

22-23 New Student Orientation



MEET OUR TEAM



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REGISTRAR

Checking School email:

Go to mail.google.com in any web browser, like Chrome, Edge or Firefox. (You may need to sign out of your personal Google account.)

- Sign in with your new MEVA email address formatted as: 1st initial, last name and your graduation year, followed by @mainevirtualacademy.org



Sign in

to continue to Gmail

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Welcome to MEVA

Log in to view your courses, explore tools and features, and customize your eLearning experience.

Username *

Password *

Log In

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Brightspace / Google Mobile App

You can download the apps for free onto your mobile devices, from Google Play or the Apple “App” Store. Look for the icon’s below on your devices;

Store for Android
Devices



Store for Apple
Products



Brightspace App



Zoom App



Google Mail



Maine Virtual Academy Homepage

Calendar ▾

Monday, August 9, 2021



Upcoming events (10+)



My Courses

All

Attendance Dept

Brightspace Learning ...

English

Math

Social Studies



Announcements ▾

Hi Test. Welcome to
Brightspace by D2L



We are glad to welcome you to

MY SCHEDULE

AgendaDayWeekMonthList

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Search Events

<>Jan 2, 2022 - Jan 8, 2022All Calendars (16)

	Sun 2	Mon 3	Tue 4	Wed 5	Thu 6	Fri 7	Sat 8	
all day			Lesson 5.05: Rough Draft					
		Winter Bre	Lesson 5.06: Final Draft/Presentation					
		Winter Bre						
		Winter Bre						
8:00 AM		8:00 AM	8:00 AM	8:00 AM	8:00 AM	8:00 AM		
9:00 AM		Consumer 8:30 AM	Cons 8:30	Consumer 8:30 AM	Consumer 8:30 AM	Consumer 8:30 AM		
10:00 AM		American 9:45 AM		Ame 9:45	American 9:45 AM	American 9:45 AM		
11:00 AM				US H 11:00		US H 11:00		
12:00 PM								
1:00 PM		11th Grad 1:15 PM	Help 1:15	US H 1:15	Help 1:15	Care 1:15	Help Desk 1:15 PM	

<>January 2022

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
26	27	28	29	30	31	1
2	3	4	5	6	7	8
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
30	31	1	2	3	4	5





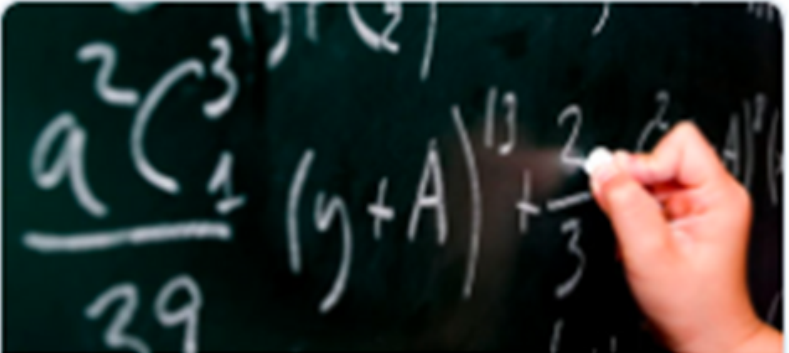

TasksAdd a task...

On the home page you will see a list of your courses.

Click on the course you are scheduled to attend.

My Courses

All Attendance Dept Brightspace Learning ... English Math Science Social >

 <p>Chemistry Essentials Spring 2021 O'Grady</p>	 <p>Geography Fall 2021 Ford</p>	 <p>Creative Writing Fall 2021 Hamilton</p>
 <p>Algebra 1 Fall 2021 Larchar</p>	 <p>Algebra 1 Spring Larchar</p>	 <p>8 Language Arts Fall 2021 Sroka</p>



Course Home Content Discussions Assessment ▾ Class Tools ▾

Today and tomorrow ▸ Test Algebra (1)

Print

Settings

Test Algebra (1)

Sep 1, 2021 8:30 AM - 9:45 AM

● Algebra 1 Spring Larchar

Test Algebra (1)



Tasks ▾

Add a task...



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Video Assignment

Virtual Classroom

Activity Feed

Latest Posts

There's nothing here just yet.

This is where you'll find assignments, announcements, lessons and other resources. Check back soon!

Announcements

There are no announcements to display.



Meetings

Class Meetings

Title	↓	Scheduled At	Status	Action
Test Algebra (15)		12/8/2021, 8:30 AM		
Test Algebra (14)		12/1/2021, 8:30 AM		
Test Algebra (13)		11/24/2021, 8:30 AM		
Test Algebra (12)		11/17/2021, 8:30 AM		
Test Algebra (11)		11/10/2021, 8:30 AM		
Test Algebra (10)		11/3/2021, 8:30 AM		
Test Algebra (9)		10/27/2021, 8:30 AM		
Test Algebra (8)		10/20/2021, 8:30 AM		



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TS

Test Student



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Monday: Independent Introduction

Continue

LL Work Week 2: Sept 6 - 10

Completed 0/8

Launch Unit

Monday: Independent Introduction

0/2 ▶

Tuesday: LIVE Class

0/2 ▼

 Launch Lesson

 Test Algebra (13)

This session is scheduled to start in about 3 months

JOIN



Show Dial-in Information



Virtual Classroom Help



Dial-in Information



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+1 (548) 490-0010 Canada - Ontario

+1 (450) 233-7054 Canada - Quebec

PIN: 443 8682 625#



Please check that the area code is appropriate for your region - charges may apply.

MAINE VIRTUAL ACADEMY Algebra 1 Spring Larchar

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Student, Test

Algebra 1 Spring Larchar
Spring 2022 - Semester 2

Summary Grades Standards Content Discussions Assignments Quizzes Checklist Surveys Course Access System Access History

Progress Summary

Print Help

Grades

Grades Received: 0

Standards

0 Standards available

Content

Topics Visited	Total Visits	Time Spent
1 / 8	1	0d 0h 0m 0s

0 % Completed: 0 / 8

Topics Visited: 1

Discussions

Posts Read	Threads Created	Replies Posted
0	0	0

Posts Authored: 0

Assignments

Assignment Submissions	Late Submissions	Awaiting Grade
0 % (0/0)	0	0

Graded Submissions: 0


Learning Coaches can check students progress in each course by clicking:







Class Tools
then
Class Progress

You can also review grades and assignments by clicking the fields on the left.


LOGGING ATTENDANCE





Test Student
Impersonating

Brightspace Resources ▾ Parent's Corner Calendar



Maine Virtual Academy Homepage

Calendar ▾

Tuesday, January 4, 2022 ▸

Upcoming events ▾

Google Workspace ▾

You do not have a Google Workspace account linked with the organization.
[Link to your Google Workspace account.](#)

Learning Coach Time Entry

You are entering time for Test Student for course Attendance_2021-2022

Enter your pin:

Select the date and time that you are submitting for this course

Date:



Time (HH:MM):

:

Comment:

To edit attendance for a previous day, please select the date and enter the minutes. To clear an entry enter 0.

Set attendance

Learning Coach Time Recorded

Mon 30 Aug 2021	LC Entry	Absent - LC (no time)
Tue 31 Aug 2021	LC Entry	Attended - LC 63 mins
Wed 1 Sep 2021	LC Entry	No data entered (no time)
Thu 2 Sep 2021	LC Entry	No data entered (no time)
Fri 3 Sep 2021	LC Entry	Attended - LC 60 mins
Mon 6 Sep 2021	LC Entry	No data entered (no time)
Tue 7 Sep 2021	LC Entry	No data entered (no time)

What counts for attendance?

*Attendance is only recorded when the parent logs time into the student's Brightspace account.

The following activities may be counted toward attendance:

*Student attended a Live Session

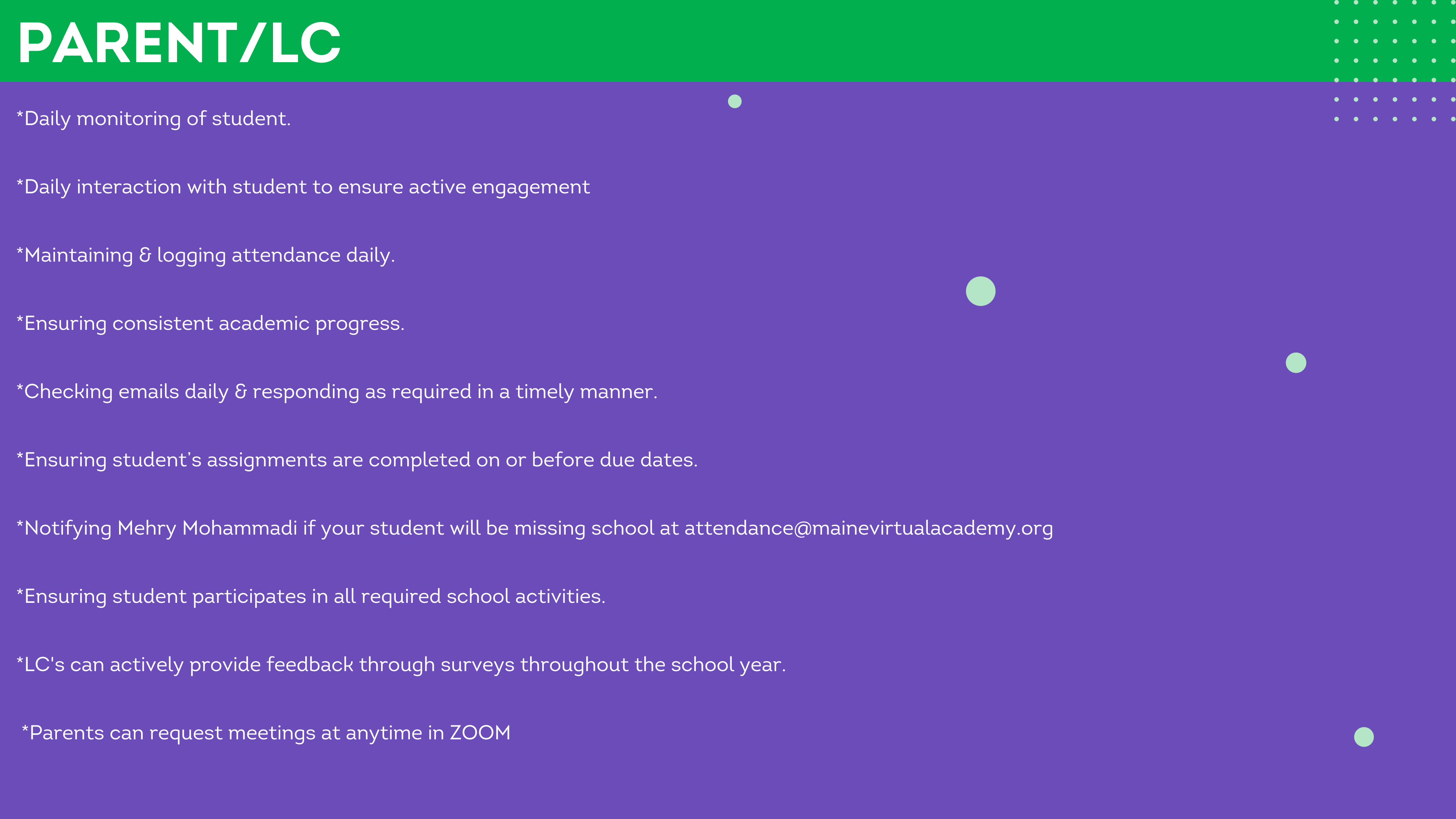
*Student logged into a lesson or lesson activity, and the login can be documented (i.e. working on assigned classwork)

*There is documentation of activity/work between the parent and student

*School-sanctioned group activities or individual activities per the student's Individual Learning Plan (ILP)

*If your student is involved in extracurriculars or taking a college course, please inform your Guidance Counselor.

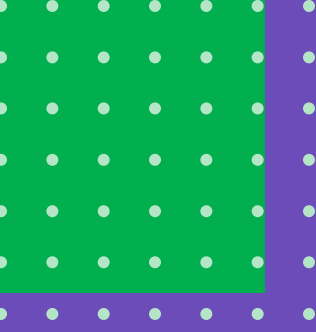




PARENT/LC

- *Daily monitoring of student.
- *Daily interaction with student to ensure active engagement
- *Maintaining & logging attendance daily.
- *Ensuring consistent academic progress.
- *Checking emails daily & responding as required in a timely manner.
- *Ensuring student’s assignments are completed on or before due dates.
- *Notifying Mehry Mohammadi if your student will be missing school at attendance@mainevirtualacademy.org
- *Ensuring student participates in all required school activities.
- *LC's can actively provide feedback through surveys throughout the school year.
- *Parents can request meetings at anytime in ZOOM

Student Responsibilities



- *Logging into the online school and classes daily
(as required by MEVA's attendance policy in the School Handbook)
- *Checking emails daily and responding as required in a timely manner
- *Completing each assignment listed in the class content for each course
- *Attending and actively participating in live sessions
- *Submitting assignments on or before due dates

Dedicated Learning Space



It is important to have a dedicated workspace set up for your student and a strong internet connection.

When figuring out the best location to set up your learning space, consider the following:

- Find an appropriate spot in your home. How is the lighting? Is there enough space for schooling?
- Consider the furniture placement. Ensure the desk or table for your student is an appropriate size, and that it is free from clutter. Make sure you have shelving and space to store the learning materials.
- How is the internet connection? This is very important - your student is learning online. If you already know that your learning space has poor internet connection, either move the router closer to your student's space, or find a better location.
- Are there distractions? Rooms with televisions, gaming systems, or lots of toys will make it difficult for your student to concentrate.
- Are you dressed and ready for the day? Changing into school clothes can make a big difference in your attitude. Make sure you wake up with plenty of time before school and prepare yourself for the day!



Keys to Success

- Daily attendance and participation each school day
- Complete lessons as assigned
- Attend live class sessions as expected
- Parents, contact Mehry Mohammadi if unable to attend
please email: attendance@mainevirtualacademy.org
- Monitor grades in Brightspace
- Email Teacher or Advisor with any questions
- Promptly reply to teacher's email & phone calls
- Attend scheduled team meetings
- Attend and complete required testing



LET'S GET SOCIAL!

There are lots of ways to be social at MEVA! We offer many clubs that meet our students interests.

If you have an idea for a club offering, let the folks in guidance know and they will try to find an advisor for you.

Are you active outside of MEVA in work, volunteering, or other activities? Reach out to guidance to see how you can get credit for your activities!

Important Information

- Class materials – Have pens, pencils, and a notebook available while you are in class to take notes. Supplies are also available upon request. Books will be digital, Math classes – calculators available upon request.
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- If you have requested a school computer, you should have received it by now. If not, no worries stay after and we can check tracking for you!
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- Please have a backup computer/internet access (library, friend or family member, fast food restaurant)
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- Make sure to set up your school email and Brightspace account before school begins on August 29th!



NWEA Testing

- Fall NWEAs will be administered on **OCT 4th-6th**
- These do not impact your grade! They are a tool MEVA uses to assess your knowledge from the past school year.
- NWEA testing is done virtually. You will be required to share your screen with your teacher during the test.
- NWEA tests will be given three times during the school year: Fall, Winter (January), and Spring (May).

Child Find-Student Support

This is a process that seeks to identify any student that may be in need of additional supports.

- If your student is struggling academically
- Has a suspected disability
- Who may be in difficult circumstances or experiencing barriers that could be impacting their education
- Displaying significant attendance & engagement challenges
- Has mental health barriers

Parents can request a meeting with the Special Programs Department to review support options that may be needed.

- Lena Vitagliano, Special Education Administrator.
- lvitagliano@mainevirtualacademy.org



Who Can Help Me?

Guidance

- Assistance w/engagement and onboarding
- Course placement
- Transcript questions
- Social and Emotional Support
- Curriculum questions

Meghan Crosby

- Updating home address and phone numbers
- All registration and general school questions

Mehry Mohammadi

- Computer Setup
- Username and password reset
- Tech issues and guidance navigating Brightspace and G-Suite
- Attendance Questions
- Schedule team meeting if needed



thanks
FOR
coming

Need additional Help?
Please feel free to stay
and ask questions!

You can also visit us at
www.mainevirtualacademy.org

There you will find a full staff
directory and links to lots of
helpful information.

See you on August 29nd!

