

# Monthly Parent Newsletter

### PATHWAY K-5

November 2024



## **Welcome to Pathway Speaks**



Parents, I want to say thank you for all you do for Pathway K-5. Your treat donations made our Panther Treats Walk **EXTRADIONARY.** The students began the day with the amazing Fireman, Sheriffs, Department, EMT's and our **School Resource Officer with Muffins for First Responders.** Then, our students had an opportunity to receive a guided tour of the Fire Truck and Ambulance for Red Ribbon Week. Our counselor, Ms. Perine did an amazing job coordinating this event. The students had a memorable day. Parents, remember most events are behavior incentives.

Parents, please look for the PST Paperwork that will be sent out to you throughout the year. Please review and sign the information and send it back to the school. We are working towards proficiency. Our goal is to decrease the amount of deficits with intervention and the Problem Solving Team for our academic and behavioral supports.

Plans for 2024-2025 Our goal is to have visits from the Environmental Center. The Science Machine, Divine Wholistic and the **Exploreum as behavior** Incentives. We plan to continue our Easter Egg Hunt, Field Day, Fun Friday Rotations and the 4HClub for 4th and 5th grade students. In addition, we will keep requesting motivational speakers. The students enjoyed **Panther Walk and First** responders. Please see pictures throughout the newsletter.

Please make sure to read the handbooks, newsletters, and other important information on the website and through social media.

Together, we can make a real difference Thank you for your continued support!

#### **Mission Statement**

The mission of Pathway Elementary is to ensure every child receives an equitable education, maintains positive relationships and meets their daily goals.

#### **Vision Statement**

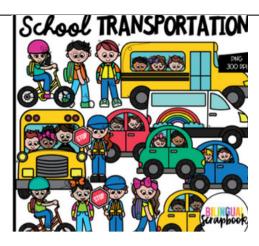
The vision of Pathway Elementary is to provide every child with a safe, secure, and loving environment in which to learn.

#### **Panther Positive Statement**

I believe I can do anything, I set my mind to do. I can reach my goal. I can follow directions. I can control my behavior. I can change my mindset. I can reach my full potential. I am an achiever and I believe I can do anything!







# **Uniform Policy**

Our uniform policy has not changed. Please remember that we wear navy polo style shirts with a collar, khaki pants (no dark colored pants), white socks, brown or black belt and any style tennis shoes. NO HOODIES are allowed. NO BOOK BAGS ARE ALLOWED on Alternative end. No juices of any kind. No Flavor Packets! No Candy! No Jewelry! Students may only bring in clear water bottles. If you need assistance with uniforms, never hesitate to call the school.



What else is NEW???

We will have the Exploreum here on November 22, 2024 for our in-house field trip. This is a behavior incentive.

This year we will have Music First Semester and Art Second Semester!!! Our students will be exposed to the fine arts.

Intervention- Ms. C. Lee provides intervention on Friday's of every week. The other identified students will receive intervention on Tuesdays and Wednesdays.

## Attendance & Transportation

Arrival and Dismissal/Safety/Lockdown In order to accomplish our goals, students must arrive on time for school daily. School takes in at 7:20 a.m. and dismisses at 2:20 p.m. Breakfast is served from 7:20 - 7:40 and Lunch is served from 1200 -12:30 daily. Remember, attendance counts!! In efforts to maintain safety, we will routinely practice safety and lockdown procedures.



### **Important Dates**

11-01-2024	Family Literacy Day
11-03-2024	<b>End of Daylight Savings Time</b>
11-05-2024	Virtual Day/Distance Learning
	(no in person classes)
11-08-2024	National Stem Day/STEAM/Fun
	Friday Rotations
11-11-2024	Veteran's Day
11-10-16-24	National School Psychology Week
11-13-2024	<b>Progress Reports Sent Home</b>
11-15-2024	4H Club 4th and 5th grade
11-17-23-24	American Education Week
11-20-2024	<b>Education Support Professionals</b>
	Day
11-22-2024	In-House Exploreum Trip
	Behavior incentive- Fun
	Friday Rotations
11-25-29-24	Thanksgiving Holidays

# **Spotlight Awards**



Javion Montgomery is our Spotlight Winner for November. We are so proud of you and all of your hard work.



Torian Blount is our Red Ribbon Recipient. Congratulations Torian!!



Our counselor has done an amazing job with Red Ribbon week. She hosted Muffins with First Responders and our Red Ribbon Recipient Torian Blount. Our culminating activity for Phase I was viewing an All American Hero Cartoon while eating popcorn.







Happy Birthday to all the students who will celebrate a Birthday in November. We hope you enjoyed your day.

All students will receive a birthday token from the office.

Happy Birthday to all the Parents who will celebrate a birthday in November.

Reminder: We have parent backpacks for Grades 1-5. Please let your child's teacher know if you would like one.

# A Few Things to Remember

- Incentives/Awards- We will celebrate quarterly our students who make gains in iReady, HMH, and Behavior. We will also highlight our students with Perfect Attendance.
- Grades/PST- You will receive a Progress Report twice per quarter along with a PST Progress reports to monitor grades.
- Websites to assist students with extra academic practice
- Students should take advantage of the resources we have available on https://pathwayk5mcpssal.schoolin sites.com/library. Follow us on Facebook and Twitter as well @KirstenGloverAP



We appreciate all of our dedicated parents! Thank you for being an active participant in our educational journey.

Pathway K-5 Parents, you are appreciated!!!



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