

Good evening Rosemont Families,

We hope you had a wonderful and safe spring break. As a reminder, there is **NO SCHOOL** for staff and students on Monday, April 10. We will see everyone on Tuesday, April 11. This week's RES Community Connection features several important messages.

SCHOOL SAFETY REMINDERS

Please be reminded that vapes, cigarettes, lighters and/or matches are not allowed on school property. Parents/guardians we ask you to take time to talk to your children about substance abuse and expect them to "just say no." We must continue to stand together to make a difference in the lives of our students by opening their eyes and minds to the dangers of vaping, illegal drugs, and alcohol. Also, continue to encourage students to speak to an adult if they hear of or see others engaging in unsafe acts at school. The possession of vapes, cigarettes, lighters and/ or matches will result in an immediate in- school suspension. Thank you for your continued support as we work together to keep all of our students safe at RES.

MCAP ASSESSMENT- WEEK OF APRIL 17- 21

The Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA) requires that states administer annual statewide assessments to all students in English Languages Arts/Literacy and Mathematics in grades 3-8. Next week grade 5 will begin spring state testing. To help your student do their best, please make sure your child arrives to school on time every day of testing, avoid scheduling any appointments during your child's designated testing dates, ensure students are well rested and focused on testing dates and encourage your child to do their best and take their time on the test! If a student comes late, they will have to take the test during a make-up session. See below for specific testing dates and times.

Grade Level	Test Date and Time
Grade 5 MCAP ELA	April 17, 18, 19, 20 9:30- 11:30

CELEBRATING MATH MATH AT RES

April is Math Month! During the week of the 17th, help us show our love for math by participating in our daily spirit themes next week! See attached flyer to begin preparing! We can't wait to see all of your fun outfits!

HEARING AND VISION SCREENING- VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

In accordance with Maryland State Law students in Montgomery County Public Schools are screened for possible vision and hearing problems. Trained hearing and vision screeners will be screening students new to MCPS, students in Grade(s) K through 2, and students referred by teachers because of possible signs of hearing or vision problems. The screeners will be at Rosemont Elementary on

4/26, 4/27, 4/28. Parents and guardians, if you are available during any of the listed dates to assist with the screening please volunteer. Please review the available slots below and use the link to sign-up! (April 26-28, 2023) [SIGN UP HERE!](#)

KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION & ORIENTATION

If you know of any child that will be 5 by September 1, register them for kindergarten beginning Monday, March 27! Parents can register through phone, the MCPS registration website ([click here](#)) or call the school if you prefer paper forms. Kindergarten orientation will be held for the 2023-24 school year on Monday, May 1 and Tuesday, May 2. Make sure your rising kindergarten is registered now!

TEACHER APPRECIATION BREAKFAST

This year teacher appreciation week will be celebrated from Monday, May 8 to Friday, May 12. Let's show our fabulous RES staff our appreciation by providing breakfast for them on Tuesday, May 9. Breakfast foods and items must be set up in the Rosemont staff lounge by **8:15 a.m.** on **Tuesday, May 9 or non- perishable items can be drop off earlier.** Please sign up below to volunteer to provide one or more item. Thank you! [CLICK HERE TO SIGN UP!](#)

LEADER IN ME FAMILY SURVEY

Starting Monday, March 20, our school will be releasing the Measurable Results Assessment (MRA), a survey and reporting system designed to provide insights into the progress of our school with the LEADER IN ME CURRICULUM. The online survey should be completed by one member of each household and takes about 5 minutes to complete. We hope you will participate so we can use the feedback to make our school an even better place for students and families. If you have any questions about the surveys or wish to see a list of questions, please contact Tawny Ditto, Staff Development Teacher at tawny_n_ditto@mcpsmd.org . The survey is now available for you to take through May 19, 2023 and can be taken from any computer, smartphone, or tablet with internet access. Simply click on this link: [Rosemont Elementary Family Survey](#)

GRADE 5 PROMOTION

Save the Date! The grade 5 promotion ceremony will be held on Friday, June 9. Stay tuned for additional information.

This concludes the weekly Rosemont Community Connection. Thank you and have a good evening!

Attachments:



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