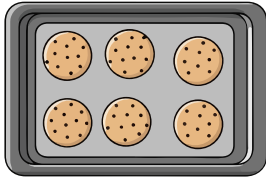


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Freshman Cookie Dough

Chocolate Chip, Oatmeal Raisin,
and Peanut Butter

2 lb container: \$15

Pick-up date: Saturday, May 2 | 9am - 12pm

Orders due by Wednesday, April 15.



Association of Christian Schools International

Our ACSI accreditation visit has been rescheduled for April 19 - 22. Please be in prayer that we are able to represent GMS and Jesus well over this time!



Application deadline is April 15 (no exceptions)



Message from the Principals

We have been spending some time looking at the future of GMS and what a possible building project would look like. We have also been looking ahead to the school's 100th Anniversary celebration in 2028. These two ideas have led us to [look back at the faithfulness of the Lord](#) as the school has changed and grown slowly over the years. I thought I would share some of the basic parts of the history of the school.

- **1928** - Students were expelled from the local public school and the Greenwood Mennonite Church decided to open Greenwood Mennonite School under the leadership of Nevin Bender.
- **1932** - The "Little Brown Schoolhouse" was built on Rt. 36 and educated students in 1st-12th grade for several decades.
- **1958** - The school moved to its current location with the construction of what is now the middle school hallway and the main offices / 4th grade classroom. At that time, it was simply a basic building in the middle of an empty field.
- **1964** - Two more classrooms were added which are now the 1st and 2nd grade rooms.
- **1979** - Three additional classrooms (currently the Kindergarten and 3rd grade rooms) were added.
- **1992** - Construction began for a multi-year building project which is now the gym, cafeteria, and additional classrooms, completing the building as we have it today.

Since the early 90's, other changes have taken place within the building - offices and classrooms were created in what was the old gym, walls have been added and removed as needed to create space for larger classrooms and/or more offices. During the Covid years, the cafeteria turned into two classrooms to create required distancing for students/desks. As the school grew after the pandemic, we added four classrooms in the two modular buildings that are still being used. Finally, with the addition of the path and the increased need for gym time, we moved all of our chapels to the new Greenwood Mennonite Church building.

In all of this, we are *so thankful* for the Lord's leading through each step. We realize that if any of these projects had not been undertaken and completed, GMS would not be what it is today. Please pray with us for continued clear guidance from the Lord.

2026 April



*A special note that the athletic calendar is up-to-date at the time of printing, but games change often. Please check gmsflamesathletics.com/calendar for the latest schedule.

*Please note that the lunch menu is always subject to change at the cook's discretion.

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
6	7	8	9	10	11
No School - Spring Break					
13 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> MACA Track Meet 9:30 am RBC Salt & Light @ GMC (MS/HS) 4pm ⚽ MS Girls @ St. Anne's 4pm ⚾ MS Boys vs Salsbury School 	14 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 8:30 Elem (PreK-1st) Chapel: Crystal Brock 4pm ⚽ Varsity Girls vs Chestertown 	15 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 8:30 HS Chapel: Woody Bates 9:30 MS Chapel: Woody Bates LifeTouch Class Pictures 	16 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 9:45 2nd Grade to Country Rest Home 4pm ⚽ Varsity Girls @ Calvary 4pm ⚾ Varsity Boys @ Holly Grove 	17 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 4pm ⚽ MS Girls vs Providence 4pm ⚾ MS Boys @ Delmarva Christian 4pm ⚾ Varsity Boys vs Salisbury Christian 	18
<i>Cheesy Mac & Ham</i>	<i>Chicken Patty Sandwiches</i>	<i>Pizza (HS: Salad Option)</i>	<i>French Toast & Sausage</i>	<i>Meatball Subs</i>	
20 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 4pm ⚽ MS Girls @ Campus Community 4pm ⚾ MS Boys @ Salisbury Christian 4pm ⚾ Varsity Boys vs Delaware Valley Classical 	21 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 8:30 Elem (2nd - 4th) Chapel: Konnect HQ 6pm 5-12th grades Music (Choir and Band) Concert 	22 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 8:30 HS Chapel: TBD 9:30 MS Chapel: TBD MACSA Track Meet 	23	24 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 3pm ⚾ MS Boys vs Lighthouse 3:30 pm ⚾ Vars Boys @ Delaware Valley Classical 4pm ⚽ MS Girls @ Red Lion 4pm ⚽ Vars Girls @ Delaware Valley Classical 	25 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1928 Club Dinner
ACSI Accreditation Visit					
<i>Chicken & Rice</i>	<i>Orange Chicken</i>	<i>Pizza (HS: Salad Option)</i>	<i>Italian Subs</i>	<i>Pork BBQ Nachos</i>	
27 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 12pm GMS Track Meet hosted at Woodbridge High School 4pm ⚽ MS Girls @ Holy Cross 4pm ⚾ MS Boys @ Holly Grove 	28 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Mid-Term 4 8:30 Elem (PreK - 1st) Chapel: Konnect HQ 4pm ⚽ MS Girls @ Delaware Valley Classical 4pm ⚾ Vars Boys vs Tri-State 	29 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 8:30 HS Chapel: Sandy Good 9:30 MS Chapel: Sandy Good 9/10 Trip to DC 	30 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 9am 3rd Grade Wax Museum 4pm ⚽ MS Girls vs. Tri-State 	May 1 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 4pm ⚾ MS Boys vs Salisbury Christian 	2
Spring MAP Testing					
<i>Baked Ziti</i>	<i>Chicken Nuggets</i>	<i>Pizza (HS: Salad Option)</i>	<i>Taco Salad</i>	<i>Sloppy Joes</i>	