



Mustang Messenger

January 10, 2020

Upcoming Events

- January 20th– No School
- January 31st– Dodgeball Tournament

Want to know what is happening at The Creek? Visit the calendar on our webpage!

[Calendar Link](#)

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Mill Creek Middle School

8001 Mize Blvd
Lenexa, KS 66227

Main Number
913-667-3512

Attendance Line
913-422-9698

Website
www.usd232.org

Below is information on technology fees and repairs. Find additional technology information on the MCMS Website under the Parents Tab
<https://www.usd232.org/Domain/4003>

FEES, DAMAGES, REPAIRS, WARRENTIES & PRIVACY

Technology Use Fee: \$25

The Technology Use Fee is to help offset costs for warranty and repair coverage on the device.

Damage, Loss, & Repair Fees

The district will charge the following fees if damage or loss occurs due to the intentional acts or as the result of negligence in handling the device.

MacBook Air – Repair Cost Structure

- 1st Incident: No Fee
- 2nd Incident: \$50.00
- 3rd Incident: \$75.00
- 4th and Subsequent Incidents: Actual cost of repair/replacement

Accessories and parts that do not carry a warranty are charged at actual replacement cost. Repair cost schedule may reset annually.

Replacement Costs for Items Not Covered by the Fee Structure

- Apple MacBook Charger Replacement: \$79.00
- MacBook Case replacement: \$45.00
- Apple Duckhead (2-prong adapter): \$10.00
- Full USD 232 Replacement Cost of the MacBook Air: \$747.40

Stolen Device

In case of theft, vandalism or other criminal acts, a police report **MUST** be filed with local enforcement and a copy of the report submitted to school administration to prevent being charged the replacement cost of the device. A damaged device fee may still be incurred. If proof of theft cannot be supplied, the student will incur the full replacement cost of the device. The MacBooks are remotely managed devices and will be “tracked” and disabled in cases of theft.

Lost Device

Students will incur the replacement cost of the device, which is \$747.40.

Bulletin Board

For Information on the following please click the link below:

[Cell Phone Policy](#)

[Black and Gold Calendar](#)

[Lunch Menu for the Week](#)

[Daily Schedule](#)

[MCMS Website](#)



Report Cards

Report cards for Quarter 2/Semester 1 and Honor Roll have now been posted to Family Access. You will be able to find them under the “Documents” tab. Once you are in the “Documents” tab, click on “1st Semester Grade Card MCMS 2019-2020.” Honor Roll is listed under the Highlights. Honor Roll is for both quarters and the semester.

Below is information about our next presentation on Student Well-Being: Vaping. This event is taking place on Tuesday, Jan. 21, 6:30om at the MVHS Theater.

<http://bitly.com/2EsYL7g>



*On Wednesday, January 15, 2020, 7:00 p.m., USD 232 will hold a special screening of the documentary **Angst: Raising Awareness about Anxiety**, at the De Soto High School Theater.*

Free tickets for this event are now available and space is limited. For planning purposes, interested parents are encouraged to register for this event by Friday, January 10. Free tickets are available [here](#).

Learn more > [Angst: Raising Awareness about Anxiety](#).



Valentine Grams



Valentine Grams

Send one to your sweetheart or your friend!!

All Proceeds Benefit MCMS
STUCO!



\$1.00

Suckers will be delivered to
students Tuesday, February
11th during MELT.

Suckers will be available for
sale before school only
February 3rd – 7th!

Quantities Limited!!!

Be sure to get yours today!

Questions? Contact Jill Church jchurch@dusd232.org or
Katie Taylor ktaylor@dusd232.org



Dodgeball Tournament

Mill Creek Middle School

DODGEBALL TOURNAMENT

Friday, January 31st, 2020

6 - 9 pm, Mill Creek Gymnasium

Register by January 17th to play!

\$10 per player

Teams of 10 – 12 students + 1 parent coach

Proceeds benefit MCMS PTA

Packets returned to Mrs.
Legore Seawood. First 13
teams with completed
packets accepted!

*No team? Come out and watch
your friends and teachers play!*

- Admission: \$3 Adult & \$1 Child
- DJ
- Food & Drink available for purchase

50/50 DRAWING!
Tickets are \$1 or 6 for \$5!



**Prizes
awarded for
1st, 2nd & 3rd!**

5 D's of Dodgeball: Dodge, Duck, Dip, Dive, and.....DODGE!

#GoodNewsCallOfTheDay

Congrats to our Good News Call of the Day students!



School Procedures

Attendance

Report an Absence:

A 24 hour voicemail phone line (422-9698) is available to report an absence. If you need to speak with someone in person, our office opens at 7:30 am. We ask that you call on the day of the absence or before if possible.

Please include the following information:

- Leave your name, relationship
- Student's name
- Date and hours missed
- Reason for absence

Students are expected to attend school and to be present and punctual for all classes each day that school is in session from 7:55 am - 3:05 pm. Regular attendance is basic to the educational process.

Excused Absence:

The only acceptable reasons for absence or tardies are: illness, medical/dental appointments, court appearance, family emergencies (funerals, critical illness), religious holidays, and school sponsored events.

Bus Pass

If you are enrolled as a bus rider and you need to ride home on the bus with another student the office needs the following:

- **A note/email from BOTH parents involved giving permission along with bus and phone information.** Emails can be sent to amasilionis@usd232.org and thiggins@usd232.org.
- This option should only be used when other arrangements can't be made. **Students should not be changing buses daily or every week.**
- The office needs to have these changes **BY 1:30**. Requests after that will be denied.
- We will do our best to accommodate all requests but some may not be able to be filled.
- **Please have your student check in with the office at the end of the day if they have not received their but pass for the day.**
- If your student needs to change a bus for more than one occasion, please contact First Student at (913) 422-8501.
- Bus drivers are NOT part of the approval process. All communications need to be with the office.

Forgotten Items Policy

It is each student's responsibility to bring to school their classroom supplies, homework, P.E. clothes, uniforms, lunch, lunch money and anything else they need at school. It is important for students to learn how to handle their responsibilities. If you decide to bring forgotten items to school, please leave them **CLEARLY LABELED** at the Students Drop-Off Table in the front office. The office will NOT interrupt classroom instruction to notify your child of a forgotten item(s). Students can pick up their forgotten item between classes, during lunch or after school. Thank you for your cooperation!

After School/Event Code of Conduct

Please join us to spread some Mustang spirit at our after school events at Mill Creek Middle School. Athletic events (except cross country and track) at Mill Creek are \$3 for adults, \$1 for school aged children and free for 59 and over.

If a student wants to stay for a game those arrangements need to be made BEFORE school. We will NO longer allow students to call home AFTER school to see if they can stay for a game, due to our bus schedule. Please make arrangements for post-game transportation BEFORE arriving at school the day of the game. Students should be picked up from game around 5:30 and should not expect to use the school phone to call home for a ride. Students who consistently fail to make previous arrangements may be required to bring a note in order to stay or not be allowed to stay for future games.

MCMS Students expectations:

MCMS students who plan to stay for a game must report to the cafeteria at 3:05 on game days. Students may use this time after school as study hall, to talk quietly or play a game. Mandatory quiet time may be assigned at the discretion of the supervisor and they must ask for permission to leave the cafeteria for any reason. Any student who chooses to leave after school can ONLY attend the game with supervision of a parent/legal guardian. Students who stay after school are expected to follow the MCMS After School Athletic Events Code of Conduct and abide by the following guidelines:

- Stay in the building or at the football game during the entire course of the game. Any student who leaves the building or field during the game will be required to leave school grounds and will not be allowed to return.
- Be sitting in the bleachers in the student section while the game is in play. Students will be given the opportunity at all game breaks, such as quarter breaks, match breaks and half-time to get concessions and use the restroom. If a student misbehaves, engages in unsafe behavior, or displays poor sportsmanship, the student will be given an assigned seat, asked to leave or have additional school consequences.