

Neshaminy School District

Maple Point Middle School ● 2250 Langhorne-Yardley Road ● Langhorne, PA 19047

Dear Students and Parents.

Greetings from Maple Point Middle School! My name is Andy Sokol and I am the principal of Maple Point Middle School. We have made it to August! It is time for an update as we move closer to the start of the 2022-23 We will communicate with you any school vear. changes that occur between now and the beginning of the school year!

22-23 WELCOME **BACK** PARENTS AND STUDENTS!!!

Student Schedule Release of Home Access

Student schedules will be available on Home Access on August 22nd at 3:00 pm. make sure of your log in information prior to that time.

School Information

For School District and Maple Point information, please visit:

https://www.neshaminy.org/Domain/406

This link will take you to the Maple Point Webpage and you can find all pertinent information located there including announcements, school supply lists, math packets and summer reading information.

Student Orientation 5th grade and all new students

Orientation day will take place on **Thursday, August 25th**. We will be holding two sessions that day set up alphabetically. Parents are to attend with their student.

Students with the last name starting between A to K will report to the Auditorium at 9:00 am. Students with the last name starting between L to Z will report to the Auditorium at 1:00 pm

SEPTEMBER CALENDAR

Important Dates for the month of September:

8/31 – First day for 5th grade students ONLY 9/1– All grades attend school 9/5 – Labor Day – No School 9/26 & 9/27 – Rosh Hashanah – No School 9/29 – Back to school night

BACK-TO-SCHOOL NIGHT

Back to school night will occur on September 29th starting at 7:00 pm. This will be an opportunity to meet your students' teachers and follow their schedule for a day! We will send home a reminder and information as the date approaches.

CHROMEBOOK

On the main district web page, there is information on summer Chromebook repairs. Please visit this site when an appointment is needed.

CANVAS – Maple Point's Learning Management System

For the 2022-23 school year, all teachers are using Canvas. Canvas is the learning management system used by the Neshaminy School District. This is a one-stop shop for information. The only information you will not be able to access is student grades. Parents will still use Home Access to view grades.

All students will have a Canvas account. Parents will be able to log on using student accounts to view the following:

- Utilizing the syllabus page to see course information.
- Teachers will be posting a daily agenda on "Canvas Announcements".
- Teachers will be posting all due dates for assignments and assessments on the Canvas Calendar.

Parents will be directed to a teacher's Canvas site should they go to a teachers website.

HOME ACCESS CENTER AND RESIDENCY - (HAC)

- Home access is where you find all your students' information, grades, transportation, etc. It is imperative that all information is correct in home access (email address and phone numbers) or you may miss critical information that is sent out. If your information changes during the year, please update Home Access. If you have an address change, please visit the website at www.neshaminy.org, click the Central Registration tab and follow directions for address changes.
- All 5th grade students are required to update their proof of residency. Please visit the
 website at <u>www.neshaminy.org</u>, click the Central Registration tab and review the
 requirements.

• Anyone with an expired lease must update residency with Central Registration. Your current lease can be uploaded to www.residency@neshaminy.org.

GUIDANCE

This year counselors will be grade specific. Please contact your grade level counselor with any concerns regarding, grades, peers, home issues, etc. through email or by calling, 215-809-7234

- Mr. Crozier Grade 5
- Mr. Martys Grade 6
- Mrs. Rawson-Kealy Grade 7
- Dr. Horsley Grade 8

TEAM STRUCTURE FOR GRADES 5 THROUGH 8

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		2022-23	MAPLE P	חוואו ואווט	DLE 2	CHOOL TEA	MVI 5
TEAM	GRADE	ENGLISH	MATH	READING	SCIENCE	SOCIAL STUDIES	LEARNING SUPPORT
Α	6	KANE A214	MERCHIORE - B220 VARELL - A211	HARKINS A221		KAUKER A207	KUNECK - A206 PIENTA - D204 SMITH - A218
В	6	FLAVILLE-BOOP A213		GASES A212		LEVER A216	
С	7		MURPHY - A213 ZDUNCZYK - C207	ADAMOYURKA C210		ROSALES C212	CHANTRY - C217 MISHON - C205 RUSSELL - C219
D	1 7	ANDRUSKO C215	VARELL - A211 ZDUNCZYK - C207	HAWKINS C220		MARTERELLA C214	
E	8	FOLEY C230	CURLEY - B214 DOSTER - C224 MAROTTA - C234	IMBODY C237		SLATER C233	EMRICH - C239 IRIZARRY - C206
F	l Q	ODY C231				HASTINGS C229	KEALEY - C240 MISHON - C205
G	5	BLUM A233	SWEENEY B223	GARTENMEYER A234	FISHER REDDY A237 A239		
н	5	MILLER A232	O'LEARY A230	O'BOYLE A231	STRADA GARIE A226 A227		
- 1	5	TEAM I STAFF	WELDIE A229	RICE A224	MITCHEM SZRAI A225 A235		SZRAMIAK A235
AUTISTIC SUPPORT			COOK - D105A / GROGAN - E205				
EMOTIONAL SUPPORT			SZRAMIAK (GRADE 5) - A235 / FORTNUM (GRADES 6-8) B218 / MULCAHY (GRADES 6-8) B221				
MULTIPLE DISABILITIES SUPPORT			MCFADDEN - D103				
SPECIALIZED LEARNING SUPPORT			MCDONOUGH (GRADE 5) - B222 / BENNETT (GRADES 6-8) - C228 / CURRAN (GRADES 6-8) - C223				

STUDENT ARRIVAL

This year, students will report to the following locations as they enter the building:

5th grade & 6th Grade– Boys gymnasium 7th grade & 8th grade – Cafeteria

Students may enter starting at 7:25. Students will be dismissed to their lockers at 7:50 and will report to homeroom at 8:00.

<u>Students are not permitted to enter the building before 7:25 a.m</u>, unless they are involved in a scheduled co-curricular program. For the safety and well-being of all our students as they arrive each day, we want to ensure sufficient staff supervision in the building.

BELL SCHEDULES GRADES 6-8

MPMS 2022-23 BELL SCHEDULE GRADES 6-8					
STUDENTS RELEASED TO LOC	KERS	7:50			
1ST HOMEROOM WARNING B	ELL	7:55			
FINAL HOMEROOM WARNING	7:58				
HOMEROOM	8:00-8:06				
PERIOD 1		8:06-8:52 (46 MINUTES)			
TRANSITION	3 MINUTES				
PERIOD 2		8:55-9:41 (46 MINUTES)			
TRANSITION	3 MINUTES				
PERIOD 3	9:44-10:30 (46 MINUTES)				
LOCKER BREAK	10:30-10:35 (5 MINUTES)				
GRADE	LUNCH	PERIOD 4	PERIOD 5		
6	10:35-11:05	11:08-11:53 (45 MIN.)	11:56-12:41 (45 MIN.)		
7	11:23-11:53	10:35-11:20 (45 MIN.)	11:56-12:41 (45 MIN.)		
8	12:11-12:41	10:35-11:20 (45 MIN.)	11:23-12:08 (45 MIN.)		
LOCKER BREAK		12:41-12:46 (5 MINUTES)			
PERIOD 6		12:46-1:32 (46 MINUTES)			
TRANSITION		3 MINUTES			
PERIOD 7	1:35-2:22 (47 MINUTES)				
TRANSITION	3 MINUTES				
WIN	2:25-2:55				

BELL SCHEDULE GRADE 5

MPMS 2022-23 BELL SCHEDULE GRADE 5					
STUDENTS RELEASED TO LOCKERS	7:50				
1ST HOMEROOM WARNING BELL	7:55				
FINAL HOMEROOM WARNING BELL	7:58				
HOMEROOM	8:00-8:06				
TRANSITION	2 MINUTES				
PERIOD 1	8:08-9:01 (53 MINUTES)				
TRANSITION	2 MINUTES				
PERIOD 2	9:03-9:56 (53 MINUTES)				
LOCKER BREAK	9:56-10:01 (5 MINUTES)				
SNACK	10:01-10:16 (15 MINUTES)				
TRANSITION	4 MINUTES				
PERIOD 3	10:20-11:13 (53 MINUTES)				
TRANSITION	2 MINUTES				
PERIOD 4	11:15-12:08 (53 MINUTES)				
TRANSITION	2 MINUTES				
INTERVENTION AND ENRICHMENT	12:10-12:57 (47 MINUTES)				
LOCKER BREAK	12:57 - 1:02 (5 MINUTES)				
LUNCH	1:02-1:32 (30 MINUTES)				
TRANSITION	3 MINUTES				
SPECIALS	1:35-2:22 (47 MINUTES)				
TRANSITION	3 MINUTES				
WIN	2:25-2:55				

STUDENT DISMISSAL

All students will be dismissed at 2:55, the normal end to the school day.

Traffic patterns for drop off and pickup remain the same as last year.

- There are two drop off and pick up points for walkers and car riders. EACH IS
 A ONE WAY TRAFFIC PATTERN. Please see the pictures following this
 information.
- Parents dropping or picking up students off are asked to use either entrance: Langhorne Yardley Road or Woodbourne Road. Whichever you choose, please leave using the same way. We expect more traffic in our parking lots and student safety is PARAMOUNT. Parents are not permitted to park in parking spots to drop or pick up students. Please stay in line and pull up to the gym or auditorium in the car line to have your students enter your car. To help insure the safety of students and drivers, one-way patterns are in affect at all times during drop off and pick-ups. Parents dropping off and picking up students during bus transport times <u>cannot</u> use the rear parking area. Doors will open at 7:25 a.m. and pickup will occur at 2:55 p.m. We ask that you pull close to the curb to avoid blocking the drive.
- We will have adults and signage out to direct traffic as we become familiar with the new traffic patterns. We appreciate your patience as we institute this change in order to make sure students are safe and traffic flows the best that it can.
- Early dismissals and late drop off may still use the front entrance during non-busing times (7:55 – 2:55).

Please review the pictures on the next page for drop off and arrival procedures. All buses will enter from Woodbourne Road and travel the yellow route to the back of the building to drop off and pick up students. Please review the maps on the next page.

Student Accident Insurance

Alive Risk is offering a student accident group insurance plan for students. The cost is \$27 for school time or \$98 for 24-hour full year protection. Voluntary Student Accident Plans can be found on the MP website under Parents at the top. All applications are done online. The district does not carry medical insurance on students.

Twitter!!! We want to meet students where they live.

Follow Mr. Sokol on Twitter! Please follow Maple Point on Twitter at:

Maple Point MS @MP_MrSokol - Twitter will be used for information, events, pictures and news coming from MP!

In conclusion, the Maple Point family will work to instill a work ethic and values that will follow your student through graduation. We understand the challenges that are before us this year. We will do everything in our power to give our students the best year possible!!! We will follow our mission statement, which is "The Neshaminy community builds futures by empowering each child to become a productive citizen and a lifelong learner." We will deliver educational opportunities that will prepare our students for the next stage of their lives. Expectations are that our students will take advantage of these opportunities, work to the best of their ability, and give their best effort. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact us. Together we will put forth great effort to ensure your student will have a fantastic year.

Sincerely,

Mr. Andy Sokol

Principal



An FYI...from the District.

"Neshaminy School District has engaged Eagle Industrial Hygiene Assoc., Inc., to fulfill the requirements of the Asbestos Hazard Emergency Response Act (AHERA), 40 CFR Part 763, Subpart E. This law requires that each Local Education Authority (LEA) engage EPA accredited individuals to initially inspect and subsequently re-inspect every three years all student and staff accessed areas for the presence of both friable and non-friable asbestos containing materials (ACM) and to develop an Asbestos Management Plan from the information developed from the building inspections. All areas of our facilities were inspected for asbestos-containing materials. The Management Plan provides a description of the amount, type, location and condition of all ACM found in these areas. The Plan also contains a detailed schedule of responses and activities for handling the ACM. The Management Plan is available for review by interested parents, faculty and staff in all school offices during business hours.

Sincerely, Donald B. Irwin, Jr. Business Administrator