



# MANN U Script

## Note from the Principal

Spring is here! Yea!

I am looking forward to the warmer weather and the bright flowers. I hope everyone enjoyed their Spring Break and was able to have fun and relax. We only have **eight weeks** of school left. Although we have exciting events and activities planned, we are going to be focused on learning all we can. Just like in a race, the runner runs the hardest right before they get to the finish line.

Thanks to all the parents who came out for Parent Teacher Conference. We had over 130 parents attend. If you were unable to attend, please contact your child's teacher to set up a time to conference with the teacher and pick up your child's report card.

This time of year also brings end of year assessments. Pre-K thru 5th graders will take the end of year STAR Reading and Math test at the beginning of April. Our 3<sup>rd</sup> – 5<sup>th</sup> grade students will take the Missouri Assessment Program (MAP test) in both English Language Arts and Mathematics, 5th grade students will also take the Science Assessment. We will begin MAP testing April 18 and test through May 12<sup>th</sup>. Please make every effort to have your child at school on time every day and avoid making any doctor or other appointments during these weeks. These tests provide us with valuable information about teaching strategies and practices and ways to further improve instructional practices. All Kindergarteners will take the Acuity End-of-Year Benchmark test May 15<sup>th</sup>—19<sup>th</sup>.

Sincerely,

April 2017

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**Friday, April 14-NO SCHOOL**

**Good Friday**

**Monday, April 17-MAP Rally**

**April 18—May 12 –MAP Test**

**Thursday, April 20-PTO Meeting**

**Thursday, April 27– 3:00pm-9:00pm**

**Chuck-E-Cheese PTO NIGHT**

## MAP TEST

### DO YOUR BEST ON THE MAP TEST ( April 17-May 12)

To help your child, here are some suggestions:

- ⇒ Make sure your child gets a good night's sleep and eats a healthy breakfast.
- ⇒ Encourage your child by letting them know you believe in them and they can make it happen!
- ⇒ Avoid making doctor appointments during the day.
- ⇒ Ensure your child is at school on time everyday.
- ⇒ Talk about the test openly and positively letting them know this is an opportunity for him/her to show us what they know.
- ⇒ Remind your child to read the questions carefully and check their work.



# MAP RALLY



Mann will have a MAP Rally Monday, April 17, 2017 to  
Encourage Our Students' to ZAP THE MAP!!!!  
STUDENTS WILL CHEER AND BE MOTIVATED FOR  
SUCCESS!!!!

## ATTENDANCE COMMITTEE

The end of the school year is quickly approaching! With that in mind, we know thoughts are beginning to drift to the long summer days ahead. To continue encouraging our students to attend school every day and on time, we will be rewarding students with a special event or field trip! Every student who has **PERFECT ATTENDANCE** (no missed days or late arrivals) between **APRIL 3, 2017** and **MAY 12, 2017** will be eligible to go



## DRESS DOWN WEEK!!!!

In addition the extra field trip for individual students, **IF** our school is able to obtain **95% attendance between April 3rd and May 12th**, then the last week of school will be a **DRESS DOWN WEEK!!!** Plus, incentives suggested by classes will be added to Yellow/FIELD Day activities such as Piñatas, watermelon contests, and balloon games, etc.

**Mustangs, we can make it happen  
by being at school EVERYDAY!**

# Mann PTO Meeting



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## Summer Learning



Summer School Applications are **NOW AVAILABLE** in the Main Office. There will be two different types of Summer School offered:

**ENROLLMENT DEADLINE IS APRIL 28TH**

- \*Summer Learning is for those students who need continued practice to keep skills current during the summer break.
- \*Enrichment Summer Learning is for those students who need to be challenged during the summer break.

## February Mann Models

Michael Abercrombie-Haywood  
Dalen Willis  
Myah Roby  
Antonio Crothers  
Isabelle Coco  
Chloe Haskins  
Mya Watson  
Omar Abdi  
Kaylen McGroarty-Jones  
Taylor Bailey  
Johana Moreno  
Elishiva Magar

Tashawn Starks  
Brookelynn Harris  
Juliyat Bomjan  
Joselin Lopez  
Alondra Moctezuma  
Anisha Khanal  
Jisel Magana-Sanchez  
Victor Bucio  
Akyila Bills  
Juleon Jordan  
Dareon Martin

Samiyah Harris  
Jeremiah Vantrease  
Valentina Teruel Martinez  
Bhupendra Dura  
Rolex Nguyen  
Benjamin Crawford  
Taylor Schmuke  
Efren Valladares  
Tenaya Wright  
Bertha Mendoza  
Markeese Bryant

## March Mann Models

Eva Gerson  
Tania Butler  
Michael Harper  
Tristin Evers  
Kayden Lamar  
Cherish Richard  
Isabelle Coco  
Samira Alvarado  
Tamari Harris  
Ausar Miller

Kemora Jackson  
Amela Huskic  
Mustafa Alsadoun  
Willow Duffy  
Jayden Johnson  
Max Halasey  
Mitchell  
Manip Magar  
David Shelton  
Aliceya Westbrook

Demond Owens  
Orlan Hicks  
Abdulrahman Ali  
Ely McCully  
Nimo Abdi  
Layla Alsadoun  
Nhi Nguyen  
Krishma Tamang  
Ahmad Safi  
Alina Khadka

**We Make It Happen!**  
**No Excuses! No Exceptions!**