

Farm-to-School Event

On February 28, our local farming partner, Howard Gunn, visited the third-grade gifted class at Richard L. Brown Elementary. The students were very excited to hear from Farmer Gunn as they helped him identify different produce and learn what fruits and vegetables make up different products they buy at the grocery store. He taught them about the growing process from seed to harvest and discussed the importance of eating a healthy, well-balanced diet. Students were then able to take home some fresh produce to share with their families.



Special Menu Days

- On Valentine’s Day, we offered special strawberries and cream side item to celebrate the occasion.
- We kicked off the season of Mardi Gras on February 21 with a Cajun-inspired menu, including chicken and baked fish po’boys, jambalaya, and Cajun black beans.
- In celebration of National Chili Day, we served up some delicious homestyle chili during lunch on February 23.

Mood Boost

This month we featured the “Happy” Moodie on elementary menus and highlighted foods like our tossed Greek salad that will make your body happy and brighten your mood!

Discovery Kitchen

February is National Snack Food Month! Change up your routine snacks by keeping it fresh with something new! Check out our Discovery Kitchen video recipe for Moroccan Kale Chips. Families were encouraged to follow along at home by visiting vimeo.com/506283783.