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(360) 965-1601

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## THE MARSHALL MUSTANG

September 2021

## Principal's Message

Dear families,

We just finished the first two days of professional development and kicked off the 2021-22 school year! Nothing brings me more joy than welcoming our students to in-person learning after an unprecedented year and a half. Although this year will continue to look unlike previous years, our staff is excited to welcome back our students. Our halls and classrooms are starting to buzz with excitement and creative ways to welcome and engage students.

As you may have heard, we are starting this year with a soft start. This means, we will have student and family conferences September 8th, 9th, 10th. Your student's teacher most-likely reached out to you already to set up a conference. School starts for all students on Monday September 13th at 9:20. During the soft start conference, you will meet with your student's teacher and then we welcome you to walk through our cafeteria/gym to hear and/or gather information from our specialists, counselors, PTSA, Co-Op, the YMCA, etc.

We are working hard to ensure your student can learn in a safe and welcoming learning environment. Our district has developed a comprehensive COVID Family Handbook linked on our website. Within the handbook, you will find the need for all students to wear a mask while indoors at school- we have plenty of extra masks in case your student forgets their mask or needs a new one.

Patty Allen will be back with us as our full time assistant principal. Together, we are excited to meet you and your student, answer questions, and support your student in their learning journey. From all of us at Marshall, welcome to the 2021-22 school year.

Sincerely,

Katy Rudolph Principal



#### **Students Eat for Free**

Students eating the full lunch and/or breakfast will be able to eat for free.

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Social Media

Remember to complete a Free & Reduced Application if you desire as it will carry over for the first month of school in 2022 and your student may be eligible for other resources.

# Annual Back-to-School Forms

Please click **here** to log in to Family Access to complete the required back-to-school forms for your child(ren).

If you need help with Family Access, please contact our office.

#### **School Bus Routes**

School bus routes have been established for the 2021-2022 school year. Your bus number and/or stop may differ from previous years.

Please click here to view the routes. Look on the tabs at the bottom to locate "Marshall" and find your information.

If you need assistance, please contact our office.



# Every Minute Counts

We are once again asking for your assistance in ensuring your student is in class as much as possible. We also ask for your help in limiting the number of classroom interruptions.

Please only call in student messages in an urgent situation. Plan ahead how your student will go home at the end of the day. Consistency helps alleviate student confusion regarding how they will go home each day.

Make appointments for before or after school, limiting the amount of school time students miss.

# Did you Know?

Every Friday is a 90-minute early dismissal? Students will be dismissed at 2:05 each Friday.



## when are the gates open?



Quil Ceda Creek	Sherwood Forest
Apartments	Neighborhood
Opens @ 8:50 AM	Opens Before 9:00 AM
Closes @ 9:20 AM	Closes @ 9:20 AM
Opens @ 3:25 PM	Opens @ 3:25 PM
(1:55 PM on Fridays)	(1:55 PM on Fridays)
(12:55 Conference Week)	(12:55 Conference Week)
Closes @ 3:50 PM	Closes @ 3:50 PM
(2:15 PM on Fridays)	(2:15 PM on Fridays)
(1:20 Conference Week)	(1:20 Conference Week)

We strive to keep the above-referenced schedule for the opening and closing of our gates.

# <u>SafeSchools Alert</u> Our District's Tip Reporting Service

Safety is one of our district's top priorities, that's why we're now using SafeSchools Alert, a tip reporting system that allows students, staff, and parents to submit safety concerns to our administration four different ways:

**Phone:** 360.799.5414

Text your tip to 360.799.5414 **Text:** 

Email: 1248@alert1.us Web: http://1248.alert1.us

Easily report tips on bullying, harassment, drugs, vandalism or any safety issue you're concerned about. You can submit a tip anonymously online or by telephone. More information, including the SafeSchools Alert Terms of Use and Privacy Policy, is available online at http://1248.alert1.us. Thanks in advance for helping to make our school community a safer place to work and learn! We appreciate your support.

#### **Student Conduct**

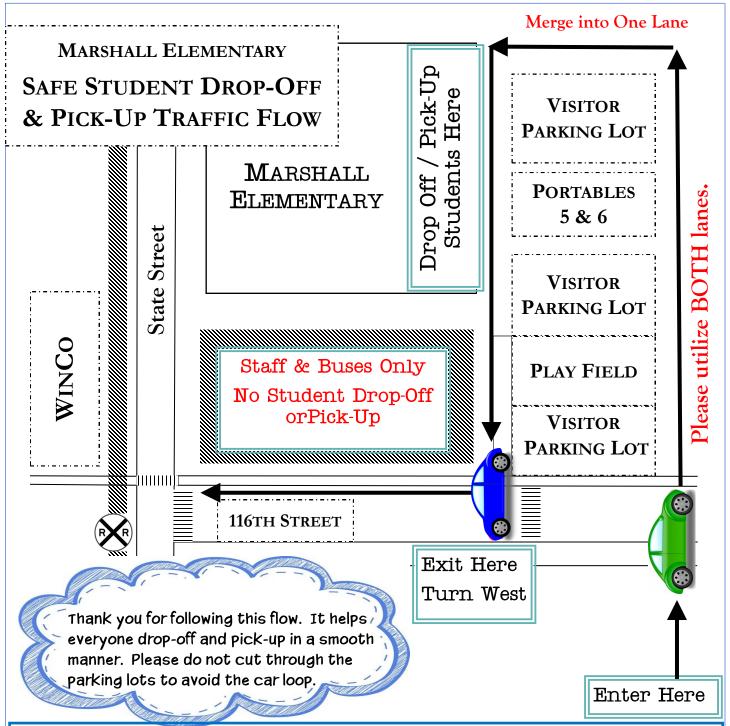
The Marysville School District acknowledges that conduct and behavior is closely associated to learning. An effective instructional program requires a wholesome and orderly school environment. The district requires that each student adhere to the rules of conduct and submit to corrective action taken as a result of conduct violations. The rules of conduct are applicable during the school day as well as during any school activity conducted on or off campus. Special rules are also applicable while riding on a school bus.

A copy of Policy 3240 "Student Conduct Expectations and Reasonable Sanctions" is available online at www.msd25.org or at the District Office: 4220 80th Street NE, Marysville, WA, 360-965-0000.

#### Weapon-Free, Drug-Free, and Tobacco-Free

The Marysville School District is a Weapon-Free, Drug-Free, and Tobacco-Free environment. You can find the standards and procedures set forth in Policy 4210 - "Regulation of Dangerous Weapons on School Premises" on the District's website at www.msd25.org. The document describes the regulation for which corrective action or punishment (i.e., discipline, suspension, and expulsion) may be imposed. Paper copies may be requested in the office of your child's school or at the receptionist's desk in the School District's Service Center, 4220 80th Street NE.

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MoryDiscrimination Statement Marysville School District complies with all federal and Washington State rules and regulations and will provide equal employment opportunity and treatment for all applicants and staff in recruitment, hiring, retention, assignment, transfer, promotion, and training. Such equal employment opportunity will be provided without discrimination with respect to race, creed, national origin, age, honorably discharged veteran or military status, sex, sexual orientation including gender expression or identity, marital status, the presence of any sensory, mental or physical disability or the use of a trained dog guide or service animal by a person with a disability. The district will provide equal access to school facilities to the Boy Scouts of America and all other designated youth groups listed in Title 36 of the United States Code as a patriotic society. 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, Director, tracy\_souza@msd25.org, 360-965-0076; Section 504 Coordinator, Trish Campbell, Executive Director of Special Education, trish\_campbell@msd25.org, 360-965-0174; ADA Coordinator - Trish Campbell, Executive Director of Special Education, trish\_campbell@msd25.org, 360-965-0174. 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. Address: 4220 80th Street NE, Marysville, WA 98270. Website: <a href="https://www.msd25.org">www.msd25.org</a>. Marysville School District is a drug- and tobacco-free workplace. Please Note: Policies that address this issue are Policy 3210 "Non-Discrimination" & 5010 - "Non-Discrimination and Affirmative Action." These Policies are available online at <a href="https://www.msd25.org">www.msd25.org</a>, at your school, or at the Dist

## Important Dates & Reminders

- Monday, September 13–First Full Day of School
- Friday, September 17–2:05 Dismissal
- Friday, September 24–2:05 Dismissal
- Tuesday, September 28–Picture Day
- Friday, October 1–2:05 Dismissal



Tuesday is the day of the week that we will be sending home important information for families. Please regularly check your student's "Tuesday Take Home" folder for items that require your attention.

We appreciate your efforts to keep this method of communication current.

# QUICK OFFICE NOTES

- Office hours are: 8:00AM-4:30 PM
- Attendance Line (Report Absences and Tardies 24-Hours per Day) (360) 965-1601
- Please keep your contact information up to date.
- It will be so nice to see your student as school!

### Reflections

This year's PTA Reflections theme is "I Will Change the World By...". We will be hosting an Art Hight again this year to allow your student to work on a project. Watch for flyers coming home soon.



### SCHOOL PICTURES

School pictures will be taken on Tuesday, September 28, 2021. We are happy to have Leo's Photography return as this year's photographer.

Picture retakes are scheduled for Thursday, November 4, 2021.

It's always fun to see our students looking their best on picture days!



## Support Student Fundraiser

During the end of September our PTSA will be conducting their fall fundraiser.

This fundraiser raises money for the entire school. Please help support our PTSA and students. Watch for information coming home in the near future.

Masks will be worn while inside.

ottelp Prevent Lost & Found!

Mark your student's items with their name!

# FOLLOW US ON SOCIAL MEDIA!



## **Marshall Elementary**



@MARSHALLELEM or text "follow MarshallElem" to 40404 to receive SMS messages to your phone.

# DOWNLOAD THE APP

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