

Elementary and High School Menus, Dec. 1 - Dec. 22

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Tuesday, Dec. 16 — Juice, cereal, milk.
Wednesday, Dec. 17 — Juice, sausage with biscuit, milk.
Thursday, Dec. 18 — Juice, waffle with syrup, milk.
Friday, Dec. 19 — Juice, cereal, milk.
Monday, Dec. 22 — Juice, doughnut, milk.

LUNCH
Monday, Dec. 1 — Coney island, baked beans, slaw, pineapple, milk.
Tuesday, Dec. 2 — Beef vegetable soup with crackers, "mock" ham salad sandwich, carrot stick, orange half, milk.
Wednesday, Dec. 3 — Taco, buttered corn, celery, ice cream, milk.
Thursday, Dec. 4 — Pork with gravy, peas, hot rolls, jelly, cookie, milk.
Friday, Dec. 5 — Hammy, salty, tomato slice, green beans, peach and cottage cheese salad, brownie, milk.
Monday, Dec. 8 — Hamburger on bun, onion rings, lettuce wedge, gingerbread with sauce, milk.
Tuesday, Dec. 9 — Chili with crackers, peanut butter sandwich, orange, milk.
Wednesday, Dec. 10 — Sausage, mashed potatoes, peas, baked apple, biscuits, cereal, milk.
Thursday, Dec. 11 — Hamburger hash, cornstarchy slaw, slaw, cornbread, ice cream, milk.
Friday, Dec. 12 — Pizza, corn, vegetable jelly, cookie, milk.
Monday, Dec. 15 — Spaghetti, cheese sauce, loss salad, French bread, cookie, milk.
Tuesday, Dec. 16 — Chicken noodle soup with crackers, peanut butter and jelly sandwich, orange half, milk.
Wednesday, Dec. 17 — Flap on bun, macaroni with cheese, green beans, fruit, cookie, milk.
Thursday, Dec. 18 — Hot dog on bun, cowboy beans, slaw, puddings, milk.
Friday, Dec. 19 — Ham, baked potato, lima beans, celery sticks, fruit salad, hot rolls, ice cream, milk.
Monday, Dec. 22 — Hamburger on bun, tomato slice, lettuce, potato chips, banana, milk.
Choice of white or chocolate milk for lunch.

Tax bills

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 local sales-assessment ratio. This must be done to comply with the federal Railroad Reorganization and Revitalization Act, Public Law 96-210, which provides that such property must be assessed at the same rate as other local commercial property.

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Unemployment in Kentucky near national jobless rate

Unemployment in Kentucky averaged close to the national jobless rate during the June-September quarter, according to Department for Human Resources statistics released recently. The state's 7.8 percent unemployment rate average for the four months was 0.3 percentage points more than the national average of 7.6 percent. In September, the state's jobless rate was 7.1 percent of the labor force, 0.8 percentage points higher than the national's manufacturing rate, said Robert MacDonald, the department's chief labor market analyst. The state represents 128,000 people geographically located "pretty evenly throughout the state," he said. Of the Kentuckians represented in the unemployment statistics, approximately 27.5 percent lived in the western and

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Reynolds buys aluminum beverage cans and other clean household aluminum products such as pie plates, foil, food containers, TV dinner trays, and tin, padding and most containers. Unlike most recycling companies, Reynolds will also accept virtually any aluminum castings such as pots, pans, lawnmower housings, barbecue grills, antennas, guttering, and storm doors and windows. These items must be cut to lengths of three feet or under, free of other metal bolts and loadings, must be securely banded and not mixed in with aluminum cans.

Aluminum items are light-weight and non-magnetic, so test the material before you attempt to recycle it. For more information regarding current rates per pound and nearest collection point, call the Reynolds Aluminum Recycling Company's toll-free number: 1-800-238-2525.

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Kentucky's first Thanksgiving

Legend accords the first Thanksgiving observance in North America to a group of Pilgrims at a lonely settlement called Plymouth, who gathered to celebrate their first year of survival with prayer and feasting. The day didn't receive official recognition until 1863, when President Lincoln proclaimed Thanksgiving a national holiday to be celebrated on the last Thursday of November. During Franklin Roosevelt's presidency the date was moved up to the fourth Thursday in November to allow more time for the Christmas shopping season.

But Kentucky's day of Thanksgiving historically was way ahead of the national celebration. Gov. Robert F. Letcher declared "a day of prayer, praise and thanksgiving" to be celebrated in Kentucky on Sept. 21, 1845. It was one of his last acts before leaving office, since his successor was to be elected only a few weeks later.

According to a report in a Frankfort newspaper, the state's capital city observed the day with morning and evening church services. The paper

Fuel gauge survey

Kentucky motorists should have no difficulty in finding gasoline along the state's major highways over the Thanksgiving holiday.

According to the AAA Blue Grass Automobile Club's November fuel gauge survey, 63 percent of the stations reporting will be open on Thanksgiving Day; 71 percent will be open past 9 p.m. on Saturday, and 34 percent will be open on Sunday.

The AAA survey also showed that the average price per gallon at full-service stations dropped almost one cent.

The average cost at full-service pumps is \$1.23 for regular, \$1.31 for premium, \$1.28 for no lead, and \$1.06 for diesel. Self-service prices are \$1.15 for regular, \$1.20 for premium and \$1.21 for no lead.

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