



Marysville Early Learning Center

September, 2021 Newsletter

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Welcome Back Students and Families

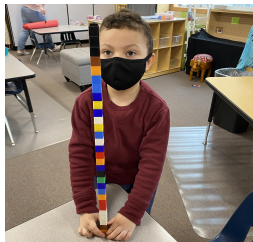
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Welcome to the Marysville Early Learning Center (ELC) and welcome back returning students and families! We are so excited to get started with the 2021-2022 school year. We have a lot to look forward to and be excited about. Our programs are growing and we can't wait to have everyone back on campus.

Each day at school, preschoolers will need to bring a mask with them that is comfortable and fits. We will be practicing mask wearing during school time and know that this is something young children may need to adjust to. Children do not have to wear masks when they are eating or when they are taking a mask break outside. We always use gentle and supportive practices, encouraging mask wearing while learning how to wear a mask. If you need child sized masks, please let your child's teacher know, we always have extras in different sizes and styles. If you have any questions or concerns, please reach out to your child's teacher.



Please be aware that we have designated new pick-up and drop-off locations on our campus at the ELC and at the MPHS campus and we ask for a little grace in the beginning until we have our system and flow worked out. To stay connected, please follow us on Facebook, we often post updates, information and upcoming events on our Facebook page. You can find us by searching Marysville School District Early Learning Center. We look forward to seeing everyone back during the week of September 13th. Please feel free to reach out if you have any questions. Thank you for your partnership.



Our New Location at MPHS

We will be opening three renovated ECEAP classrooms at our new Marysville Pilchuck High School location on Wednesday, September 15th for our first day of in-person learning. Our classrooms will be partnered with the high school's Career and Technical Education (CTE) Early Childhood Education (ECE) program. ECE students will have an opportunity to observe and have first hand early education experience that will lead to a certification and career readiness. All high school students who want to volunteer in the

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classroom will have to go through the process of completing specific classwork as well as all ECEAP volunteer requirements in order to work in the ECEAP classrooms. Our preschool students will enjoy their high school buddies who will be available to read stories and play games with them as well as help them learn new skills like cutting with scissors, counting and writing their names. We look forward to this partnership with CTE and are excited to grow our very own teachers and staff for our early learning programs.

Upcoming Events

- First Week of School - **September 13th**
- First Day of ECEAP at MP - **September 15th (Wednesday)**
- September ELC CAFE - **Friday, September 24th, 11:00-12:00 (Topics: Meet the Principal and How to Get Involved at the ELC)**



MSD Connections: We would like to call your attention to the Marysville School District website where COVID-19 health and safety protocols, information for students and families as well as updates are posted.

<https://www.msd25.org/page/covid-19-health-and-safety>

Staying Connected to the ELC

- Follow us on Facebook: [@MSDEarlyLearningCenter](https://www.facebook.com/MSDEarlyLearningCenter)
- Visit our website: <http://www.msvl.k12.wa.us/o/early-learning-center>
- Download the Marysville School District App on your smartphone (select notifications from the Early Learning Center).

As always, your partnership, input and feedback are greatly appreciated and always welcome. Please feel free to reach out and contact us if you have any questions that may arise. Thank you for entrusting us with your child/children's early learning educational experience. We look forward to partnering with you.

