October 2025 Lunch Menu



EDMONDS COLLEGE HEAD START AND EARLY HEAD START

Tuesday

Wednesday

Thursday

Friday

BEETS!

WGR Pita Bread **Beet Hummus** Cheese Sticks Cucumbers Mini Apples

Ranch Hand Mac (Ground Beef, Beans, Pasta, Corn, Tomato, Cheese) Pineapple Tidbits

3 Turkey and Cheese Sandwich on WGR Bread Carrot Sticks w/ Dip **Peaches**

Chicken Salad

Sandwich on WGR

Bread

Cucumber w/ Dip

Applesauce

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Beet roots, the bulb part, is grown underground like a carrot. But, the beet greens

are grown above ground!

Every part of the beet is edible, even the greens! Try sautéing them like spinach or chard. Delicious!

Beets are high in folate, a vitamin needed to make helps prevent neural tube

DNA and red blood cells, and defects during pregnancy.

Beets are harvested in Washington from May to October and can be available year round!

Choose beets that are about the size of a baseball with fresh greens attached. Cut off the greens when you get home and place the greens and root in separate bags in the fridge. The greens will last a few days and the beet-roots will last several weeks.

Beets are delicious steamed, roasted, or eaten raw in a salad.

Beets have a vibrant red color that can stain. Save beet juice to use in coloring homemade play dough or finger paints!

Cabbage Patch Soup (Ground Beef, Cabbage, Beets, Squash, Celery, Onion, Carrots) Hardboiled Eaa WGR Roll Mini Apples

Lentil Soup w/

Smoked Turkey

(Celery, Carrots,

Onion)

WGR Roll

Pears

Southwest Chili (Beans, Carrots, Corn, Bell Pepper) WGR Roll Pineapple Tidbits

BYO Taco

(Ground Beef, Sal-

sa, Cheese, Let-

tuce, Tortillas)

Mandarin Oranges

Spaghetti (Pasta, Ground Beef, Tomato Sauce) Broccoli w/ Dip WGR Breadstick Tropical Fruit

Sandwiches w/ BBQ

Sauce on WGR Buns

Roasted Sweet Pota-

toes

Bananas

16 Pulled Chicken

BYO Pizza Dav (WGR Crust, Tomato Sauce, Cheese, Smoked Turkey slices. Olives)

Green Salad w/ Dress-

Pineapple Tidbits

Minestrone Soup (Pasta, Golden Beets, Garbanzo, Tomato, Onion, Zucchini) Cheese Stick WGR Roll Mandarin Oranges

22 Turkey and Cheese Sandwich on WGR Hoagie Bread Carrots w/ Dip

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BYO Rice Bowl (Diced Chicken, Rice, Beans, Corn, Peppers, Onion, Salsa, Cheese) Pineapple Tidbits

Egg Salad Sandwich on WGR Bread

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Cucumber w/ Dip Mini Apples

Chicken Teriyaki (Chicken, Rice) Broccoli w/ Dip Orange Wedges

Tropical Fruit

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Sloppy Joe's on WGR Buns (Ground Beef) Carrots w/ Dip **Pears**

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WGR Pita Bread **Beet Hummus** Hardboiled ead **Cucumber Slices** Mandarin Oranges

"WGR" means "Whole Grain Rich" and specifies that the item contains a least 50% whole grains.

No peanut, nuts, or pork products are used in the preparation of any menu item. Milk (1% low fat) is served with every lunch.

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Tomato Basil Soup (Tomato, Zucchini) Cheese Stick WGR Bread Stick Peaches

This institution is an equal opportunity provider.