



October 7, 2024

Dear Cottonwood Families,

We are so proud of the start we have experienced this year. We can not believe we have entered our 9th week of learning this week. We hope you have a safe and relaxing break no matter what your plans. Please review the following for some reminders. We look forward to seeing you during Conference week after the Fall Break!

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**October at a Glance:**

**10/10 Special Education Advisory Committee Meeting**

**10/14-10/18 Fall Break**

**10/23 District Voices of Color Meeting**

**10/25 Report Cards to be sent home**

**10/28-10/30 Parent/Teacher Conferences**

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**DISTRICT INFORMATION:**

**Special Education Advisory Committee (SEAC):**

When: Thursday, October 10, 2024 -5:30-7:00 pm

Where: SARC (14188 E Briarwood Ave, Centennial, CO 80112)

Topic: *Special Olympics*

[Upcoming SEAC meetings](#)

**Parents Informational Night (PIN)**

When: Tuesday, November 5th - 9:15 a.m.

Where: 14603 E. Fremont Avenue, Centennial, CO 80112

Topic: *Finding Our Feelings: Tools for Exploring and Navigating Emotions*

[Upcoming PIN meetings](#)



### **Future Bruins Night**

5th Grade parents, please mark your calendar for this year's Future Bruins Night!

Campus Tours led by CCHS students

When: November 6th, 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM

Where: Cherry Creek High School

### **Cherry Creek Wrestling Club:**

Anyone with a desire to try something new, have fun and make new friends. Ages range from 5 through 14 (K – 8 th Grade). All backgrounds and experience levels are welcome.

[More information](#)

### **SCHOOL INFORMATION:**

#### **Attendance:**

If your student is going to be late or absent, calling the attendance line is a requirement so we know your student is safe and accounted for.

It also avoids the automated calls to you.

Should you also want to communicate to the classroom teachers as well, that can be done via email. The Attendance Line is 720-554-3295.

#### **Fall Conferences:**

This year Fall Parent-Teacher Conferences will be held for Kindergarten - 5th Grade from Monday, October 28th through Wednesday, October 30th and for **UPK** on October 29th, 30th and November 1st. This will be a busy week with Halloween on Thursday and Friday being a non-contact day. Conference sign-up links will be sent out via email next Thursday, October 10th at 4:00 PM. K - 5 teachers will make available times throughout the school day as well as evening times on one or two days. If you have a tight schedule, we suggest signing up early.

#### **After School Clubs**

Please visit our homepage under the Activities and Clubs heading for more information about this club and to sign-up. [24-25 Activities and Clubs](#)



#### **From the Cottonwood Creek Nurse**

Donations Needed: The clinic is still in need of some clothing and underwear donations in specific sizes. **Boy/girl underwear size 4-5 & 6-7** & Boy/girl pants/shorts size xs-s (4-5). 😊

Health & Wellness Reminders: [A note from the Health Clinic](#)

**From our Specialists Teachers:**

In an effort to provide parents information about what is happening during your students' specials time (Art, Music, P.E. and STEM), the Specials Team will be publishing monthly updates that can be found at the following [LINK](#).

Sincerely,

Drew Francis - Principal [Cottonwood Creek](#) Elementary School

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