



The MPTCS Mission

Reimagining the Village - Chapter 3



The mission of Marion P. Thomas Charter School is to build culturally rich, transformative educational spaces that cultivate successful, lifelong innovators who use their passions, character, and intellect to better themselves, the greater Newark community, and the world beyond.



2023 Breast Cancer Walk

The Tree of Knowledge

The Torch

The Sankofa Bird

The Tiger





Agenda Reimagining the Village



<u>Agenda:</u>

- Opening
- Mission
- Attendance Update
- Parent University
- Village Highlights
- On the Horizon



Attendance Data

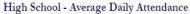


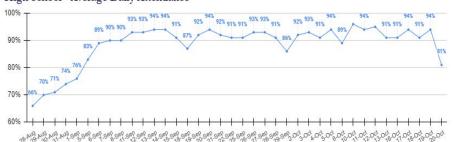
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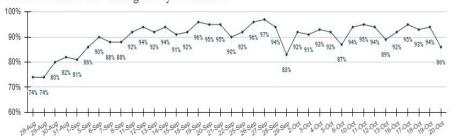
Attendance, Academics, & Attitude Keep it 100%



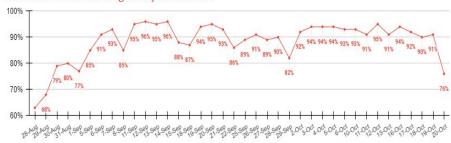




STEAM ACADEMY - Average Daily Attendance



PAC ACADEMY - Average Daily Attendance

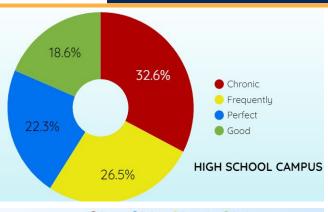


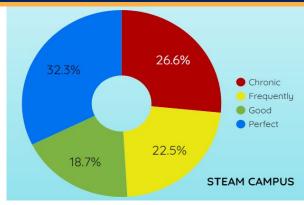
Strategic Plan Progress			
Campus	Strategic Plan Goal	YTD	+/-
HS	93%	92.10%	-0.90%
PAC	93%	92.27%	-0.73%
STEAM	95%	93.26%	-1.74%

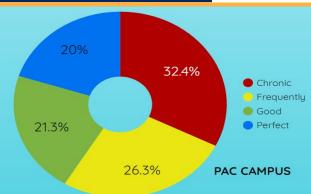


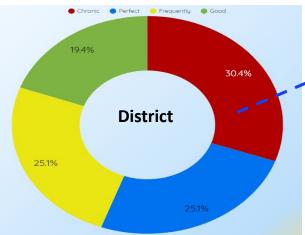
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Our amazing attendance team attended an attendance training hosted by the NJPSA last week.



It takes a Village...



Highlights, Initiatives & Events







CORE VALUES EXEMPLIFIED THE TORCH

Sybella, a model PreK scholar, demonstrates strong leadership by following classroom rules and always trying her best.

STUDENT





CORE VALUES EXEMPLIFIED THE TIGER ENCASED IN A HEART

Autumn is a compassionate and bold leader who remains true to herself in all environments.



Maziyah Broxton 8th Grade, STEAM Academy





CORE VALUES EXEMPLIFIED THE SANKOFA BIRD

Maziyah Broxton is recognized for all of the hard work she has been doing in the classroom, particularly in the fields of Social Studies and Writing. She is a model scholar at STEAM Academy, consistently adhering to classroom and school rules while demonstrating respect for everyone. Most importantly, she has maintained exceptional attendance.







CORE VALUES EXEMPLIFIED THE TREE OF KNOWLEDGE

Xavier is determined to bring his best effort to each class. He consistently completes his assignments on time and to a high standard, and he always strives to excel. He is a positive influence in the classroom.







CORE VALUES EXEMPLIFIED THE TREE OF KNOWLEDGE

Akaoma's teachers say she has consistently demonstrated excellence since they have known her. She currently has one of the highest GPAs among the sophomores. While she is not particularly talkative, she is clearly focused and driven.







CORE VALUES EXEMPLIFIED THE TORCH

Zion has matured tremendously over the past few years at the village. He has achieved honor roll status, played varsity football at Shabazz, and been a role model for his classmates. His teachers are proud of him and his accomplishments.







CORE VALUES EXEMPLIFIED THE TIGER ENCASED IN A HEART

Judah is consistently pleasant and respectful to everyone he interacts with, including staff and peers.



September Employee Spotlight







Retirement

Congratulations to
Lisa Finn-Bruce! She has
served as an educator
and administrator for
more than 38 years!

Her last day is on October 31, 2023. We wish her well.





2023 Breast Cancer Awareness Walk





It takes a Village!



Parent University: Math Series

Oct. 5, 2023

As part of Parent University, we hosted our second Parent Math Series Night in partnership with Fraser's Mathematics Solutions. The evening was hosted by the STEAM Academy campus.

The workshops aim to expose teachers, students, and families to new ways of teaching math and connecting it to current and culturally relevant topics. The workshops for this night were broken down by grade spans as follow:

- K 2 Addition and subtraction Strategies (part 2, focused on subtraction)
- 3 5 Addition and Subtraction Strategies
- 6 7 Independent and Dependent Variables
- 8 Exponents

29 Families were in attendance, with over 50 participants. Shout to the High School freshman, who returned to their former campus to assist with preparing for the event, with some attending the grade 8 workshop as a refresher for their current Algebra 1 class.









The next workshop will be a STEM Night on November 20, 2023 with activities from Fraser's Mathematics Solutions and Liberty Science Center.



September Parent Spotlight



Tiffany & Tashawn Burrell
PAC Academy

Malika Johnson STEAM Academy





And the winner is







September's Parent University Raffle

Kazeem Sanni,
Parent of
PAC & High School Scholars







- ○ Community Event

11/2 - Early Childhood Advisory
Council Interest Meeting (PreK -3)



--• School Programs & Initiatives

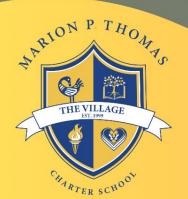
10/23-27 - Red Ribbon Week 11/8 - HS Annual College Fair





- Parent University

11/1 - Fall in Love with Literacy PreK-4 11/17 - Preschool Series 11/20 - Community STEM Night



ON THE HORIZON



11/3 - Village Celebration11/8 - Family Skate Night

Thank you for listening!

