



# Meerkat Newsletter



## From Your Principal:

### Principal Pro Tip:

*Have a rotation of books in the car so that your scholar can read during car rides! Then, ask them to tell you about what they read.*

Mandela families,

As we approach the end of the third term, it is important to find out what is needed to assist your scholars academically, socially, and emotionally. We know that it will take all of us to make sure our scholars are successful, especially during this pandemic. During conferences, ask your scholar's teacher what skills can be reinforced at home during Spring break (which is the week after parent-teacher conferences). The time that you spend engaging with your scholar to help them with schoolwork can be logged for engagement hours. If you need any assistance with the engagement website please don't hesitate to reach out to Ms. Myroniuk.

Don't forget to sign up for a conference time using the link provided.



## Conferences



Conferences are on Thursday, March 4, 2021 from 12:00 PM - 8:00 PM. Please copy/paste the link below to sign up for a time. If you have any questions or need assistance signing up, please contact the office at 402-991-1444.

<https://nelsonmandelaelementary.org/wp-content/uploads/2021/02/March-4-Conference-Links.pdf>



## Violin Concerts



Missed the violin concerts? That's ok! View them on [facebook.com/NelsonMandelaElementary](https://www.facebook.com/NelsonMandelaElementary). The concerts will also be archived on YouTube.

Viewing the concert counts as 0.5 hours of engagement. Log your hours at [omandela.galaxydigital.com](https://omandela.galaxydigital.com)



## Lunch Menu



### Breakfast

**Tues:** Whole Grain Breakfast  
Cookie

**Wed:** Belgian Waffles

**Thurs:** Chocolate Donuts

**Fri:** Hot Breakfast

**Mon:** Assorted Cereal

**Oatmeal and cold cereal provided daily.**

**Milk and Fruit provided daily.**

**FFVP:** Cara Cara

**This institution is an equal opportunity provider.**

### Lunch

**Tues:** Fried Chicken w/Gravy,  
Bread, Mashed Potatoes,  
Bananas

**Wed:** Hot Dog, Cowboy Beans,  
Chilled Peaches

**Thurs:** Chili Mac w/Noodles,  
Bread, Romaine Salad, Chilled  
Pears

**Fri:** Cheesy Nachos, Green  
Beans, Apple

**Mon:** Chicken Drumstick,  
Sweet Potato Fries, Mixed  
Fruit



## Engagement Hours



Remember to log your hours! Reports at conferences will reflect hours that you have entered.

Weekend Warriors is this Saturday, Feb 27, 2021 from 11:00-2:00. Sign up at [omandela.galaxydigital.com](https://omandela.galaxydigital.com)



## Important Dates



March 4: No School, Conferences

March 5: No School

March 8-12: No School, Spring Break

*Education is the most powerful weapon that you can use to change the world. I can change the world with my*

**HOPE, STRENGTH, SERVICE, UNITY, PEACE, WISDOM.**