

Golden Age & Willow Creek PreK





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Supporting Achievement

THURSDAY

Students achieve their best when they are attentive and ready to learn. If children are tired, hungry or uncomfortable, it makes learning more difficult. We can all help support the achievement process by remembering some basic numbers: 5,4,3,2,1 + 8. These numbers represent the basic essentials that are needed to support student achievement in the classroom. The numbers refer to: 5 servings of fruits and vegetables, 4 glasses of water, 3 good laughs, no more than 2 hours of screen time, 1 hour of physical activity and 8 hours (or more) of sleep.

The proper combination of good nutrition, hydration, physical activity and sleep, coupled with a dose of laughter, is powerful.

Kicking off the day with a healthy breakfast that includes fruits is a perfect start to consuming 5 servings of fruits and vegetables daily. In addition, substituting water with flavor-infused fruit instead of soda or other sweetened beverages not only offers another fun way to add fruit to the diet, but it also supports hydration. Being physically active every day helps relieve stress, improve concentration and boost energy levels, thus improving focus in the classroom. Finally, anything less than 8 hours of sleep can cause children, and adults, to be less attentive throughout the day, retain less information and struggle to learn as compared to others who get the proper amount of sleep each night. Remember the 5, 4, 3, 2, 1 + 8 rule to help make student health and achievement part of your family's routine.

FRIDAY



Sodexo is committed to promoting healthier food choices and encourages students and families to use the USDA MyPlate to build healthy and balanced meals.

TUESDAY

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BREAKFAST MENU

MONDAY

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	IHUKSDAY	FRIDAT
		Dec 1 Assorted Cereal Milk Juice	Dec 2 Assorted Cereal Milk Juice	Dec 3 Assorted Cereal Milk Juice
Dec 6	Dec 7	Dec 8	Dec 9	Dec 10
Assorted Cereal	Assorted Cereal	Assorted Cereal	Assorted Cereal	Assorted Cereal
Milk	Milk	Milk	Milk	Milk
Juice	Juice	Juice	Juice	Juice
Dec 13	Dec 14	Dec 15	Dec 16	Dec 17
Assorted Cereal	Assorted Cereal	Assorted Cereal	Assorted Cereal	Assorted Cereal
Milk	Milk	Milk	Milk	Milk
Juice	Juice	Juice	Juice	Juice
Dec 20	Dec 21	Dec 22	Dec 23	Dec 24
WINTER BREAK	WINTER BREAK	WINTER BREAK	WINTER BREAK	Christmas Eve
Dec 27	Dec 28	Dec 29	Dec 30	Dec 31
WINTER BREAK	WINTER BREAK	WINTER BREAK	WINTER BREAK	New Year's Eve

WEDNESDAY

Fresh Pick Recipe

ASIAN LETTUCE WRAPS WITH ORANGE SAUCE

- 1 T Olive oil
- 1 lb Turkey(ground)
- 3/4 c Onion(medium dice)
- 3/4 c Bell pepper(medium dice)
- ½ c Celery(sliced thin)
- 2/3 c Orange juice
- 3 T Soy sauce(low sodium)
- 1 ½ T Cornstarch mixed with 3 T water
- 2-3 Drops of Hot Sauce(optional)
- Salt and pepper to taste
- 3 Oranges(peeled/large dice)
- 1 Head of Romaine lettuce(washed/leaves separated)
- ½ c Carrots(shredded)
- ½ c Cilantro
- 1. Prepare all ingredients as directed.
- 2. In medium sauce pan place the oil and turkey and sauté until meat is almost cooked through.
- 3. Add the onions and bell peppers and celery and sauté for 3 minutes. Mix orange juice, soy sauce, and comstarch mixture in small bowl and then add to the meat mixture.
- 4. Simmer for 3 minutes.
- 5. Add the diced oranges and heat through.
- Place meat mixture in a bowl and serve with the lettuce, carrots, and cilantro in separate bowls.