



# THE MARSHALL MUSTANG

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## No School:

Friday, November 11  
Thursday, November 24  
Friday, November 25

## Principal's Message

Hello families,

We are moving and grooving into another month. Many aspects of school life are normalizing and feeling well established. Our students have learned classroom routines and behavior expectations and they are growing their brain each and every day. During the month of October, we have had our first Bookfair, our first PTSA fundraiser, and we continue to work through lessons in every subject. If you had the opportunity to contribute to our fundraiser, we greatly appreciate you donating those funds to us. More than ever, we rely on fundraisers to boost our student experiences, so thank you! In addition to all of the learning, students are invited to participate in our PTSA sponsored Trunk or Treat and our first spirit week. It feels good to be able to bring some things back that we couldn't have for the last few years.

In addition to the amazing learning, students are showing us each and every day what it is like to follow our Mustang Mission. I encourage you to ask your student if he or she has earned any blue tickets for demonstrating our three traits. These traits are: Show Respect; Make Good Decisions; and Solve Problems. We can't wait to continue recognizing students modeling our Mustang Mission.

As we move into November, we will honor and observe Veterans Day on November 10th during our all school assembly. We will be off for our Thanksgiving holiday starting as an early release on Wednesday, November 23rd (12:40 pm) and returning on Monday, November 28th. Please also ensure you are dressing your student(s) for the weather as we will need to have recess outside as much as possible.

I look forward to seeing you all during conference week and continue to be grateful for our partnership.

Sincerely,

Katy Rudolph  
Principal

12:40 Dismissal  
Oct 31 - Nov 4

Picture Retake Day  
Wednesday,  
November 9th

## Veterans Day Assembly

On Thursday, November 10, 2022, Marshall will hold our annual Veterans Day Assembly. This year's assembly will feature students from six different classes.

Veterans and family members are invited to attend this assembly at 3:10 PM. Talk with your child about this very important day and what it means to you and your family.

### Veterans at Marshall Elementary School:

- \* Jessica Callagan, Teacher—United States Navy
- \* Laura Dahlstrom, Teacher—United States Army
- \* Michael Mitchell, Evening Custodian—United States Marine Corps
- \* Cherie Sweeney, Office Manager—United States Coast Guard
- \* J Weller, Paraprofessional—United States Army

A special "Thank You" goes out to all of our Veterans for their sacrifice and service to our country.





# How Does Your Child Go Home?

## "Do I Walk? Bus? Get a Ride?"



There may be days when your child is uncertain of the manner by which they are expected to leave school.

Some days a child may be picked up by a parent or other adult and other days they may ride the bus or walk. This sometimes causes confusion, especially as we see the fast approach of inclement weather. An example of such confusion is when it is lightly raining and a student is informed by their parent that the student will be picked up when it is raining. It may not be raining where the parent is located and the student waits for a ride.

Please help your child know in advance what is expected of them at the end of the school day. It may be a good idea to create a plan with your child, reinforcing each morning how they are to get home.

Of course, emergencies do happen. When the plan changes during the day, the office is happy to send a parent message to the student. Please call by 3:00 PM to ensure the message is conveyed to your student in a timely manner.

Our goal is to ensure that your child returns home safely and as quickly as possible.

Thank you for your help in this matter.



**OCT 31 MONDAY**  
**DRESS AS YOUR FAVORITE CHARACTER**

**NOV 1 TUESDAY**  
**COLOR DAY**  
Show your grade level spirit...  
Dress from head to toe in your grade level color.  
Kinder - Red 1st - Blue  
2nd - Yellow 3rd - Green  
4th - Purple 5th - Black

**NOV 2 WEDNESDAY**  
**CRAZY HAIR DAY**  
Bows, ribbons, crazy colors, string...Let's see how crazy you can make your hair.

**NOV 3 THURSDAY**  
**MARSHALL SPIRIT**  
Get out the Yellow and Blue or your School Gear and show your school spirit! Marshall Mustangs Spirit Day!

**NOV 4 FRIDAY**  
**SPORTS DAY**  
What is your favorite team?  
What is your favorite sport?  
Wear the gear to show your spirit for your favorite sports team.

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**SPIRIT WEEK**  
October 31-November 4

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## Did You Know

...a volunteer background check lasts for two years? If you think you would like to volunteer—even for a field trip—you must have a current clearance on file.

If you need a new application, simply call the office and we will be happy to send one home with your student. We are also able to check on the expiration of a current clearance.

## Reflections

This year's PTA Reflections theme is "Show Your Voice!"

**Entries are due:**  
**November 14, 2022.**

For more information, please contact Mrs. Crosby at:  
[Katherine\\_Crosby@msd25.org](mailto:Katherine_Crosby@msd25.org).

## PTSA Donation Drive

Thank you to everyone for making our PTSA's Donation Drive such a success! We raised nearly **\$10,000**. This will go a long way to help our PTSA provide experiences and items that otherwise would not have been possible.



- The next General Membership meeting will be held in January 2023.
- Please consider joining our PTSA as they help every student at Marshall Elementary School.

**Conferences** will be held Monday, October 31st through Thursday, November 3rd. Make certain to have your conferences scheduled on one of these four dates.

**12:40**

### Dismissal

Monday, October 31st through Friday, November 4th.



### Tissues at School

Please remember to supply your student with plenty of tissues to help with runny noses and sneezing throughout the year.



### No Trading Cards at School

Trading Cards have become an issue at school. Many students attempt to show, share or trade these cards on the bus, playground and even in the classroom. The outcome is usually not good for one or more parties involved.

Please do not allow your student to bring trading cards to school.



## Bus Drivers Needed



- Incentives
- Free Training
- Flexible Schedule
- Drive Local

*Join our team!*



**Remember to set your clocks back one hour on Sunday, November 6, 2022.**



## **URGENT NEED! Marysville School District is hiring school bus and van drivers!**

Enjoy Summer, Winter, Spring Breaks, and Holidays off with your children:

- \$1000.00 training incentive
- Free training provided including CDL testing
- Great benefit packages and retirement plans

Requirements:

Complete an application at <https://bit.ly/MSDTransportationApp>

Must have an acceptable driving record

Enjoy working with children

Pass Federal drug testing and DOT medical requirements

**Questions?**  
Call us at:  
**(360) 965-0310**



# IMPORTANT DATES

- Annual Food Drive—October 31—December 9
- Monday, October 31—Friday, November 4—12:40 Dismissal
- Monday, October 31—Dress as Favorite Character
- Tuesday, November 1—Dress in Your Grade Level Color
- Wednesday, November 2—Crazy Hair Day
- Thursday, November 3—Marshall Spirit Day
- Friday, November 4—Sports Day
- Wednesday, November 9—Picture Retake Day
- Thursday, November 10—Veterans Day Assembly
- Friday, November 11—No School—Veterans Day
- Friday, November 18—2:15 Dismissal
- Wednesday, November 23—12:40 Dismissal
- Thursday, November 24 & Friday, November 25—No School—Thanksgiving Weekend
- Friday, December 2—2:15 Dismissal
- Thursday, December 8—Family Movie Night

## SCHOOL PICTURES

School pictures should be arriving home shortly. Our retake day is scheduled for Wednesday, November 9, 2022.

If your student was not in attendance on the original picture day (Wednesday, October 12, 2022), they will have their photo taken this day.

If you purchased photos and are dissatisfied with them, please return them to school with your student on November 9th and their photo will be retaken.

Volunteers may have their photo taken for a volunteer badge. Times are only available in the morning.

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

Click [here](#) to order online from Leo's and use code FAL221629



## ANNUAL FOOD DRIVE

**Marshall's Ms. Reed** will coordinate our Annual Food Drive. This year's collection period is as follows:

- ♦ Monday, October 31 through Friday, December 9, 2022

Donations will be collected and regularly delivered to the Marysville Food Bank for our local families in need.



**Thank you for your support!**

### Most Needed

- Flour (5 Lbs.)
- Sugar (4 Lbs.)
- Canned Beans (Chili, etc.)
- Soup
- Ramen
- Tuna
- Tomato Sauce, Paste, Stewed, Diced
- Peanut Butter

- Cereal
- Mac & Cheese
- Pasta / Rice
- Juice
- Canned Vegetables
- Canned Fruit
- Pancake Mix
- Syrup
- Apples
- Potatoes

### Holiday Items

- Yams
- Jell-O
- Nuts
- Cranberries
- Pumpkin
- Gravy Mix
- Baking Mixes
- Pie Filling
- Stuffing
- Potatoes

### Non-Food Items

- Large Diapers
- Formula
- Soap
- Toothpaste
- Toothbrushes
- Toilet Paper
- Facial Tissue

**Non-Discrimination 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](#), Director of Risk Management, Facilities, and Maintenance, 360-965-0110; Title IX Officer - [Tracy Souza](#), Director of COVID-19 Health and Safety, 360-965-0076; Section 504 Coordinator and ADA Coordinator, [Stephanie King](#), Executive Director of Special Education, 360-965-0174. Discrimination and discriminatory harassment may be reported to any school staff member or to the district's Civil Rights Coordinator, listed above. You also have the right to file a written complaint. Address: 4220 80th Street NE, Marysville, WA 98270. Website: [www.msdsd25.org](http://www.msdsd25.org). Marysville School District is a drug- and tobacco-free workplace. Policies that address this issue are Policy 3210 "Non-Discrimination" & 5010 - "Non-Discrimination and Affirmative Action." These Policies are available online at [www.msdsd25.org](http://www.msdsd25.org) at your school, or at the District Office: 4220 80th Street NE, Marysville, WA, 360-965-0000.