



Marshall Elementary School
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Principal's Message

Dear Marshall Families,

Similar to the May flowers blooming, so are the minds of our students! It is really impressive to walk into classes and see and hear the thinking and learning that our students are demonstrating. I am very proud of them! Similar to the sun shining brighter,



so is our staff with their hard work and dedication to our students and school. As we head into the last 8 weeks of school, please remember to be kind and patient towards each other and assume positive intent. We must all work together to ensure that our kids are safe, which in turn leads to a positive learning environment. I know this is a busy time of year, but please take this time

for the important things and appreciate the things in life that matter the most-our children! Thanks for all that you do to ensure that your children are ready to learn each day.

Kelly Sheward
Marshall Principal

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Register for Kindergarten Now!

You have a child who will turn five years old by August 31, 2019, now is the time to register for Kindergarten. Bring your child's immunization information and birth certificate to Marshall and we will help you with the registration process.

Welcome Class of 2032!!



school day.

Friday, May 25 is a 3:35 Dismissal



Warm Weather Clothing Reminder

Believe it or not, the weather will change! As it warms up, summer clothing emerges from our closets. Please ensure that your child wears sensible clothes to school. Below are some simple reminders that may help:

A sweater, sweatshirt or lightweight coat may still be needed as the weather can change quickly from warm to chilly. Remind your student to check the playground for discarded sweaters, etc., since they are usually taken off during play at recess time.

- * The length of skirts and shorts should be lower than the child's fingertips when extended downward.
- * **Flip-flops, sandals and shoes with heels are not appropriate** for play, recess or PE. We have had students sustain injuries due to these types of footwear.
- * Halter tops and skinny straps on shirts are not permitted.
- * Shirts should be long enough to cover student's midriff at all times.

Encouraging comfortable, appropriate clothing makes play and PE more fun for everyone.

Please do not allow your student to wear flip-flops to school! They are not designed for safe play or PE classes.



NOT RETURNING NEXT YEAR?

If you find that you are not returning to our school next year, please let the office know as soon as possible.

We are busy planning for next year at this time. It is helpful to be aware of our enrollment and know the class in which to place all students. This is the same for all schools.

Once you know which school your student will attend, please register as soon as possible at the new school. The new school will then request your student's records from us.

If you do not return, we will miss you and wish you the best at your new school.



Attention 5th Grade Families

Most students entering middle school will require a Tdap immunization. Please let the Health Room know when your child has received this immunization.

Preparing for Testing

Your student has probably mentioned various assessments that they participate in throughout the year. As the end of the school year nears, more assessments are conducted.

Some tips to help your student during this time include:

- * Talk with your child about the assessments, let them know they are an important part of learning and that they provide information regarding their learning progress;
- * Students should get a good night's rest;
- * Ensure your student has breakfast; and
- * Tell your student that you believe in them and know they will do their best.

Attendance Matters - Every Minute Counts!

Attendance every day is a priority for all students attending Marshall Elementary!

Attending school every day in their current grade will help them as they progress through their academic career. Even starting in Kindergarten, too many absences can cause children to fall behind in school. Marshall Elementary makes attendance a priority and we want to see your child at school on time, every day. Let's continue to make it a great year!



Sunscreen at School

During the warmer weather, you may wish to send sunscreen with your student to protect their skin from the sun/ultraviolet rays. If you send sunscreen, please label the container with your student's name. They must be able to apply it themselves and keep it in their backpack.



Under no circumstance should sunscreen be shared with other students.

Stay Hydrated!

It is an important health reminder to keep your student hydrated at all times. Feel free to send a water bottle/container with your student. The container must have a lid to prevent spillage in the classroom or other areas of the school.



Fiesta Night!

Thursday, May 2, 2019
5:00—7:00 PM

Please join us in celebrating the Hispanic Culture. Activities include:
Make a Pinata and Maracas
Play Loteria
Make Fiesta Flowers
Throw Cascarones
Enjoy Churros

Outstanding Educator / Golden Acorn Recipients

Our PTSA has selected the following deserving individuals for their respective awards:

Outstanding Educator Award

Teachers *Mrs. Karin Perdue* and *Mrs. Amy Schaffler* have been selected to receive this award, which was created to recognize individuals who have provided outstanding educational opportunities for children and youth that are beyond the normal scope of their jobs. We are pleased and fortunate to have them serving students at Marshall Elementary School.



Golden Acorn Award

This award is presented to *Mrs. Priscilla Keith* and *Mrs. Stephanie O'Dell*, two volunteers who are recognized for their dedication and service to children and youth above and beyond expectations. It is easy to find them volunteering innumerable hours throughout the entire school.



Thank you to these amazing women for their unparalleled commitment to all at Marshall!

Monthly Bus Safety Tips

Getting On and Off the Bus

- Warn children that if they drop something getting on and off the bus, they should never pick it up. Instead, they should tell the driver and follow the driver's instructions.
- Remind children to look to the right before they stop off the bus.
- If you meet your child at the bus stop after school, wait on the side where the child will be dropped off, not across the street. Children can be so excited to you after school that they dash across the street and forget the safety rules.



Choir & Marimba Concert Coming Soon!

Join us in watching our amazing Choir and Marimba Club perform on Wednesday, May 15, 2019 from 7:00—8:00 PM.

Student Drop-Off

Please only drop off students in the car loop. Do not drop your student off in a parking lot or the driveway west of the school. This driveway is reserved for staff parking and deliveries only. Many students walk in this vicinity. Moving cars make this a dangerous practice.

We hope you will help us with your student's safe arrival.

Thank you!



The Yearbook is Complete!

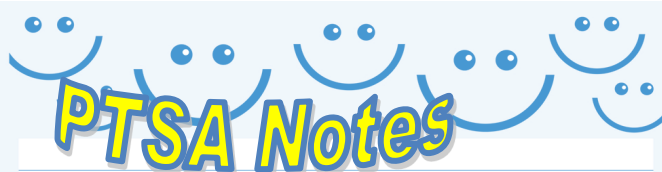
The finished product has been submitted for printing. Your student will want to have one of these keepsakes. We still have some available for pre-order at the price of \$15.00 each. Effective May 1, they will be \$17.00 each. Reserve your copy now!



IMPORTANT DATES / UPCOMING EVENTS

- May is National Physical Fitness & Sports Month
- Thursday, May 2—Fiesta Night
- May 6—10—Teacher Appreciation Week
- Thursday, May 9—National School Nurse Day
- Friday, May 10—Muffins for Moms
- Wednesday, May 15—Choir & Marimba Concert
- Thursday, May 16—PTSA Meeting @ 4:30
- May 20—24—National Educational Bosses' Week
- Friday, May 24—Snow Make-Up Day
- Monday, May 28—No School—Memorial Day
- Monday, June 3—Primary PBIS Assembly @ 3:05
- Tuesday, June 4—Intermediate PBIS Assembly @ 3:05
- Friday, June 7—Doughnuts for Dads

dates
to Remember



General Membership Meeting Thursday, May 16, 2019 4:30 in the Library

volunteering to chair a committee. All volunteers are greatly appreciated.

Remember, our PTSA helps ALL students at Marshall Elementary School through great partnerships and volunteerism.

PTSA Board elections will be held at this meeting.

Please consider helping our PTSA next year by running for a Board position or



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Kids Eat Free

Mondays through Thursdays
(with some exceptions)
4:15—4:45 PM

Cascade, Liberty, Shoultes & Quil Ceda Tulalip (Gym)

Unavailable date for May:

Monday, May 27

Please call for additional information.

Field Day

Field Day will be held on Thursday, June 13, 2019. Volunteers are always welcome.

Muffins for Moms

Watch for an invitation to attend our Muffins for Moms on Friday, May 10, 2019.

Coming Soon—Family Picnic

On Wednesday, June 12, 2019, Marshall will have a family picnic lunch. This has become an event to which families look forward. Please mark your calendars and watch for a special flyer with specific information.



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