

Newsletter

June 7th - June 18th, 2021

Please Note: We are still mandated by the state to have all adults wear masks at the school. We **DO NOT** fall under the new governor's mask release. Sorry for the inconvenience.

Please help us stay compliant.

The Maslow Academy of Applied Learning is an educational partnership of master teachers, involved families and reflective learners who challenge one another to grow through experiential and applied learning to reach their peak potential.

Are you looking for ways to keep your kids cool this summer? Here is an excellent article with some great summertime ideas!

https://activeforlife.com/15-ways-keep-kids-cool-summer/

Here are some healthy and fun summer treats for children.

https://www.superhealthykids.com/recipes/30-kid-friendly-summer-snacks/

Teachers for the 2021 Summer Term

Summer Session Starts June

Each summer, some teachers take a break and either do not work during the summer or cut down to part time. Most return to their normal schedule in September.

Here are the 2021 summer session teachers and the classroom they will be teaching in. A large majority are teachers you know and love.

There are a couple of wonderful new smiling faces too!

Pink Class- Ms. Ashley & Ms. Joanie **Red Class**- Ms. Devan & Ms. Myrya

Maroon Class – Ms. Makayla & Ms. Bernice & Ms. Linsey

Orange Class - Ms. Amy & Ms. Micaela

Yellow Class – Ms. Tiffany & Ms. Mariah & Ms. Daisy

Indigo Class- Ms. Julia

Green Class- Ms. Shayli & Ms. Jemletta

Blue Class – Ms. Erica & Ms. Leeann

Violet Class- Mr. Luis and Ms. Erika

Primary Class- Ms. Cheyenne, Ms. Molly, Ms. Jasmyn, Ms. Robyn Intermediate Class – Ms. Molly, Ms. Jasmyn, Ms. Robyn

Float/Teacher Breakers – Ms. Kristi, Ms. Mary, Ms. Rosa, Ms. Linsey Infant Toddler Supervisor – Ms. Daisy

Executive Director/Principal – Mrs. Chrissy Simmons **Assistant Directors**- Mrs. Tania Downing and Mrs. Leann Distel

Remember, this is just the summer session teaching staff. Closer to fall, we will post the 2021/2022 teaching staff, most of which were the same as last year. Some will be in different classrooms from last year.

Ms. Chrissy is available if you have any questions.

Do you need some volunteer hours? We need some diapers! We keep a stock of back up diapers of all sizes to help families who run out and forget to bring us more for their child timely, or we try to help families who need a bit of assistance. Our stockpile is running LOW. Please consider donating your extras, or ones that your child has grown out of. For every sleave of diapers we will give you one volunteer hour in exchange. Thank you for helping out!

Going on Vacation?

Summertime is here, many people are taking trips and having a great time. Please inform us when you are leaving. Teachers benefit from knowing who is attending and who is not.

Also, if you are looking for some extra days, summer is the best time for drop-ins. Check in with the front desk to see if there are any drop-in days available.

Sunscreen

Please make sure you apply sunscreen on your child prior to attending school for the day. We always apply sunscreen multiple times throughout the day but starting the day off with sunscreen prior to leaving the house adds an additional layer of protection. If your child has fair skin, remember sunscreen doesn't always work properly. Children with fair skin should wear long sleeves and a hat. We play outside many times during the day. If the temperature hits 100 we will head inside.

VOLUNTEER PROJECTS:

Because of Covid, we have cut this year's volunteer hours requirement to four instead of nine. We will be counting hours for last year all the way through August. We will begin next year's volunteer program in September. We will likely go back to the nine-hour requirement for next year. For more information, please ask Ms. Chrissy, Ms. Tania, or Ms. Leann Current Projects:

- Power wash Playground
- Power wash all sidewalks
- Clean exterior windows
- Front Playground block play area sanded and painted with deck paint.
- Front playground stage sanded and painted with deck paint.

First Week of Summer











Maslow Academy COVID Illness Protocol

The following outlines different illness scenarios and school protocols for responding to child illness.

When a family calls a child out for illness or a child is sent home for an illness, the administration staff will document the illness, with name of child, symptoms, date, and time onto the Illness log (this has always been our protocol for illnesses). At this point, the administration decides if the illness requires child to stay home and isolate for 72 hours (make notation on the illness log "72 hours"). 72 hours away is determined by symptoms (fever, diarrhea, vomiting). Additionally if the child exhibits 2 or more symptoms of COVID (sore throat, headache, cough, shortness of breath or difficulty breathing, fatigue, muscle or body aches, new loss of taste or smell, congestion, or runny nose), employee will be asked to stay away from school for 72 hours free from symptoms.

After second day away from school, parents will call and update the school or administration will call in and get an update regarding symptoms. If symptoms are better, child may return 72 hours after symptoms have ended.

If symptoms are the same or worse, child will be asked to visit a doctor and get a note to return, get tested for COVID or quarantine for 14 days.

COVID Testing Scenarios:

- Child has symptoms Child goes to doctor- doctor decides not to test = Child can return with doctors note.
- Child has symptoms Child goes to doctor- Tested Positive = child must inform administration and doctor plus health department guides the school response and when child can return.
- Child has symptoms Child goes to doctor Tested- Negative = Child must inform administration; child can return with doctor's note, and 72 hours free of symptoms.
- Child has symptoms Symptoms getting better no need to go to the doctor= Child can return once they
 are 72 hours free of symptoms.

COVID Household Scenarios:

- An asymptomatic person in the household is being tested = Child member can continue to attend school.
- A household member with symptoms is being tested = Child cannot attend school until test results are returned. If test is negative, they can attend school.
- If child lives with a positive case, they must quarantine for 14 days. This is the same timeline regardless of child receiving a negative test result. Families should monitor child for symptoms.
- 4. If a household member is notified that they have been exposed to a positive tested person that does not live in their household... a. Child must get tested
- If testing is refused, child must quarantine for 14 days before returning (administration determines 14 days).
- Families can get a doctor's note clearing the child to return to school (many doctors are not providing these notes).

Reminder: We are a peanut and nut free school. We strive to serve healthy, well balanced meals. If you choose to bring breakfast or lunch for your child, it must follow these same standards and expectations. Please do not send donuts, candy, soda, desserts or other "junk food" as these are not acceptable food items. We must also ask that you do not pack anything with peanut butter, or any tree nuts due to severe nut allergies in our school.

** Notates menu items contain dairy (besides a glass of milk). Sometimes the dairy can be omitted and sometimes it cannot.

Underlined items contain egg products.

Thank you for your help and cooperation.

Monday:

Breakfast: ** Cheerios, Mixed Fruit, Milk Lunch: Chicken Sandwiches on a Whole Grain Bun, Milk Snack: **String Cheese, Graham Crackers, Water

Tuesday:

Breakfast: **Whole Grain Bagels with Cream Cheese and Peaches, Milk Lunch: ** Bean and Cheese Tostada, Green Beans, Oranges, Milk Snack: **Apple Sauce, Animal Crackers, Water

Wednesday:

Breakfast: Cinnamon Raisin Oatmeal, Pears, Milk
Lunch: Chili Macaroni and Cheese Whole Grain Pasta, Cauliflower, Tropical Fruit, Milk
Snack: Cheesy Quesadilla on Whole wheat Tortilla, Water

Thursday:

Breakfast: **Life Cereal, Mandarin Oranges, Milk
Lunch: **Checken Quesadilla on Whole Wheat Tortilla, Celery Sticks, Peaches, Milk
Snack: Chex mix, Raisins, Water

Friday:

Breakfast: Whole Grain French Toast, Applesauce, Milk Lunch: ** Whole Wheat Ham and Cheese Grilled Cheese Sandwiches, Carrots, Grapes, Milk Snack: Bananas, Goldfish, Water

**All milk served is unflavored. All milk served is 1% or whole depending on age.

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Lunch: **Cheese Burgers on Whole Grain Bun, Sweet Potato Fries, Oranges, Milk

Snack: **String Cheese and Animal Crackers, Water

Tuesday:

Breakfast: Blueberry Muffin, Pears, Milk

Lunch: **Beef Stroganoff, Peas and Carrots, Pineapple, Milk

Snack: **Wheat Crackers and Yogurt, Water

Wednesday:

Breakfast: <u>Breakfast Burritos with Egg on Whole Wheat Tortilla, Peaches, Milk</u> Lunch: Shredded Chicken and Lettuce Wraps, Tropical Fruit, Milk

Snack: Goldfish, Craisins, Water

Thursday:

Breakfast: ** Corn Flakes, Oranges, Milk

Lunch: Whole Grain Spaghetti with Meat Sauce, Green Beans, Peaches, Milk

Snack: Trail Mix with Pretzels, Raisins, Water

Friday:

Breakfast: Whole Grain Pancakes, Sliced Cinnamon Apples, Milk

Lunch: Corn Dogs, Oven Fries, Grapes, Milk

Snack: Bananas, Pretzles, Water

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