

Kellogg Marsh Elementary Home of the Bears

JANUARY 2021

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CALENDAR OF EVENTS

**Jan. 15 ~ Early
Release**

**Jan. 18 ~ Martin
Luther King Day
No School**

**Jan. 22 ~ Early
Release**

**Jan. 27 ~ Early
Release 12:00 ~
grading**

**Jan. 28 ~ Early
Release 12:00 ~
grading**

**Jan. 29 ~ Early
Release 12:00 ~
grading**

**Jan. 29 ~ End of 1st
Semester**

Feb. 1 ~ No School

**Feb. 5 ~ Early
Release**

Feb. 12 ~ No School

**Feb. 15 ~ Presi-
dent's Day ~ NO
School**

**Feb. 19 ~ Early
Release**

LINEA DE INFORMACION DE ESCUELAS EN ESPAÑOL
ИНФОРМАЦИОННАЯ ЛИНИЯ НА РУССКОМ ЯЗЫКЕ
SPANISH Info Line (360)965-0254

(360)965-0254
(360)965-0253
RUSSIAN Info Line (360)965-0253

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Dear Kellogg Marsh Families,

Happy New Year and welcome to 2021. The staff and I are looking forward to a new year filled with health and happiness. First, we would like to thank you so much for coming to Candy Cane Lane. We really enjoyed seeing all of our students. It was a lot of fun!! We look forward to doing it again. We would also like to thank you for all of your hard work and support this school year. This has been an extremely challenging school year, but the students and staff of Kellogg Marsh have handled this challenge quite well. I am thankful that I am on this journey with such an amazing group of people.

Wow! It is hard to believe that we are closing out our first semester and working on completing report cards. With that being said, please note that report cards will look a bit different, given our format of remote learning. They will be mailed home in February. After receiving your child's report card, please make sure you contact your child's teacher if you have any questions.

If you have not done so, please take a few minutes to visit the Marysville School District's website, <https://www.msdsd25.org> for the most recent information regarding COVID and the district's plan for reopening schools. We have been working very diligently on this plan to ensure the safety of our students and staff, but most of all, we are excited to see students back at school. Please know that lots of extensive planning and discussion is currently happening to ensure all health and safety protocols are in place.

As we wrap up the semester, we would like to thank all of our students and families for preserving, and also for maintaining proper Zoom etiquette during class. Remember, even though you are in the comforts of your own home, when your child's camera is on and his/her microphone is unmuted, other students in your child's class can hear and see what's going on in your home. Make sure you are representing yourself and your family well by using appropriate language and showing respectful behaviors

As always, please contact us if you have any questions or concerns. Hang in there. Please stay healthy and safe.

Sincerely, Eneille Nelson, Principal

Immunization information for returning to the classroom

As we approach the possibility of in-person Hybrid classes for Kindergarten and 1st grade students, it is very important that parents are aware of the changes in the laws regarding immunizations. Students must be up-to-date with their immunizations prior to returning to in-person learning. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact our Healthroom for clarification. 360-965-1910, ask for Joyce.



EVERY day counts ~ ATTENDANCE MATTERS

Students need to have the security and comfort of a regular routine with learning expectations that are as normal as possible. Missing school is disruptive to the learning process and can have a negative impact on academic progress. We do know that showing up matters, and that when students show up to learn, they are more likely to be able to stay on track, stay engaged and meet major educational milestones. We must work together to ensure that learning moves forward as much as possible during remote learning times.

Important things to remember:

1. Attendance matters, doing well in school and life starts in kindergarten and even in pre-kindergarten.
2. Poor attendance is not just about unexcused absences or children willfully skipping school: excused absences can affect performance, too.
3. It is important for students to be responsible for making sure they develop the habit of regular attendance to be successful in the future.

As we start this new year, we are encouraging all students to make sure they are attending school each day and working hard to complete work. Remember that this is the only year your student will be in their current grade. We want to make sure even though we can't be together in person, we want to help your child learn and grow so they are ready for the next grade level. Every day counts!

Attendance Matters!

Free Meals

Lunches will continue to be provided at each elementary school (M-F) until the end of the school year. You can pickup a lunch in the back of the school by the gym between 11 am to 12:30 pm. To the right of this article is the schedule for the time/bus route they will be in your area across Highway 9.

Bus Stops and times: East of Highway 9

10:47 am 10726 84TH ST NE	11:14 am 11112 123RD AVE NE
10:48 am 11720 84TH ST NE	11:15 am 115TH AVE NE@108TH ST NE
10:48 am 8208 123RD AVE NE	11:16 am 9710 115TH AVE NE
10:49 am 7910 - 7922 123RD AVE NE	11:17 am 88TH ST NE@115TH AVE NE
10:49 am 123RD AVE NE@77TH ST NE	11:17 am 8704 115TH AVE NE
10:53 am 9615 146TH AVE NE	11:19 am 105TH AVE NE@88TH ST NE
10:56 am 9226 147TH AVE NE	11:20 am 105TH AVE NE@90TH ST NE
10:58 am 14409 84TH ST NE	11:27 am 10327 99TH AVE NE
11:00 am 8811 131ST AVE NE	11:27 am 10415 99TH AVE NE
11:01 am 131ST AVE NE@94TH ST NE	11:27 am 99TH AVE NE@106TH ST NE
11:08 am 129TH AVE NE@107TH ST NE	11:36 am 10005 91ST AVE NE

Office Information

KM Office Main Line -

360-965-1900
360-965-1904 (fax)

To report your child's absences:

360-965-1901

To talk with the Healthroom

360-965-1910

To talk with the school Counselor:

360-965-1907

The Kellogg Marsh Staff would like to wish all of our families a **Happy New Year** and a safe and healthy 2021. Thank you for the amazing turnout to our 1st Candy Cane Lane Parade. It was exciting to see all of our students and their families. Thanks to our amazing staff for all their contributions, decorating talents and their time to make it **the best Parade in town**. Thanks to **Mr. & Mrs. Santa Claus** for coming to say "Hi" to the families too.

**Chromebook Issues
Call Technical Support
360-965-0202**

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

Tenth Street Middle School

MSD's Option Middle School

Join us on February 17th,

From 6 p.m. to 7 p.m.

**For a Zoom Informational meeting. Find out
if we are a good option for your
student's middle school.**

**Open up your Zoom app—Click "join a meeting"
Enter ID: 838 5011 9519 and Passcode: 646865**

About our school:

- 1. We enroll 60 sixth grade students each year*
- 2. We cap our middle school at 180 students*
- 3. We feature a core curriculum that includes 3 years of Band, Art, and PE/Health*
- 4. We have 7 instructors at our school who focus on helping student grow academically as well as developing student responsibility*
- 5. Open to all students in the Marysville School District boundaries*

***Fill out an Open-Enrollment Transfer form between
February 1st—February 28th to be eligible for the lottery!***

***Link will be live starting February 1st on the school district's
website: msd25.org***

The end of the 1st semester is January 29th. The teacher will be working to complete their classroom report cards from Jan. 27th through Jan. 29th. This year we will be mailing them to your primary address on Friday, February 8th, look for them in your mailbox.



Marysville School District does not discriminate in any programs or activities on the basis of sex, race, creed, religion, color, national origin, age, veteran or military status, sexual orientation, gender expression or identity, disability, or the use of a trained dog guide or service animal and provides equal access to the Boy Scouts and other designated youth groups. The following employees have been designated to address questions and complaints of alleged discrimination: Civil Rights Coordinator - Gregg Kuehn, Risk Management Supervisor, gregg_kuehn@msd25.org, 360-965-0110; Title IX Officer - Tracy Souza, Executive Director of Human Resources, tracy_souza@msd25.org, 360-965-0071; Section 504 Coordinator, Andrea Wyatt, Director of Categorical Programs, andrea_wyatt@msd25.org, 360-965-0053; ADA Coordinator - Brad Rodin, Director of Secondary Special Education, brad_rodin@msd25.org, 360-965-0175. Address: 4220 80th Street NE, Marysville, WA 98270. Website: www.msd25.org Marysville School District is a drug- and tobacco-free workplace.

You can report discrimination and discriminatory harassment to any school staff member or to the district's Civil Rights Coordinator, listed above. You also have the right to file a complaint. Note: Policies that address this issue are policy 3210 "Non-Discrimination" & 5010 - "Non-Discrimination and Affirmative Action." These Policies are available online at www.md25.org, at your school, or at the District Office: 4220 80th Street NE, Marysville, WA, 360-965-0000.