



Take Flight at Meadowlark Ridge

A Note from the Principal

Happy Fall Meadowlark Families! Time flies-we've already completed seven weeks of school. The end of the first quarter is October 12. The last month has been full of activities!

- Marathon is coming to a close on October 6. Thank you to Mr. Z and all the parent and teacher volunteers who helped make this possible.
- Parent Teacher Conferences and the Book Fair also went very well this year. Thank you PTO for providing a delicious dinner and snacks during conferences for our hard working teachers.

Halloween will be coming soon. Please watch for more information about parades and parties. If you need anything, please don't hesitate to reach out.

-Heather Galvan



MLR COLOR RUN

Meadowlark Ridge had another successful Color Run! Students and their families ran or walked around the school and enjoyed getting sprayed with water and splashed with color. The smiling faces of students was priceless! Thank you to the families who took the time out of their schedule to enjoy this event. A special thank you to the parents who donated their time to help set up and make it a successful event.

MLR Fun Night

Meadowlark Ridge Elementary had another successful Fun Night on Friday, September 22nd. The weather was perfect for the outdoor celebration! Students were able to play games, purchase snacks, and win prizes. Students were able to put tickets into 100 different buckets for a chance to win prizes. Thank you to Saleena Battin, head of Fun Night, PTO members, parent volunteers, teachers, and everyone who donated to make this night a wonderful experience for our students! You make Meadowlark the



Music Programs

All music programs will be held in the MLR gym. Additional information will be sent out soon.

November 9:

- 2nd grade @ 6:15 p.m.
- 4th grade @ 7:15 p.m.

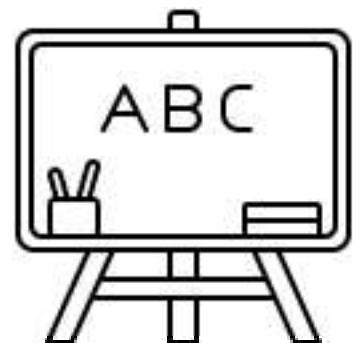
Our annual Veteran's Day program will be held on November 10 at 1:00 p.m. in the gym.



Reminder

NO
SCHOOL
OCTOBER
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TEACHER INSERVICE DAY



Absences

If your child is going to be absent, please call the school by 9:00 a.m. or leave a voicemail on the office answering machine.

Reminder

If your child is not riding the bus home, please call the school by 3:00 p.m.

PTO

Thursday October 5th
6:00 p.m.
in the library

Site Council

Tuesday October 17
3:45 p.m.
in the library



Halloween

Parade: (Weather Permitting) The costume parade for Grades K-5, will begin promptly at 8:45 a.m. on Tuesday, October 31. Students will parade around the block. Parents/Guardians are invited to watch students as they parade outside.

Costume: We in no way support the other values sometimes associated with Halloween: horror, evil or license to scare and hurt others. Please choose costumes that do not promote violence or contain blood, goo, extreme make-up covering the whole face and weapons. Students who wish to participate in the parade should come to school in costume. Please have your student wear school clothes under costume or be able to change quickly after the parade.

Party: October 31 is primarily a learning day. Students will change into school clothes after the parade. A short party will take place in each classroom during the day. Classroom teachers will send out information with times.

Costume Parade



Library Policies

Library Catalog Access for Families:

Parents have access to the library materials currently checked out by their student(s). For access, parents will have their student log into Destiny, the library card catalog:

1. Go to the school's website.
2. Under the Our School tab, click on Library.
3. Under Library, click on the school's library Card Catalog tab.
4. For your student to log in, they can click the Log In button on the top right corner.
5. Next, click on the Sign in with Google button.

Process for Parental Oversight:

Library media specialists should be contacted directly if parents would like to provide expressed permission before their student checks out any book. At elementary, the library media specialist will notify parent by email or phone regarding the book the student would like to check out to get permission. At middle school and high school, the student will provide their parent with the title of the book they wish to check out. The parent will contact the library media specialist by email or phone to give permission.

Checking Out Materials and Loan Periods:

Elementary:

Students may check out books for a two week period. (The number of books a student can check out depends on the student's grade level.)

Middle School:

Students may check out 3 books for a three week check out period.

High School:

Students may check out 8 books for a three week check out period.

October Calendar

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	31				

Last Day of Marathon - Oct 6

End of the 1st 9 weeks - Oct 12

No School - October 13

Halloween Parade - October 31



Contact Us

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 **School Website**

 **District Website**

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