

# ROCK CREEK VALLEY ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

## Sunday Message

Mark Your Calendars		
Monday	September 18	<b>Rescheduled PTA Ice Cream Social 6:00-7:30</b> <b>Safety Week (see information below)</b>
Tuesday	September 19	
Wednesday	September 20	
Thursday	September 21	
Friday	September 22	<b>Early Release Day-dismissal begins at 1:15 p.m.</b>
Looking ahead.....		
September 25		<b>No School for Students</b>
September 29		<b>Fall Picture Day</b>
October 3		<b>PTA Meeting-Virtual ONLY</b> <a href="#">Zoom Link</a> Meeting ID: 937 7378 4872 Passcode: RCV
October 9		<b>No School for Students</b>
October 13-20		<b>PTA Fall Book Fair</b>
October 17		<b>PTA Family Fun Night-Bingo! 5:30-7:00 in APR</b>

## New and Noteworthy

### Safety Week

This week at RCV we will have “Safety Week”. Throughout the week we will be reminding students about how they can do their part to stay safe at school. We will also complete several of our required safety drills including Lockdown, Shelter in Place, Directed Evacuation, Severe Weather, Reverse Evacuation, and Drop, Cover, Hold. This week will be a great opportunity for us to make sure everyone in the building is ready to have a safe and successful school year.

### BTSN Feedback

Thank you for joining us at Back To School Night! We had a wonderful time connecting with families and are looking forward to partnering for a fantastic year. Please take a few minutes to complete this [Google Form](#) to provide us with feedback to improve your experience in the future.

### MCPS is seeking feedback on 2024–2025 Calendar

MCPS is seeking input about the 2024–2025 school year calendar! Please take a moment to complete the [MCPS School Calendar 2024-2025 Feedback](#). Your input will be used to select the first and last day of school, as well as other important dates for the coming school year.

### Seasonal Roots Fundraiser

Our Seasonal Roots fundraiser is back! This is an online farmers market which delivers your custom order to your home each week. Families using our code to join will pay a \$25 fee and \$20 of that will go directly to Rock Creek Valley. It's that easy!

If you joined last year, when you renew your membership this year RCV earns another \$20 donation!

**Support Rock Creek Valley ES**  
When you join using promo code **RCVES** for \$25 (a 50% savings), Seasonal Roots donates \$20 to Rock Creek Valley. Scan the QR code or visit [www.seasonalroots.com/rcves](http://www.seasonalroots.com/rcves)



**Apoye Rock Creek Valley ES**  
Cuando se une usando el código de promoción **RCVES** por \$25 (un ahorro del 50 %), Seasonal Roots dona \$20 a Rock Creek Valley. Escanee el código QR o visite [www.seasonalroots.com/rcves](http://www.seasonalroots.com/rcves)

### Reporting Student Attendance

New this year! On-line form for Reporting a Student Absence on the [RCV Valley Web Page](#) - choose [Report a Student Absence](#) from the blue box on the left. Complete form and click submit.

Student absence will be recorded/Teacher will be notified - no additional notes are needed. See the attached PDF for more directions.

**School Information**

1121 Russell Road  
Houston, MO 64544  
Rocky Vista, MO

Phone: (417) 743-1343  
Fax: (417) 483-2786

Principal: Mr. Christopher A. McDaniel

News: Complete Email list: [Click Here](#)  
English: [Click Here](#)

Formal: Open to all public

Assistant Principal:  
Ms. Julie Swanson

School Hours: 7:30 am - 3:30 pm  
Early Release Day Hours: 7:30 am - 1:15 pm

**QUICK LINKS**

- Calendar of Events
- Staff Directory
- Staff Resources
- School Health Services
- School Improvement Dashboard
- School Catch Up
- REPORT A STUDENT ABSENCE

**Upcoming Events**

**MO, SEPT. 4** Letter Day - Schools and offices closed

**FRI, SEPTEMBER 22** Early release day for students

**MO, SEPT. 25** Non-Instructional Day - No school for administrative teachers

**MO, OCT. 9** Professional day for all staff, no school for students

**WED, NOVEMBER 1** Learning and Planning for the end of term, no school for students

**TUE, NOVEMBER 21** Early release day for students

**WED, NOVEMBER 22** Systemwide Closure - Schools and offices closed

**THU, NOVEMBER 23** Thanksgiving - Schools and offices closed

**FRI, NOVEMBER 24** Thanksgiving - Schools and offices closed

**TUE, DECEMBER 26**

## ParentVue Accounts

If you need any support activating your ParentVue account, please reach out to Patti Polsinelli ([patricia\\_bray@mcpsmd.org](mailto:patricia_bray@mcpsmd.org)). This will enable you to receive important communication from the school, to view your child's grades, and to see important documents throughout the year such as MAP testing results, interim reports, and report cards!