

# MANN U SCRIPT

# **Principal's Corner**

Dear Mann Family,

Welcome Back to School! It was wonderful seeing all the returning families and the new families at both our Meet and Greet Night and our Open House. Thanks for all who joined us to experience 'The Eclipse' with us. It was a day I'm sure we all will remember.

The first couple of weeks have come and gone and our students are getting into the school routine. We have sent home a lot of paperwork for parents to review, sign, and return. Thanks for returning those items back to school as promptly as possible. If you have not returned yours please return them this week. If you need a new set of paperwork, please contact the office and we will send you another copy.

Stay connected by visiting our website, the PTO Facebook page, our monthly newsletters, and checking your child's school folder regularly.

Mann Website - https://www.slps.org/Domain/1115 PTO Facebook Page — Support Mann School-Give us a like and follow!

Our school's theme this year is "Teamwork ...One Team, One Goal, Helping Everyone Achieve!" Each student, parent, staff, and community partners are part of Team Mann and it takes us working together to make the team successful! We invite everyone to Get In the Game!

Should you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact me at (314)772-4545 or email me at angela.glass@slps.org. Remember, you are always welcome at Mann.

Sincerely,

Angela Glass

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### **Important Dates**

Labor Day
No School
Monday
September 4



### **MEETING**

Thursday, September 14 5:30pm-6:30pm Refreshments Served Child Care Available

Donuts with Dads!
Tuesday, September 19
7:30am-8:30am
Students, Families, and Staff
Wear your favorite sports team
apparel on this day!
Celebrating Mann's Dads

Lunch and Learn Title I Meeting Thursday, September 28, 2017 12:00pm-1:00pm

# Whooo's the school counselor?



### Meet Mr. Cross

Mr. Cross is the Interim School Guidance counselor at Mann Elementary School. He has served over 35 plus years in the SLPS School District in the capacity of physical education teacher, School Guidance Counselor, Academic Instructional Coach, Principal, and Interim School Superintendent. Also, he serves as Adjunct Professor at Lindenwood University.



### Just what does a School Counselor do?

- Works with teachers & families to help students achieve
- Helps all students grow as happy, healthy, & successful individuals
- Meets with students to discuss important topics such as friendships, emotions, even careers
- Talks with students individually & in small groups
  - Gains understanding through observation & participation in the classroom

# Get Involved in Mann's PTO

We are looking for more parents to join and help Mann's PTO!!! Our first meeting will be held Thursday, September 14, 2017.

Time: 5:30PM-6:30PM

WHERE: Mann School Library

Refreshments Served Child Care Provided



Tell Your Child How Much They Mean To You

You Make Me Very Proud!

Good Thinking

You're Terrific!

You Can Do It!

Thanks for Being A Great Helper!

I Love You!

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## Attendance Matters!



Students are expected to be in school everyday unless they have a legitimate reason to be absent. If your student is going to be absent, please call the school to let us know. Regular attendance gives your child the opportunity to gain knowledge and skills for future success, and develop positive relationships!

FACT: Half of students who miss 2-4 days in September will go on to miss nearly a month of school.

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# Why Is Reading Important?

Because reading is a key to success and enjoyment in life. We use reading:



### AT SCHOOL

Reading is an essential skill that helps your child learn and grow! It can lead your child from elementary school through high school, and beyond.

#### AT WORK

JUST ABOUT EVERY JOB INVOLVES READING. If you can't read, you can't even fill out a job application AT HOME

Reading is a fun way to spend free time. Books, newspapers and magazines can entertain us, and teach us about the world.

We Make It Happen!
No Excuses! No Exceptions!