

Thank you PTA for the wonderful lunch last week! It was delicious and it is appreciated.

We are committed to providing students with access to technology here and at home. Please use the link below to request a chromebook.

<https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSdDNdqO31soXKLffjcEzgVQ9C2Z2koPm6ifKm7-K77e44ZhAg/viewform>

It will be delivered to your child's school. I am attaching flyers that also include information. The chromebook will need to be returned at the end of the school year.

MCPS has decided to issue a Request For Proposal to identify the curriculum used for elementary ELA when the current contract ends. Key curriculum requirements include Structured Literacy aligned to the Science of Reading research, a strong writing program, and reflects the diverse experiences and identities of all students. A decision is expected to be made by the end of March 2023. The timeline and link to additional information on the MCPS website is provided here.

<https://www.montgomeryschoolsmd.org/curriculum/office/ela-rfp.aspx>

Next week is our last week before winter break. We have school Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. There is no school on Friday.

The PTA newsletter is also attached to keep you up to date on all things KP.

I hope families have a wonderful break and we will welcome you back on January 3rd, 2023.

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