# NEW FAMILY FACTS

@the Elementary Campus Welcome to Calgary Christian School

#### 2024/25 theme verse

But you are a chosen people. You are the King's priests. You are a holy nation. You are a nation that belongs to God alone. God chose you to tell about the wonderful things he has done. He called you out of darkness into his wonderful light.

(1 Peter 2:9 - International Children's Bible)





Learn, to shape God's world. Because you are a new and vital part of our growing school, we want to ensure that you are informed, equipped, and encouraged to participate in meaningful ways.

It is our prayer that together we will enrich each other's lives. It is our hope that your student will flourish in an environment of Christian care and personalized attention. Each child is uniquely created for a purpose in God's bigger story. We look forward to helping them discover what that means for them through the CCS learning experience. Blessings - Dan Magnan, ES Principal



#### KNOW EVERYTHING!

We ask each family to familiarize themselves with our Parent/student Handbook <u>linked HERE</u> on our website.



As a parent, you are a society member! We host a meeting in the fall and spring to bring you up to date on all the happenings at CCS!

# PICK UP?

If you need to pick up children during the school day, please <u>email the office</u> (ccesoffice@pallisersd.ab.ca) to arrange to have your child in the office. Once you have arrived at the front of the building, call us (403.242.2896) and we will send out your child/children.



# TRAFFIC

Drop off and pickup times can be very busy at the school, please read through the guidelines <u>linked here</u> to ensure everyone's safety! Note: there is NO parking on 49 street in the afternoons.





Lists are posted on <u>this link</u> under Parents/Elementary/ School Supplies.

# **ABSENT OR LATE?**

Please <u>email the school</u> <u>office</u> to let them know. You can use the links set up on our website: <u>Absent or Late</u> <u>Notice</u>



#### SCHEDULES

The daily bell schedule and school calendar are also available online <u>on this page</u>.

\*Fridays we have **early** dismissal! Please check the schedule.

# **HOT LUNCHES**



Hot lunches at school! Hot dog day, pizza day, and other special lunches take place at the Elementary. This program (hotlunches) is used for fundraising, special programming, equipment and spirit wear purchases. Please set up an account here: <u>Hot Lunches - Calgary Christian School</u>

#### STUDENT BANKING



We are pleased to partner with the Christian Credit Union to offer bank accounts to our students, Kindergarten to Grade 12. Details are posted <u>HERE</u>.

#### PARTICIPATE

We have two wonderful parent-led groups where you can participate: <u>Blessings and Burdens</u>, as well as <u>Parents Who Pray</u>. <u>School Council</u> is another way for parents to stay connected to what is happening!



We're excited to partner with you, and your church, as Jesus helps your student grow as a disciple.

We will do our part through daily devotions, prayer, Bible classes, chapels and small groups. Our highest priority is good pedagogy combined with strong faith integration in the regular curriculum. This helps students look for God and practice faith in their everyday lives. We also hope your child's experience here will generate great conversations about faith and following Jesus at home!

Thank you for choosing CCS! Pastor Layne, Director of Faith Formation





The CCS Society shares exciting and fun learning activities that happen at school on our social media. Your child's name will NOT be shared. These pictures are ordinarily groups of students, classroom activities or student work and special projects, and won't share any personal information online. If you do not consent to CCS using your child's photo, we ask you to **complete this form**.

### VOLUNTEER

There will are many opportunities for parents to volunteer. We use <u>SignUp Genius</u> as a way to let parents know of those opportunities. Details on what is required to volunteer as posted <u>HERE</u> on our website. *(please note: the admin offices are closed until late Aug)* 

#### **BACK TO SCHOOL 2024**

Tuesday, Sept 3 - First Student Day Thursday, Sept 12 @ 5:30-7:00pm -

Elementary Meet the Teacher Night & Back to School Picnic

#### **CONNECT WITH CCS**



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