



From The Principal's Desk

September 27th, 2025 (Lunch Menu for September → [Link](#), October → [Link](#))

Important Dates Coming Up

- ½ Day of School – Friday, October 3rd
- No School – Monday, October 13th (Columbus Day)
- Papa Gino's Fundraising Night – Wednesday, October 15th
- PTO Meeting October – Wednesday, October 15th
- Truck O' Treat – Saturday, October 18th (@ ESS)
- Halloween Gala – Friday, October 24th (@ Bishop Connolly)

New Information This Week

½ Day – Friday, October 3rd: A friendly reminder that there is a ½ day on Friday. Please note that lunch **will be served on Friday**. Also, there is no after-care on Friday. Students must be picked up by 11:30am, as teachers will participate in professional development.

Dismissal times are as follows:

- Beginning at 11:00am for PS/PK.
- 11:20am for Grades K-3.
- 11:30am for Grades 4-8.

CYO Basketball Sign-Ups: For students in Grades 2-8, I am beginning the process of CYO basketball sign-ups. Please click the following link for the forms:

<https://www.espiritosantoschool.org/wp-content/uploads/CYO-Basketball-Registration-Form-and-Letter-25-26.pdf> (Due to Mr. Raposo by Monday, October 6th.)

Information from Prior Memos



Fall Dinner – Featuring the Portuguese Kids!

Tickets are now on sale for our fall dinner!! Be sure to get your tickets today. Purchase your tickets [here](#), or use the QR code below!

Friday, November 21st at 6:00pm
Our Lady of Light Band Club
Quarry Street, Fall River.





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Crossing Guard Update: I'm happy to share that the City of Fall River has assigned a crossing guard to our school, and they will start on Monday. Please note that parents/students **are not to enter the parking lot through the gates on Alden Street on foot. This is for car enter/exit only.** Please use the gate on Everett Street and walk up along the coned area.

PTO: If you would like to be added to the PTO list, please email Mrs. Pacheco at office@es.dfrcs.org.

Afternoon Pickup: Please ensure that individuals who are picking up the children pull all the way down the parking lot. This will maximize the room in the school lot for all. Please do not block entrances and exits of the lot. Lastly, students are not allowed to walk across the parking lot. All parents must exit their vehicle and approach the building. Thank you for your cooperation in making this a smooth process!

CORIs: Now is the time to complete your CORI check, if you would like to volunteer for field trips and different volunteer opportunities. Please note the following:

1. **If you have never been CORId before**, you will need to complete:

- CORI Form: <https://www.fallriverdiocese.org/app/uploads/2024/03/DFR-CORI-Acknowledgement-Form-March-2024.pdf>
- Code of Conduct: <https://www.fallriverdiocese.org/app/uploads/2025/01/Volunteer-Code-of-Conduct-English.pdf>
- Safe Environment Training: <https://www.fallriverdiocese.org/app/uploads/2025/01/B.01a-CMG-End-User-Safe-Environment-Training-Instructions-English.pdf>
- Copy of the front/back of your license

2. **If you have been CORId before**, you will need to complete the CORI form, Code of Conduct and copy of your license. *Please note that some individuals may need to do renewal training if you have been with us for at least six years. If you are unsure about your CORI status, reach out and I can let you know.*