



WILDFLOWER WORD

The Family Newsletter for Malcolm Shabazz City High School



Greetings from Principal Chantel

I would like to inform our Shabazz community that our guidance counselor, Elizabeth Long, will be out on medical leave until further notice. We wish Elizabeth a speedy and full recovery, and we will keep you updated upon her return. In the meantime, please direct all requests for information regarding credits, courses, and scheduling to the main office at 608-204-2446. The office and support staff will be happy to assist you.



We understand that this news may be unexpected, and we apologize for any inconvenience it may cause. We are committed to supporting our students and families during this time, and we will ensure that they have access to the resources they may need.

Thank you for your understanding and support. Please send positive vibes to Elizabeth for a quick recovery.

Warm regards,
-Principal Chantel Angeletti

Progress Grades

Progress grades for week 4 of the semester were posted to Infinite Campus on February 27th. We encourage you to talk with your student about progress grades and to email teachers with any questions you have!



Parking Lot Safety

I need to ask everyone to please be careful and patient when dropping off and picking up scholar's from school. Sherman Middle School now has a late start and children using the crosswalk during our start time.

ACT for Juniors - Tuesday, March 12, 2024

Just a reminder that **ALL Juniors** are scheduled to take the ACT at Shabazz on Tuesday, March 12, 2024. Students can access Method Test Prep through their Xello account in Classlink. More information will be coming soon to juniors and their families. **No school for 9th, 10th and 12th graders on March 12th.**

PLEASE HELP US WELCOME EROS!

Hi! My name is Eros and I use they/them pronouns. I will be the new Behavioral Education Assistant here at Shabazz.



You will see me daily in the hallways and responding in classrooms providing you with any support you need for your learning. I will also be able to help you reach other members of the support team staff.

Fun facts about me:

I have 3 cats and I love to cook



YEARBOOK

SHABAZZ YEARBOOK

The Shabazz 2023-2024 school yearbook is in production! All Shabazz scholars can submit a school appropriate photo of choice to replace their school picture. Just email photo directly to Rachel Schramm at rcschramm@madison.k12.wi.us. We will be accepting photos until spring break.

Yearbooks will be for sale in the Shabazz office for all scholars who did not pre-order one. The cost of each yearbook is \$20 and can be paid in IC with a credit/debit card, cash or check.



Seniors!....

The **2024-25 FAFSA** is available and should be completed as soon as possible to qualify for the most aid! Parents and students need to register for an **FSA ID** prior to completing the FAFSA.

Families can attend College Goal WI to

get help completing their FAFSA in person.

Check out event [times and dates here](#).

[Click here for more information on the FAFSA process > > >](#)

Seniors...



Save the date
Graduation June 5th, 2024
Sheraton Madison Hotel
706 John Nolen Dr, 53713
Time:TBD

#AttendanceMatters

Help your child learn to persevere. Today, they may learn to overcome a snowdrift to get to school. In the future, your child will have the grit to triumph over even greater obstacles to their dreams.
[MMSD Attendance Website](#)



Shabazz Student Support Day Guidance

We had our first Semester Student Support Day's, that allowed many scholar's a chance to work with individual content teachers to make up incomplete or missing work.

There are TWO more Student Support Days this school year:

April 3 ~ May 29

All families are encouraged to review the [student support day guidance](#) document. All parents/guardians should review student progress in IC and can excuse your scholar (PPA) from attending student support day IF the student is passing projects and meeting expectations in ALL their classes. Scholars may leave upon completion of missing assignments. The end time for each individual scholar will vary on student support days.





Looking Back...February at Shabazz!



Shabazz had a great Black History Month. This year's theme was "African Americans and the Arts". The leadership class plans this event here at Shabazz. It was a great way to reign in the new semester with our long tradition of meaningful activities that typically culminate in our Soul Food Community Lunch, educational movie showings, and daily announcements to honor the influence and contributions that African Americans have made to our society!

Community Lunches

We are kicking off the semester with some awesome community-building through our community lunches! The Seed to Table Learning lab has been taking risks by creating new recipes for the whole school to try. They have gotten creative by highlighting certain cultural dishes and making things vegan and vegetarian so that everyone can participate in taste testing. So far we have had quiches, pancakes, salads, scrambled eggs, and soups!



Looking Forward...March at Shabazz!



Women's history month

March is women's history month! This year's theme is "Women Who Advocate for Equity, Diversity and Inclusion." At Shabazz, we celebrate the historical and present contributions and achievements of women with a Women's History Celebration, which will be held on March 21st this year. In the past this consisted of several workshops led by women in our community teaching us about their successes in their careers. The school leadership class will be organizing the workshops again for this year.

To learn more about this year's theme and the history of Women's History Month, please read this [awesome article](#).

Shabazz February Calendar of Events

Below are some important dates to note for the upcoming months

March 7- Evening High School

Conferences(4-8:00pm)Hybrid(Virtual/In-person)

March 8- No School-High School

Conferences (8-4:00pm) Virtual ONLY

March 12 - ACT (Only Juniors Attend)

March 14 - Wisconsin Ed Fair (WEF)

March 25-29 Spring Break- No School

April 3- Student Support Day



*Please be on the look out for conference sign up via email late February.

[Shabazz February Calendar of Events](#) - quick link to all upcoming school events such as field trips, celebrations, and other things!



INFINITE CAMPUS

The "Campus Student" and "Campus Parent" apps are designed to provide real-time access to student information. The easy-to-use design displays what is currently happening in the classroom so you can understand, monitor, and participate in the educational process.

- Announcements - Quickly see district announcements as they are posted.
- Assignments - Browse assignments by specific class or due date.
- Attendance - Review attendance events in summary and detail form.
- Grades - Immediate access to grades as they are posted.
- Schedule - Review schedules from anywhere, at any time.

[Download on the App Store](#)

[Get it on Google play](#)



Call for Donations Healthy Snacks!

Greetings Families!! We are accepting donations of healthy, single-serve snacks for our snack bowl! This may include cereal/granola bars, individual cracker/veggie



straw packs, fruit snacks, etc. These snacks help keep our students stay happy and fresh!

THANK YOU!!!!



Where in the World Are Our Shabazz Grads?

We want to hear from you! Our monthly newsletter often includes a column about our

Shabazz graduates. So tell us what's new, where you are, and what you're doing these days.

[Click here to fill out the survey](#)

QUICK LINKS & HELPFUL RESOURCES

- Staff contact info
- Sign up for text message updates [_____](#)
- Attendance form online [or call 608-204-2440](#)
- Schedule
- Infinite Campus Portal/App

Shabazz Monthly Factoid

Denise Aulik started teaching at Shabazz in 1997 and is our longest-tenured employee at 27 years!



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