10-15 minutes. A good time to read together is usually before bedtime to help wind down.
- **Create a Reading Space:** Keep books, magazines, or comics accessible.
- **Ask Questions:** Discuss the story. Ask, "What do you think will happen next?" or "Why did that character do that?"
- **Model Reading:** Let your child see you reading for pleasure, too.
- **Visit the Library:** Encourage your child to choose books that interest them. Your child can get a library card if they can write their first and last name. Keep the books that you bring home in a designated space, or in a tote bag, so it is easier to keep track of the books.

Attached to this letter is a reading log for you and your child to complete. Please aim for about 20 minutes a day. When your child brings a completed reading log back to their teacher, they will receive a special certificate. The reading log is due by March 27<sup>th</sup>. Thank you for your support!

