

# May Lunch Fun Facts

Palmyra Eagle Area Schools



Monday

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No School	<p>Today we have tater tots on the menu.</p> <p>Did you know that Americans eat 70 million pounds of tater tots every year?</p>	<p>Today we have fresh cucumbers as one of the vegetable choices for lunch.</p> <p>Did you know that cucumbers are also used to make pickles?</p>	<p>Raisins are one of the fruit choices for lunch today.</p> <p>Did you know that it takes 4 pounds of grapes to make 1 pound of raisins?</p>	<p>Sloppy Joes are on the menu today-at least that's what we call them in WI. In other parts of the country they are known as barbeques, dynamites, steamers, wimpies, and my favorite : yum-yums.</p>
<p>8</p> <p>Q: What kind of flower should you never put in a vase? A: Cauliflower</p> <p>But you should try some with your lunch today!</p>	<p>9</p> <p>On the salad bar today we have lettuce for your tacos and burritos.</p> <p>Did you know that lettuce is a member of the sunflower family?</p>	<p>10</p> <p>Q: When is an apple not an apple? A: When it's a pineapple! Have some pineapple with your lunch today!</p>	<p>11</p> <p>Today's mixed vegetables include soy beans.</p> <p>Did you know that during The Civil War, soybeans were used in place of coffee because real coffee was hard to get?</p>	<p>12</p> <p>Today we have apricots on the menu.</p> <p>Did you know that apricots were discovered about 4,000 years ago in China?</p>
<p>15</p> <p>Did you know that in South Africa termites and ants are roasted and eaten by the handful, like popcorn? No ants or termites on the lunch menu today – only chicken and fish.</p>	<p>16</p> <p>Breakfast pizza is on today's menu.</p> <p>Did you know that the most popular pizza topping in Brazil is peas and in Japan the most popular topping is squid?</p>	<p>17</p> <p>Today we have grapes on the menu.</p> <p>Did you know that Spanish explorers introduced grapes to America about 300 years ago?</p>	<p>18</p> <p>Today we have applesauce as the fruit choice for lunch.</p> <p>Did you know that the first astronaut to orbit earth, John Glenn, carried squeezable applesauce with him on his spaceflight?</p>	<p>19</p> <p>Did you know that orange doesn't rhyme with any other word? We don't have oranges on the lunch menu today-I just like saying "borange" and "snorange" and "porange". Nope – there really isn't a rhyming word.</p>
<p>22</p> <p>Today for lunch you can have garlic bread with your ravioli.</p> <p>Did you know that in ancient Greece, brides carried bouquets of garlic and herbs-not flowers?</p>	<p>23</p> <p>Today we have corn on the menu.</p> <p>Did you know that corn can come in colors other than yellow? It can also be black, blue, purple, green red and white.</p>	<p>24</p> <p>Honey is one of the ingredients in the mini corn dogs on today's menu.</p> <p>Did you know that worker bees must visit 2 million flowers to make 1 pound of honey?</p>	<p>25</p> <p>Did you know that the first soup ever was made from hippopotamus?</p> <p>For lunch today we're just having chicken noodle.</p>	<p>26</p>  <p>No School</p>
<p>29</p> 	<p>30</p> <p>Today we have pears on the menu. Did you know that there are over 3,000 varieties of pears in the world? Some have funny names like "Hermann" and "Stinking Bishop". We serve "Bartlett" pears for lunch.</p>	<p>31</p> <p><b>Today we have lettuce on the menu.</b></p> <p><b>Did you know that Christopher Columbus first brought lettuce to the Americas?</b></p>		