

# Brookfield R-III School District

Dear Brookfield R-III Faculty, Staff, Students, Parents, and Community:

A new school year is quickly approaching and the faculty, staff, and administration are excited to begin. It has been a productive summer at Brookfield R-III and we are looking forward to seeing the halls filled with students.

The 2024-2025 school year will bring a slight change to the school schedule that will affect everyone. The High School and LCACTC will move away from block scheduling to an eight-period day. Many teachers are shared between the Middle School, High School, and LCACTC, so the length of the school day had to be modified to meet schedule requirements. **School will be in session from 8:00 a.m. to 3:10 p.m. On early out Professional Development days, school will be in session from 8:00 a.m. to 2:15 p.m.** The school calendar can be viewed on this document as well as on the district website.

The new school year will have its share of changes and improvements. The maintenance crew has done a wonderful job updating classrooms and doing general summer maintenance to keep our facilities a safe environment for learning. Safety and Security Grant funds were used to replace the worn fence on the south boundary of the Elementary/Middle School playground, as well as update our district wide intercom systems. MACCO Grant funds are being used on impressive facilities improvements in the LCACTC. BHS will enter its first full school year in The Grand River Conference. It's a great time to be a Bulldog!

Enjoy the next few weeks, and we are excited to see our buildings filled with students this fall!

Dr. Eric Hoyt, Superintendent of Schools



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WEBSITE PAGE:  
[www.brookfieldr3.org](http://www.brookfieldr3.org)

## Upcoming Events

- 08/07/24 Student Registration
- 08/08/24 Student Registration
- 08/12/24 New Tchr Orientation
- 08/15/24 Teacher Work Day
- 08/16/24 Teacher Work Day
- 08/19/24 Teacher Work Day
- 08/19/24 Back-to-School Night
- 08/20/24 Teacher Work Day
- 08/20/24 Tax Rate Hearing 5:30pm
- 08/20/24 Aug '24 Bd of Ed Meeting
- 08/21/24 First Day of School**
- 09/02/24 No School – Labor Day
- 09/20/24 Early Out  
Homecoming 12:30pm
- 09/27/24 First PD Early Out 2:15



**BACK-TO-SCHOOL NIGHT IS MONDAY,  
AUGUST 19<sup>TH</sup>, 6-7:30 P.M.**

## BROOKFIELD R-III ADMINISTRATIVE TEAM

Dr. Eric Hoyt	Superintendent of Schools	258-7443
Mr. Nile Thudium	HS Principal	258-7242
Mr. Scott Stevens	HS Asst. Principal & A.D.	258-7242
Mrs. Carey Smith	LCACTC Director	258-2682
Mrs. Melinda Wilbeck	MS Principal	258-7335
Mrs. Kensie Daleske	Elementary Principal	258-2241
Ms. Denise Carlson	Director of Special Services	258-2149

## BROOKFIELD R-III BOARD OF EDUCATION

Jim McIntyre – President	Blake DeVoy – Vice President	Ryan Burns – Treasurer
Dave Shaw – Member	Noel Staddie – Member	Galen Hicks – Member
Samantha Howell – Member	Becky Stephens – Secretary	

## NOTICE OF TAX RATE HEARING

THE BROOKFIELD R-III SCHOOL DISTRICT'S ANNUAL TAX RATE HEARING WILL BE HELD AT 5:30 P.M., JUST PRIOR TO THE REGULARLY SCHEDULED BOARD MEETING, ON TUESDAY, AUGUST 20, 2024, AS ONE OF THE FIRST ITEMS ON THE AGENDA.



## SCHOOL PICTURES

<b>August 22</b>	<b>Grades 9-11 (Fresh/Soph/Jrs)</b>
September 11	PreK/ES Student Pictures
September 12	Middle School Student Pictures
<b>October 9</b>	<b>Senior Composites</b>
October 16	Picture retakes (Grades PreK-11)
January 16	Elementary Group Pictures
March 4	Preschool Spring Pictures
March 5	Elementary Spring Pictures
March 6	Middle School Spring Pictures
March 26	Middle School Group Pictures

## NOTICE OF AFFIRMATIVE ACTION

STUDENTS, THEIR PARENTS, AND EMPLOYEES OF THE BROOKFIELD R-3 SCHOOL DISTRICT ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED THAT THIS SCHOOL DISTRICT DOES NOT DISCRIMINATE ON THE BASIS OF SEX OR HANDICAP AND IS REQUIRED BY TITLE VI, IX AND SECTION 504 NOT TO DISCRIMINATE ON THE BASIS OF SEX OR HANDICAP IN ITS EDUCATIONAL ACTIVITIES AND EMPLOYMENT PRACTICES. ANY PERSON HAVING INQUIRIES CONCERNING BROOKFIELD R-3 SCHOOL DISTRICT'S COMPLIANCE WITH TITLE VI, IX AND SECTION 504 SHOULD CONTACT DR. KYLE COLLINS AT 124A PERSHING ROAD, BROOKFIELD, MO OR PHONE 660-258-7443. DR. COLLINS HAS BEEN DESIGNATED BY THE BROOKFIELD R-3 SCHOOL DISTRICT TO COMPLY WITH TITLE VI AND IX, AND DENISE CARLSON HAS BEEN DESIGNATED BY THE BROOKFIELD R-3 SCHOOL DISTRICT TO COORDINATE THE SCHOOL DISTRICT'S EFFORTS TO COMPLY WITH SECTION 504.

**BROOKFIELD R-III SCHOOL DISTRICT ---- STAFF ROSTER  
2024-2025 SCHOOL YEAR**

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**Central Office  
124A Pershing Road  
258-7443**

Dr. Eric Hoyt – Superintendent of Schools  
Matt Anderson – Director of Instructional Technology  
Jeremiah Blaker – School Resource Officer  
Lisa Burr – Human Resources/Payroll  
Amy Harmon – District Social Worker

Ian McIntyre – Asst. to Director of Technology  
Amber Przybylski – School Nurse  
Abby Sackrey – Lead School Nurse  
Stacie Stanfield – Oppa Food Service Director  
Becky Stephens – Board Secretary/Bookkeeper

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**Linn County Area Career & Technical Center (LCACTC)  
122 Pershing Road  
258-2682**

Carey Smith – Director  
Stephanie Berger – At-Risk JAG  
Lindsey Brinkley – Building Secretary  
Chris Calvert – Building Trades  
Jessica Dobrzanski – Agriculture Education & FFA  
Heather Fiala – Graphic Arts  
James LaBelle – Business  
Andy Matzen – Auto Mechanics

Tonia Montgomery - Counselor  
Dee Ann Nickell – Computer Technology  
Robert Pauley - Business  
Connie Rardon – Early Childhood  
Shane Thudium – Evening Coordinator  
Drew Wilkerson - Welding  
Chelsea Wood – Health Sciences

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**Brookfield High School  
124 Pershing Road  
258-7242**

Nile Thudium – Principal  
Scott Stevens – Asst. Principal & Athletic Director  
Susan Almond – Guidance Secretary  
Aerin Billingsley – Art  
Beth Black – Language Arts  
Jaclyn Burns – Family & Consumer Science FACS  
Cathy Carlson – Guidance Counselor  
Paige Corf – Math  
Maria Crespo – Spanish  
Dave Davis - Science  
Julie Davis – Building Secretary  
Dana Dill – Physical Education/Health  
Bill Ehrich – Social Studies

Anna Geurkink – Vocal Music  
Dennis Hughes – At Risk JAG  
Sharon Hughes – Language Arts  
Cory Luke – Physical Education  
Jennifer Pfeiff – Science  
Connor Sanchegraw – Band  
Ronnie Sharp – Math  
Holly Switzer – Language Arts  
Louise Taylor – Science  
Sarah Willis – Social Studies

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**Brookfield Middle School  
126 Pershing Road  
258-7335**

Melinda Wilbeck – Principal  
Meagan Clarkson – Language Arts  
Karyl Drescher – Science  
Sheri Dunkin – Building Secretary  
Alisha Ehrich – Guidance Counselor  
Shelby Flynn – Language Arts  
Anna Geurkink – Vocal Music  
Kelli Gonzalez – Math  
Susan Grimm – Social Studies  
Rachel Hays – Physical Education/Health  
Mary Hoyt – Computers  
Beth Ann Kehr – Language Arts

Kaleigh Lane – Social Studies  
Holly Matzen – District Librarian  
Molly Parks - Math  
Drew Passley – Physical Education/Health  
Andria Porch – Science  
Connor Sanchevraw – Band  
Dray Starzl – At-Risk  
Tayler Swanson – Science  
Cru Taff – Math  
Betsy Techau – Math  
Tim Thomason – Social Studies  
Clayton Wilson – District ISS Instructor

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**Brookfield Elementary School  
128 Pershing Road  
258-2241**

Kensie Daleske – Principal  
Shelby Ayers – 4<sup>th</sup> Grade  
Candice Bagley – Computers  
Kaylynn Bagley – Vocal Music  
Jennifer Barton – Kindergarten  
Stacey Baum – 4<sup>th</sup> Grade  
Sherry Boles – Kindergarten  
Cassy Carpenter – 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade  
Karissa Creel – 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade  
Kimberly Douglas – 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade  
Samantha Head – Secretary  
Nena Hedrick – 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade  
Alexis McCollum - Secretary  
Christy McCollum – 1<sup>st</sup> Grade

Lindsay Neal – 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade  
Tricia Neblock – 1<sup>st</sup> Grade  
Caylie Newlin – 1<sup>st</sup> Grade  
Whitney Orr – Kindergarten  
Adrienne Pollard – Kindergarten  
Kristen Rogers – 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade  
Brooklyn Stevens – Guidance Counselor  
Julie Switzer – 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade  
Monica Wever – 1<sup>st</sup> Grade  
Sydney Wilbeck – Physical Education  
Sassie Wilson – Art  
Bailey Wright – 4<sup>th</sup> Grade

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**Brookfield R-III Special Services  
128 Pershing Road  
258-2159**

Denise Carlson – Director of Special Services  
Betsy Alexander – Secretary  
Tiffany Baum – ECSE Special Ed & PAT  
Stacey Bragg – Title 1 Reading  
Cara Ervie – HS Special Education  
Emilee Haley – Elementary Special Education  
Rebecca Haley – Early Childhood Special Education

Jordan Maxwell – Title 1 Reading & Preschool  
Lory Passley – MS Special Education  
Alyssa Rogers – Elementary Special Education  
Brittney Sensenich – Preschool  
Lisa Sensenich – Title 1 Reading  
R. J. Staddie – HS Special Education  
Marla Trentham – Elementary Special Education

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**Brookfield R-III Special Services - Paraprofessionals**  
**128 Pershing Road**  
**258-2159**

Heather Billups – Paraprofessional  
Dexter Carmichael – Paraprofessional  
Jessica Doss – Paraprofessional

Savanah French - Paraprofessional  
Colton Parn - Paraprofessional  
Crystal Phipps - Paraprofessional

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**Brookfield R-III Maintenance Department**  
**258-7443**

Matt Parn – Director of Maintenance  
Troy Adams – Custodian  
James (Bud) Betz – Custodian  
Sue Betz – Custodian  
Noah Gardner – Custodian  
Robert Lewis – Custodian

Larry Hedrick - Custodian  
Justin Keune - Groundskeeper  
Mark Shoengood - Custodian  
Billy Stroud - Custodian  
Lorinda Webb – Custodian  
Ed Ross - Custodian

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**Brookfield R-III Transportation Department**  
**104 Pershing Road**  
**258-5135**

Paul Frey – Director of Transportation  
Donnie Asher – Driver  
Kirk Billingsley – Driver  
David Blakely – Driver  
Cheri Hunt – Driver

Roy Hunt - Driver  
Vicki Redick – Driver  
Steve Haley – Bus Barn Assistant  
Tim Speichinger – Mechanic (part-time)  
Nick Sprague – Driver

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## 2024-2025 Early Outs & No School Days

Date	Day	Type	Dismissal	Explanation
08/21/24	Wednesday	-----	-----	First Student Day
09/02/24	Monday	No School	-----	Labor Day
09/20/24	Friday	Early Out	12:30 p.m.	Homecoming
09/27/24	Friday	Early Out	2:15 p.m.	Professional Development --- 1 <sup>st</sup> Quarter Progress Reports
10/04/24	Friday	Early Out	2:15 p.m.	Professional Development
10/07/24	Monday	No School	-----	No School
10/11/24	Friday	Early Out	2:15 p.m.	Professional Development
10/18/24	Friday	Early Out	2:15 p.m.	Professional Development --- End of 1 <sup>st</sup> Quarter
10/24/24	Thursday	-----	-----	1 <sup>st</sup> Quarter Grade Cards
10/25/24	Friday	Early Out	2:15 p.m.	Bell Game Activities
11/01/24	Friday	Early Out	2:15 p.m.	Professional Development
11/07/24	Thursday	No School	-----	Parent/Teacher Conferences
11/08/24	Friday	No School	-----	No School
11/15/24	Friday	Early Out	2:15 p.m.	Professional Development
11/22/24	Friday	Early Out	2:15 p.m.	Professional Development
11/26/24	Tuesday	-----	-----	2 <sup>nd</sup> Quarter Progress Reports
11/27/24	Wednesday	No School	-----	Thanksgiving Break
11/28/24	Thursday	No School	-----	Thanksgiving Break
11/29/24	Friday	No School	-----	Thanksgiving Break
12/06/24	Friday	Early Out	2:15 p.m.	Professional Development
12/13/24	Friday	Early Out	2:15 p.m.	Professional Development
12/20/24	Friday	Early Out	2:15 p.m.	Holiday Break Begins --- End of 2 <sup>nd</sup> Quarter
12/23/24	Monday	No School	-----	Holiday Break
12/24/24	Tuesday	No School	-----	Holiday Break
12/25/24	Wednesday	No School	-----	Holiday Break
12/26/24	Thursday	No School	-----	Holiday Break
12/27/24	Friday	No School	-----	Holiday Break
12/30/24	Monday	No School	-----	Holiday Break
12/31/24	Tuesday	No School	-----	Holiday Break
01/01/25	Wednesday	No School	-----	Holiday Break
01/02/25	Thursday	No School	-----	Holiday Break
01/03/25	Friday	No School	-----	Holiday Break
01/06/25	Monday	No School	-----	Teacher Inservice
01/07/25	Tuesday	-----	-----	Students Return
01/10/25	Friday	Early Out	2:15 p.m.	Professional Development --- 2 <sup>nd</sup> Quarter Grade Cards
01/17/25	Friday	Early Out	2:15 p.m.	Professional Development
01/20/25	Monday	No School	-----	Martin Luther King, Jr. Day
01/24/25	Friday	Early Out	2:15 p.m.	Professional Development
01/31/25	Friday	Early Out	2:15 p.m.	Professional Development
02/07/25	Friday	Early Out	2:15 p.m.	Professional Development --- 3 <sup>rd</sup> Quarter Progress Reports
02/14/25	Friday	Early Out	2:15 p.m.	Professional Development
02/17/25	Monday	No School	-----	Presidents' Day
02/21/25	Friday	Early Out	2:15 p.m.	Professional Development
02/28/25	Friday	Early Out	2:15 p.m.	Professional Development
03/07/25	Friday	Early Out	2:15 p.m.	Professional Development --- End of 3 <sup>rd</sup> Quarter
03/13/25	Thursday	-----	-----	3 <sup>rd</sup> Quarter Grade Cards
03/14/25	Friday	No School	-----	No School
03/17/25	Monday	No School	-----	No School
03/21/25	Friday	Early Out	2:15 p.m.	Professional Development
03/28/25	Friday	Early Out	2:15 p.m.	Professional Development
04/04/25	Friday	Early Out	2:15 p.m.	Professional Development
04/11/25	Friday	Early Out	2:15 p.m.	Professional Development --- 4 <sup>th</sup> Quarter Progress Reports
04/18/25	Friday	No School	-----	Spring Break
04/21/25	Monday	No School	-----	Spring Break
04/25/25	Friday	No School	-----	Gary Ewing Relays
05/02/25	Friday	Early Out	2:15 p.m.	Professional Development
05/09/25	Friday	Early Out	2:15 p.m.	Professional Development
05/14/25	Wednesday	Early Out	11:00 a.m.	Students' Last Day --- End of 4 <sup>th</sup> Quarter K-12 Grade Cards Distributed the Following Week
05/15/25	Thursday	No School	-----	Teacher Inservice

## BROOKFIELD BRIGHT BEGINNINGS PRESCHOOL ENROLLMENT



Preschool enrollment forms should be completed online. If you have other children enrolled in the district, you should have access to the forms needed to enroll your child. If this is your first time to have a student in the district, staff will be available on campus to assist you on August 7<sup>th</sup> and August 8<sup>th</sup> (8am to 11am & 12pm to 3pm) with the enrollment process. BBB Preschool starts Wednesday, August 21st. A snack fee of \$65 is due by the first day of school.

## NOTICE OF IMMUNIZATION REQUIREMENTS

All students must be in compliance with the State of Missouri immunization requirements prior to their first day of school.

### Would you like help with paying for your children's cafeteria meals?

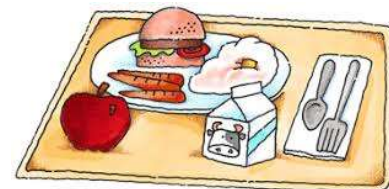
Many parents don't realize they may be eligible for the Free & Reduced Breakfast & Lunch Program. Applications are available at enrollment time & all year long. The program is 100% confidential and provides a sensible way to help families with monthly expenses. Don't let that cafeteria bill grow and grow! Fill out the application and see if you can benefit from this easy way to lower your cafeteria expenses.



## Or Older!

Patrons 62 years or older may obtain a free activity pass at the Superintendent's Office. This pass provides free entrance to regular athletic & non-athletic events. They are not valid during district, sectional & state competitions.

Brookfield R-III  
Mission Statement:  
**Teach, Learn, Grow...  
Every Day**



### 2024-25 Breakfast & Lunch Prices

Type	Meal	Price
EL/MS	Breakfast	\$1.80
HS	Breakfast	\$1.80
Adult	Breakfast	\$2.05
EL/MS	Lunch	\$2.10
HS	Lunch	\$2.25
Adult	Lunch	\$2.65

# 2024-25 ATHLETICS

Athletic calendars  
are published  
on the District's website:  
[www.brookfieldr3.org](http://www.brookfieldr3.org)

## ALL SPORTS SEASON PASS

STUDENT PASS (Gr 7-12) \$30  
ADULT PASS \$60  
FAMILY PASS \$150

Good for admission to all of the home sporting events, excluding district, sectional & state competitions. Passes may be purchased through the Athletic Director's office (258-3032).



Homecoming Week is the week of September 15th. The Homecoming football game will be Friday, Sep. 20th, at Burlington Field starting at 7 p.m. School will dismiss at 12:30 p.m. on Sep. 20th for the Homecoming Parade, which is scheduled to begin at 2:30 p.m.

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The Annual Bell Game versus the Marceline Tigers is Friday, Oct. 25th, at Marceline this year, beginning at 7 p.m.



## PUBLIC NOTICE

All responsible public agencies are required to locate, evaluate, and identify children with disabilities who are under the jurisdiction of the agency, regardless of the severity of the disability, including children attending private schools, children who live outside the district but are attending a private school within the district, highly mobile children, such as migrant and homeless children, children who are wards of the state, and children who are suspected of having a disability and in need of special education even though they are advancing from grade to grade. The Brookfield R-III School District assures that it will provide a free, appropriate public education (FAPE) to all eligible children with disabilities between the ages of 3 and 21 under its jurisdiction. Disabilities include autism, deaf/blindness, emotional disorders, hearing impairment and deafness, mental retardation/intellectual disability, multiple disabilities, orthopedic impairment, other health impairments, specific learning disabilities, speech or language impairment, traumatic brain injury, visual impairment/blindness and young child with a developmental delay. The Brookfield R-III School District assures that it will provide information and referral services necessary to assist the State in the implementation of early intervention services for infants and toddlers eligible for the Missouri First Steps program. The Brookfield R-III School District assures that personally identifiable information collected, used, or maintained by the agency for the purposes of identification, evaluation, placement or provision of FAPE of children with disabilities may be inspected and/or reviewed by their parents/guardians. Parents/guardians may request amendment to the educational record if the parent/guardian believes the record is inaccurate, misleading, or violates the privacy or other rights of their child. Parents have the right to file complaints with the U.S. Department of Education or the Missouri Department of Elementary and Secondary Education concerning alleged failures by the district to meet the requirements of the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA). The Brookfield R-III School District has developed a Local Compliance Plan for the implementation of State Regulations for the individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA). This plan contains the agency's policies and procedures regarding storage, disclosure to third parties, retention and destruction of personally identifiable information and the agency's assurances that services are provided in compliance with the General Education Provision Act (GEPA). This plan may be reviewed in either the office of the Superintendent or the Special Services Office between the hours of 8 a.m. and 4 p.m., Monday through Friday. This notice will be provided in native languages as appropriate.