



July 21, 2022

Return to Learn

School districts in Iowa must continue to maintain a “Return to Learn” plan that is available for public input and approved by their local school board. College Community School District’s “Return to Learn” plan is available [at this link](#). If you have feedback regarding the plan, please contact Laura Medberry, Executive Director of Learning Supports, at 319.848.5217 or via email at lmedberry@crprairie.org. The board will review the Return to Learn plan during their regular meeting on August 15, 2022.

Free and Reduced Meal Application for the 2022-2023 School Year Now Available

Complete the [Online Application and Waiver Form Here](#) or use the printable versions below. If you need assistance with the application or have any questions, please contact Ginny Scott by phone at 319-848-5337 or by email at vscott@crprairie.org.

- [Free and Reduced Price Meals Information](#)
- [Instructions](#) to complete the Free and Reduced Meal Application
- [Printable Free and Reduced Application](#) and [Printable Fee Waiver Form](#)

Spanish Translations

- [Información de los padres](#)
- [Cómo solicitar comidas gratis y a precio reducido](#)
- [solicitud de comidas gratis y a precio reducido](#)
- [DECLARACIÓN DE RENUNCIA](#)

[Click Here](#) for additional information about Food and Nutrition.

[USDA Nondiscrimination Statement and Iowa Nondiscrimination Statement](#)

Transportation Department to Make Routing Changes

Due to labor shortages, the transportation office is having to make many changes. The College Community Schools Transportation Department is working hard writing routes for the upcoming school year. One of the main considerations when writing routes this year will be addressing staffing shortages. Changes will include: less routes, less bus stops in neighborhoods, additional students on a bus, and limiting students to only one bus per household which will need to be the same for both AM & PM routes.

All students K-9th grade will automatically be assigned a bus to/from their home address. Requests for transportation must be made prior to August 12, 2022. Please visit our [transportation page](#) to make these requests. If students do not ride the bus for more than 10 days they will be removed from the route. If you know that your student will not be riding the bus at all, please contact our department at 848-5204. This will help us to best utilize all of our seats. Thank you for your understanding as we continue to deal with labor challenges.

Instructional Supply Fees Now Available to Pay Online

Instructional Supply Fees are now available to pay online through the College Community Payment System. Once you have completed online registration, you may access the system. For families that are new to the district, we have more detailed instructions for logging into and navigating the site. [Click here](#) for more information.

Voluntary Student Insurance

We have partnered with Student Assurance Services to give families the opportunity to purchase accident insurance for your student(s). This coverage provides financial assistance with your out-of-pocket medical expenses should your student sustain an accidental bodily injury while enrolled. Below is information on the insurance, cost and contact information. If you are interested in purchasing the insurance, it is done directly through the company. You can also find this information on our website under the Parents & Students section.

- [Voluntary Student Insurance](#)
- [Student Injuries Can Happen](#)
- [Los estudiantes pueden sufrir lesiones](#)

School Registration is Open for the 2022-2023 School Year

Returning students and families: Please complete this for your students at your earliest convenience.

- All Prairie families MUST complete this electronic form prior to students starting classes this fall.
- Get started by logging into the [Infinite Campus Portal](#). This link is located on the district homepage. If you have lost your portal username or password, please use the "Forgot Password" or "Forgot Username" link on the login page. You can also call (319) 848-5240 between the hours of 7:00am and 3:30pm M-Th.
- Once you are logged into the Portal, click on "more", then the Online Registration link is located at the bottom of the page.

- For those who need assistance or computer access, please contact District Enrollment Specialist Jennifer Armour (319)-848-5202 or email jarmour@crprairie.org.

Prairie High School Open House and All Activities Kickoff

Prairie High School is hosting an open house and all activities kickoff on Thursday, August 18. The event includes a Prairie Booster Club Tailgate, Sophomore and New Student Orientation, Positive Coaching Alliance presentation, and fall activity meeting.

[Click here](#) for details and the schedule of events.