



Middle School Newsletter

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learning success!

From: Dr. Flaherty
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April 2019

Monday , April 8	C Day 7 th Grade ELA MCAS	After School Help 2:20 – 2:50 p.m.
Tuesday , April 9	D Day 7 th Grade ELA MCAS	After school help 2:20- 2:50 p.m.
Wednesday , April 10	E Day 8 th Grade ELA MCAS	After school help 2:20- 2:50 p.m.
Thursday , April 11	F day 8 th Grade ELA MCAS	After school help 2:20- 2:50 p.m.
Friday , April 12	A day	

Messages from Principal Flaherty: Join Us on Twitter @Masco_Principal

Dress Code

The weather will be getting warmer over the next few weeks so some of you may be doing some spring shopping over break. Each spring we want to remind students and parents of the dress code outlined in our student handbook (page 25), along with consequences for violations. We understand that students will want to wear summer wear to help remain cool as school temperatures rise, but we need to ensure that students are dressed appropriate for school and that dress is in no manner a distraction to the learning environment. Enjoy your vacation week!

Masco Excels

Session III paperwork for Masco Excels was distributed today during Homeroom. Registration has been extended until tomorrow Friday, April 5, 2019. Programs will begin the week after vacation. Space is limited in some of the programs, so participation is first-come, first-served. Programs will run for six consecutive weeks excluding vacation week. See below for all of the programs being offered.

MCAS testing

We are off to a good start with MCAS testing this week. Make up testing will begin immediately upon return from vacation on April 22, 2019.

Masco Millions:

Masco Million Results: **All Team weekly** results **19,647** and the **Grand total: 706,820** pages. Great job by Seven White on the number of pages posted this week. Remember, the page total reflects that we need

293,180 more pages to reach 1,000,000 pages, but we are trying to beat the year-end total from June 2017. Congratulations on the page totals read. Please continue to encourage your children to enter pages read from their textbooks, short stories, or any other reading you do as a class. These figures represent the numbers logged in by 3:00 PM Thursday, April 4, 2019.

Team	Week Total	Total
7 Blue	0	84,240
7 Red	0	126,915
7 White	18,420	163,125
8 Blue	635	84,855
8 Red	592	124,453
8 White	0	123,232

Upcoming Dates of Importance

April 15 – 19, 2019	HW Free Spring Vacation
April 22- 25, 2019	ELA Make Up Testing
April 29, 2019	Delayed Opening for Students; 10:05 a.m.
May 3 & 4, 2019	MS Musical Honk, Jr.
May 3, 2019	MS All Art Show, 3:00- 7:00 p.m.
May 8, 2019	Jazz Concert, 7:00 p.m./cafeteria
May 9, 2019	7 th Grade Science Fair, 6:00 – 8:00 p.m.
May 16, 2019	Incoming 7 th Grade, Parents' Night
May 21, 2019	Chorus Concert
May 23, 2019	Band Concert
May 24, 2019	11:00 a.m. dismissal for students/no lunch served
May 27, 2019	Memorial Day, No School