March 2021

Mark Your Calendars

March 2: Survey to Families, "Return to In-person Learning"

• In anticipation of the possible "<u>Return to In-person Instruction</u>" for students, families are asked to complete the survey, one response for each child enrolled at Media Elementary on or before midnight on March 7. This will help us with our planning! Thank you!

March 2: Read Across America Day!

- Students can wear pajamas to/for school today (participation is optional). No slippers, please!
- Families are encouraged to read or listen to <u>Tiara's Hat Parade</u> and discuss the themes of family, courage, and community
- Students should gather their favorite book/s and have them ready for Tuesday
- Let's Read!

March 5: Mustang Spirit Day (optional)

- Students and staff are invited to wear their school colors (blue and white)
- Participation is optional

March 5: Assembly Schedule

- Students in K-2 and 3-5 have the opportunity to participate in these special **virtual** assemblies, which will take place virtually. **PM Kindergarten students are invited to the AM session**
 - K-2 (9:30-10:15 AM): David Harrell: "The Boy Who Would Be Captain Hook"
 - o 3-5 (10:45-11:30 AM): David Harrell: "Little Potato and Hard to Peel"
- Stay tuned for login information

March 9: RTMSD Special Legislative Meeting, 6:00 PM

This special meeting will be held to vote on the proposed changes to the RTMSD Health and Safety Plan

March 9: RTMSD Committee Meetings, 6:30 PM

- This is the monthly committee meeting of the School Directors, Superintendent, Assistant Superintendent, etc.
- All RTMSD residents are invited to join virtually using the link on the district website

March 10: Flexible Learning Day

• Today all students will access their learning day from home

March 10: Parent-Teacher Conferences, 5:00 - 8:00 PM

• Schedule a time to meet with your child's teacher, "Time to Sign-up"

March 10: School Closed for Parent-Teacher Conferences, 8:30 AM - 8:00 PM,

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March 12: No School for Students

March 15: Grades 1-2 return to In-Person Learning

• Grades 1-2 students return to in-person learning

March 15: MES PTG Meeting, 7:00 PM

• Please join us for this special meeting of the Parent-Teacher Group

MES March 17: Grade 3-4 students return to In-Person Learning

• Grade 3-4 students return to in-person learning

March 15: MES F.A.R.E. Meeting, 7:00 PM

• Please join us for this special meeting of our F.A.R.E. Committee

MES March 22: Grade 5 students return to In-Person Learning

• Grade 5 students return to in-person learning

March 25: RTMSD School Board Meeting, 7:00 PM

- This is the monthly legislative meeting of the School Directors
- All RTMSD residents are invited to join virtually using the link on the district website

March 26: Mustang Spirit Day (optional)

- Students and staff are invited to wear their school colors (blue and white)
- Participation is optional

March 29 - April 2: School Closed, Spring Break

Updates/Reminders

- **Daily Health Screening for Students**: Families are reminded to complete the daily health screening for students prior to their leaving for school
- **Student/Parent-Pick-up on State Street:** Please remember to wear a mask and remain socially distant when picking up your children at the end of the day. Thank you for your cooperation!
- **Taking a Trip?** Please remember to complete a "<u>Pre-planned Absence</u>" form and submit it at least five days before your absence
- **School Messenger:** School Messenger is the global communication system used by the **Rose Tree Media School District** and **Media Elementary** to communicate with RTMSD/MES families
- **Membership Toolkit:** This is a **PTG** (Parent-Teacher Group) initiative that allows families to choose their level of inclusion in a school directory. To be included, please follow the directions that were in your Open House packet

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Here's a "Head Start" on April 2021

April 9: Wear Your Favorite Colors (optional)

- Students and staff are invited to wear their favorite colors
- Participation is optional

April 13: RTMSD Committee Meetings, 6:30 PM

- This is the monthly committee meeting of the School Directors, Superintendent, Assistant Superintendent, etc.
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April 16: Mustang Spirit Day (optional)

- Students and staff are invited to wear their school colors (blue and white)
- Participation is optional

April 22: RTMSD School Board Meeting, 7:00 PM

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April 23: Mustang Spirit Day (optional)

- Students and staff are invited to wear their school colors (blue and white)
- Participation is optional

It's a GREAT day to be a Media Mustang!