



## In The Know Elementary Newsletter January 6, 2025

We are a Seventh-day Adventist school established to educate, equip, and inspire students to be critical thinkers who serve others and reflect Christ's character.

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#### Week of Jan 6th

Monday: Mac N Cheese & Nuggets  
Tuesday: Fettuccine  
Wednesday: Pizza  
Thursday: 2 Bean Burritos & Fruit  
Friday: Griller & Fruit

#### Week of Jan 13th

Monday: Corn Dogs & Fruit  
Tuesday: Spaghetti  
Wednesday: Pizza  
Thursday: 2 Bean Burritos & Fruit  
Friday: Deli Sandwich & Fruit

#### Praying for:

Mrs. Greer- Music Teacher  
John L. Coble Elementary School

#### 2 Timothy 4:1-2

"In the presence of God and of Christ Jesus, who will judge the living and the dead, and in view of his appearing and his kingdom, I give you this charge: Preach the word; be prepared in season and out of season; correct, rebuke and encourage—with great patience and careful instruction."

### Parent Council Meeting

January 13, 2024, at 6:00pm we will have our next Parent Council meeting. Remember ALL PARENTS of CA students are invited to attend.

The agenda will be as follows:

Transition to new elementary building  
Lunch program  
Traffic flow  
Miscellaneous updates  
Safety update  
Survey update

### INCLEMENT WEATHER:

If school will not convene because of inclement weather, an announcement will be made on local TV channels affiliates of NBC, ABC, CBS, and our website, [collegedaleacademy](http://collegedaleacademy). In addition to the PowerAnnouncement emails/robo-calls and texts. Collegedale Academy DOES NOT AUTOMATICALLY follow Hamilton County school closings or delays. If C.A. is involved in an emergency (such as a tornado warning), students will be held in assigned locations until the warning expires.

*Parents always have the discretion to keep students at home if they believe weather conditions are too hazardous.*

### Kind-1st Basketball Intramurals Registration

Registration is open for K-1st grade basketball intramurals until Friday January 17th. Return attached registration form completed with payment to the office to complete registration.

### Soccer Shots

How is our fall season at Collegedale Academy already coming to a close this week!? We hope you, and your child, have had a remarkable experience this fall. The last session of the season will be on Wednesday, November 20th. We will have a special prize for your child, and our coach will be sure to have some time at the end for some group photos/pictures!

## Hallway Hymn

It has been our pleasure to work with your child this fall, and we don't take it for granted that you chose Soccer Shots! We would also love to know about how your experience was this season. Improving our program and providing coaches with feedback is a vital piece of who Soccer Shots is.

Lastly, our winter/spring season of Soccer Shots at Collegedale Academy will kick off January 22nd. Our winter/spring seasons tend to be a little longer than our fall seasons, so that means even more soccer fun! Enrollment is online and open, and we'd love to see you all there. It's never too early to enroll, so click the link below to get your kiddo their spot:

[ENROLL HERE WINTER/SPRING 2025 SEASON AT COLLEGEDALE ACADEMY](#)

Thank you all so much for being a part of Soccer Shots, and we can't wait to see you all next season!

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## Important Dates

### January 13

Parent Council Meeting 6:00 pm

### January 15

100th Day of School

### January 20

No School MLK Day

## Helpful Contacts

1. **Principal** - Melissa Weddle [mweddle@collegedaleacademy.com](mailto:mweddle@collegedaleacademy.com)
2. **Vice Principal Elem & Learning Resource Coordinator Elem & Middle** - Melissa Ammerall [mammerall@collegedaleacademy.com](mailto:mammerall@collegedaleacademy.com)
3. **Assistant Registrar** - Heather Hoffman [hhoffman@collegedaleacademy.com](mailto:hhoffman@collegedaleacademy.com)
4. **Office Manager** - Kim Lighthall [klighthall@collegedaleacademy.com](mailto:klighthall@collegedaleacademy.com)
5. **School Counselor** – Amber Vaudreuil [avaudreuil@collegedaleacademy.com](mailto:avaudreuil@collegedaleacademy.com)
6. **Counselor Referral Link** - [Click](#)
7. **Lunch Coordinator** – Cindy Barrios [cbarrios@collegedaleacademy.com](mailto:cbarrios@collegedaleacademy.com)
8. **Chaplain** - Tabor Nudd [tnudd@collegedaleacademy.com](mailto:tnudd@collegedaleacademy.com)
9. **Aftercare Phone Number** - 423-599-9149
10. **Collegedale Academy website** - [collegedaleacademy.com](http://collegedaleacademy.com)

# EDUCATE EQUIP INSPIRE SERVE

### Ways to learn more about Collegedale Academy

*Please remember our upcoming events for you or friends who want to learn more about CA:*

### Academy Day for rising Freshmen and new high school students

**Friday, January 10, 2025 | 9:00am – 2:15pm**

Collegedale Academy invites all high school aged students to come see what it's like to be a part of the CA family. This includes rising freshmen (9th grade) and all high school grade levels who will be new to CA.

Academy Day showcases many aspects of CA. Come get a glimpse of our students demonstrating life as a student at CA – spiritual life, academic life and student life.

For more information or to let us know you are attending, please call 423.396.2124 or email [ahowell@collegedaleacademy.com](mailto:ahowell@collegedaleacademy.com). (Note: most 8th graders attending a local Seventh-Day Adventist middle school typically attend Academy Day with their current 8th grade class as a group. Those students do not need to RSVP).

Academy Day is only one way for interested students and families to learn about CA. We encourage all who are interested to schedule a visit to CA. Come for a family tour or prospective students may shadow a current student to experience a day-in-the-life. Use the contact information above to schedule a time and date that works for you.

Looking forward to meeting you!

### **Middle School Move-Up Day**

**Friday, January 10, 2025 | 11:00 am – 12:00 pm**

Join us for Middle School Move-Up Day and experience CA's vibrant, Christ-centered community! Rising 5th–8th graders (current 4th - 7th graders) will explore classrooms, meet teachers, and get a sneak peek at our enrichment classes, music program, and athletics. Reserve your spot by contacting our admissions team at 423.396.3020 or [hhoffman@collegedaleacademy.com](mailto:hhoffman@collegedaleacademy.com). We can't wait to meet you!

Please note: Current CA students do not need to RSVP as they will be attending with their current class.

### **Early Childhood - 1st Grade Round-Up**

**Thursday, February 27, 2025 | 5:30 pm – 6:30 pm**

Bring your Early Childhood - Rising 1st grader to explore our nurturing, Christ-centered early learning environment at CA! Meet our teachers, tour classrooms, and discover our STEAM program, enrichment classes, music, and athletics. We're excited about our new school building opening in 2025–26, making it the perfect time to join our CA family!

Reserve your spot soon—space is limited!

To register, call 423.396.2122 or email [hhoffman@collegedaleacademy.com](mailto:hhoffman@collegedaleacademy.com).

*Note: Early Childhood students must be 3 by 8/15/25 and kindergarten students must be 5 by 8/15/25.*

(At any time or after these events can you include from here below, if there is room in your communication outlets)?

**For anyone interested learning more about Collegedale Academy**, please call our enrollment team members listed below for a tour, an opportunity for your student to shadow, and/or a meeting for us to get to know each other better. We enjoy welcoming new students and their families to our CA family.

Elementary Admissions/Enrollment/Scheduling a tour – 423.396.2122

Heather Hoffman – [hhoffman@collegedaleacademy.com](mailto:hhoffman@collegedaleacademy.com)

Middle School Admissions/Enrollment/Scheduling a tour - 423.396.3020

Heather Hoffman – [hhoffman@collegedaleacademy.com](mailto:hhoffman@collegedaleacademy.com)

High School Admissions/Enrollment/Scheduling a tour

Angi Howell – [ahowell@collegedaleacademy.com](mailto:ahowell@collegedaleacademy.com) or 423.396.2124

For general information about Collegedale Academy (preschool age – grade 12) or to apply for enrollment visit [collegedaleacademy.com](http://collegedaleacademy.com).

Applications for students open in January – [collegedaleacademy.com/apply](http://collegedaleacademy.com/apply)

*(For Early Childhood-8th grade, returning student applications are given priority to secure grade level spots through Jan 31. Starting Feb 1, new and returning student applications are considered for acceptance together).*