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# Kellogg Marsh Element -

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## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

**Dec. 4 ~  
Early Release**

**Dec. 11 ~  
Early Release**

**Dec. 17 ~  
Candy Cane  
Lane—Reverse  
Parade  
Front Parking  
lot  
4:30 to 6 pm**

**Dec. 18 ~  
Early Release**

**Holiday Break ~  
Dec. 21—Jan. 1  
No School**

**Jan. 4 ~ Return  
to school**



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Here you can listen to the monthly news in Russian and Spanish.

## KM CANDY CANE LANE REVERSE PARADE

**Thursday, December 17TH  
4:30 to 6 pm**

PTA is partnering with us to have a reverse parade for you. During this event, families decorate their cars (if they like) and drive through our front parking lot to celebrate. We will have lights, holiday music playing and Mr. and Mrs. Claus here with us waving to the students and families as you drive through. Also, the KM Bear and the MP Cheer Staff will be here to bring some cheer.

At that time, you will be able to see your child's teacher as well as receive a little gift from us.

Our staff, will be wearing our holiday gear. So pull out those ugly sweaters, Santa hats, reindeer ears, we want it all. We are excited about this event. We need some holiday cheer around Kellogg Marsh.



## STUFF THE SHELVES FOOD DRIVE

This year Kellogg Marsh Elementary held a socially distant Thanksgiving food drive for the Marysville Food Bank. In the three weeks leading up to Thanksgiving, families donated non-perishable items in a drive-up style. Cheerleaders from Mrs. G's cheer squad came from MP to cheer on our families as they donated. We set a goal of collecting 500 items. The reward for reaching our goal was that six teachers would get pied in the face. Students also had their names placed in a drawing to silly string a teacher if they brought 10 items, they also got their name placed in a drawing to silly string a principal if they brought 20 items. After all was said and done, we collected over 1,500 items! McKenzie Warner, Lyndin Prout, Daveon Smith, Melia Horgan, Addi Pagle, and Indi Vaughn were drawn to silly-string their teachers! Jude Daher, Liam Mitchell, and Mo Corey were drawn to silly-string Mrs. Nelson and Mrs. Gonzales. Mrs. Scherger, Mrs. DeFreece, Mrs. Pimentel, Mr. Smith, Mr. Hopper, and Mr. Ward were all pied, sometimes multiple times, by the MP Cheerleaders! The pieing was streamed live on Facebook and is still available on the Kellogg Marsh Facebook page. It was also recorded and posted by teachers in their google classrooms. It was an incredible event. We could not have gathered so many items for our community without support from our amazing families!



## RECONNECT PLAN - UPDATE #2

Our District [Reconnect Plan](#) includes six steps for a return to in-person instruction at school based on health, safety, and equity.

We are currently in Step 2 of the plan, however, behind-the-scenes work is happening at the district level and in our schools to prepare for Step 3 for early elementary students in grades PreK-1.

Most recently, families of students in grades PreK-1 were surveyed by their school to determine their comfort level with returning to in-person instruction. 77% of parents and guardians shared that they are comfortable with their child returning to in-person instruction.

While we currently do not have a specific date for the return of students in grades PreK-1. We will continue to work on this plan to allow us to successfully plan for the safe return of all PreK-1 students and staff. A more detailed plan and timeline has been shared with the Board of Directors on November 18 with an update to families and staff to follow. Rest assured that the district will provide a minimum of three weeks' notice so families can plan accordingly.

In the meantime, our teachers and students are working hard teaching and learning in their remote classrooms and each is doing their best. We are very proud of their efforts.

The health and safety of our students and staff is our priority. Thank you for your continued efforts and support.

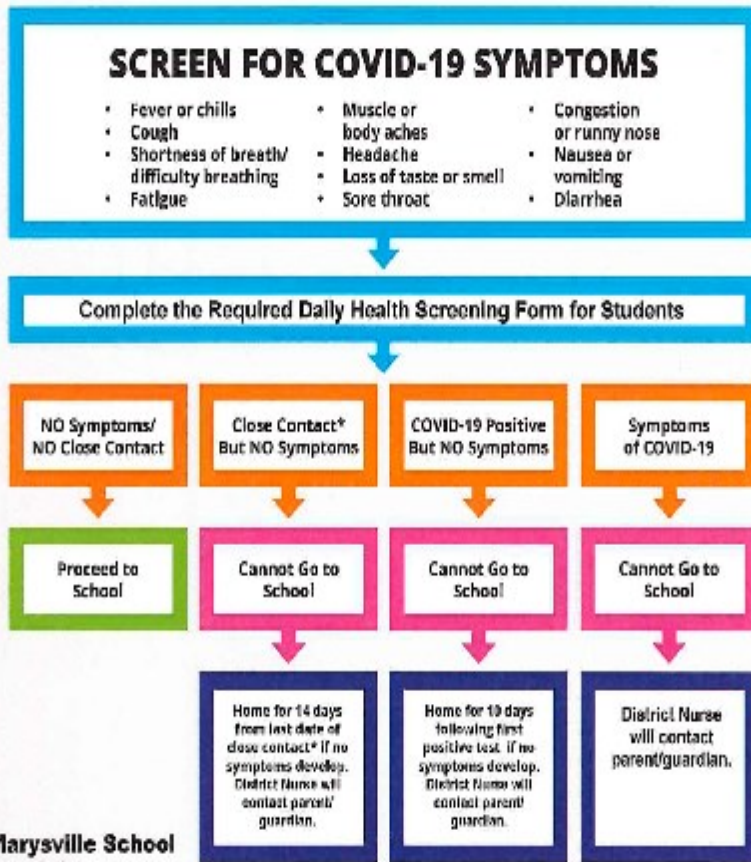
***Happy Holidays from the Kellogg Marsh Staff***

**Chromebook Issues ~ Call Tech Support  
360-965-0202**

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Report Unsafe Situations Anonymous TOLL FREE 1-866-LIVE-TIP or 866-548-3847  
Enter District Code 164**

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\*A "close contact" is less than 6 feet away for at least 15 minutes from a confirmed positive COVID-19 person.















# Daily Symptom Tracker



Parents are the most knowledgeable judge of their own child's health.

Please use this visual checklist each day.

If your child is experiencing any of these symptoms, please keep your child home.

<p><b>Check temperature!</b></p>  <p>If your child has a temperature of 100.4 or higher, please do not send them to school.</p>	<p><b>Uncontrolled cough</b></p> 	<p><b>Shortness of breath or difficulty breathing</b></p> 
<p><b>Fatigue</b></p> 	<p><b>Muscle or body aches</b></p> 	<p><b>Severe headache, especially with fever</b></p> 
<p><b>New loss of taste or smell</b></p> 	<p><b>Sore throat</b></p> 	<p><b>Congestion or runny nose</b></p> 
<p><b>Nausea or vomiting</b></p> 	<p><b>Diarrhea</b></p> 	<p><b>If they had close contact (within 6 ft for at least 15 minutes) with a person with confirmed COVID-19.</b></p> 



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