

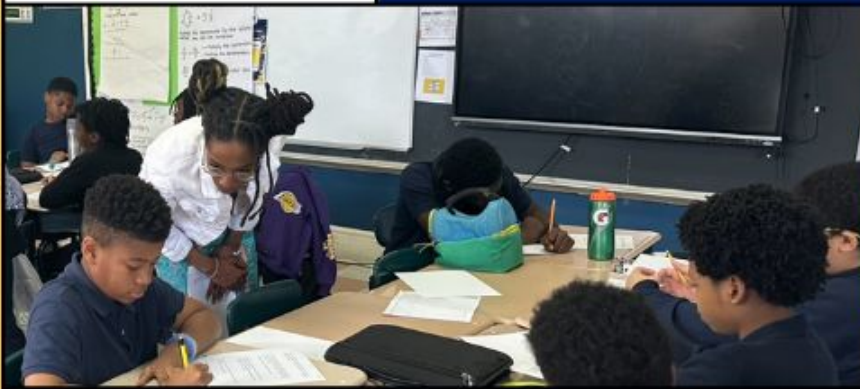


THANK YOU TO  
OUR TEACHERS &  
LEADERS!

WE APPRECIATE  
YOU! ❤️



SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT  
PRESENTED ON MAY 22, 2024



ANGELA MINCY, SUPERINTENDENT



*"The influence of a good teacher  
can never be erased."*

*– Unknown.*

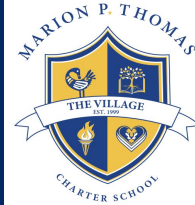
In May we celebrated Teacher,  
Nurse, and Principal Appreciation  
Days. Thank you to all teachers,  
nurses and principals for their  
efforts to not only enhance our  
Village but to change lives.

We are immensely grateful for their  
impactful contributions.



# 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.*



**The Tree of Knowledge**



**The Torch**



**The Sankofa Bird**



**The Tiger**





# Agenda

## Reimagining the Village - Chapter 3



### Agenda

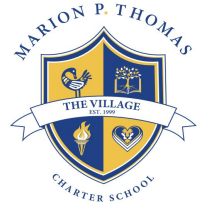
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# *Attendance Data*

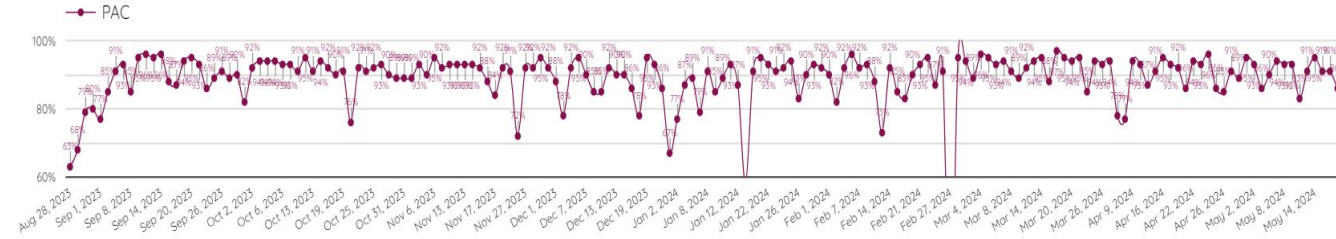


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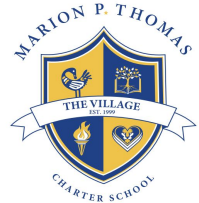


# Average Daily Attendance

## Keep it 100%

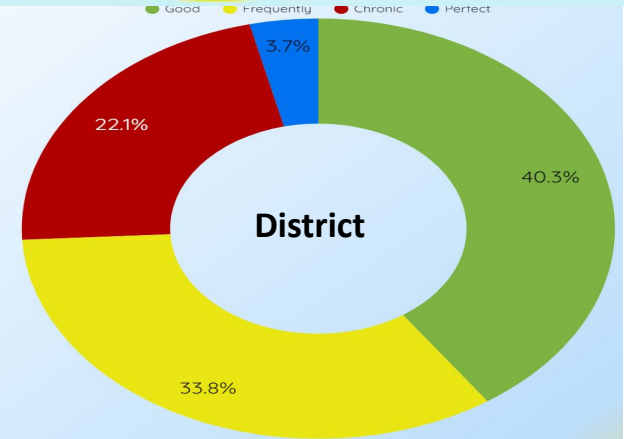
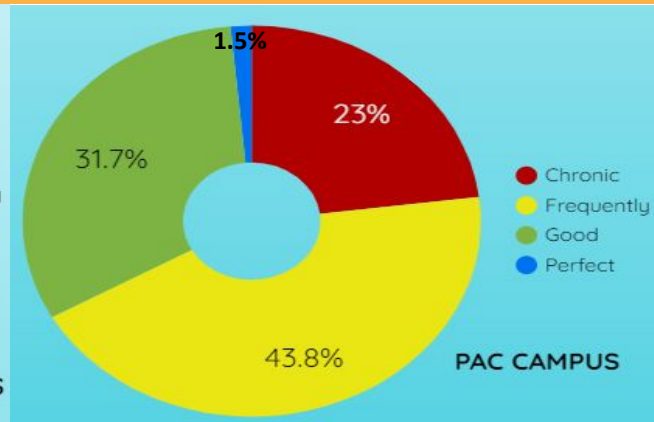
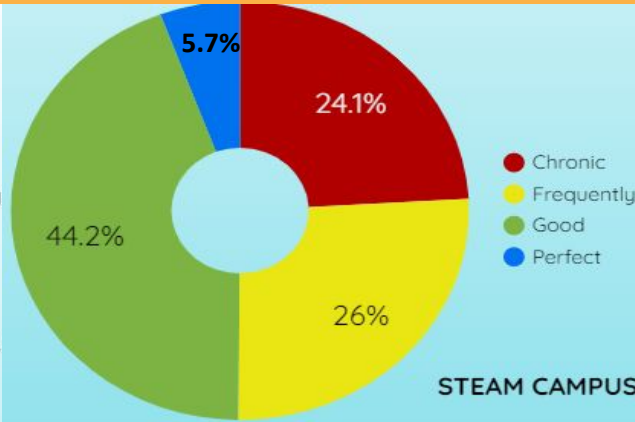
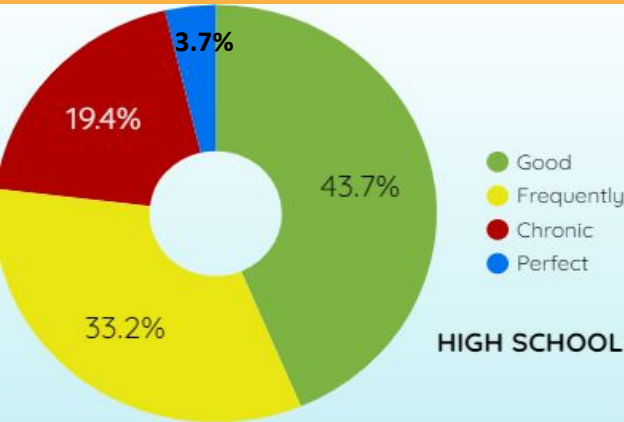


Average Daily Attendance			
Campus	Strategic Plan Goal	YTD	+/-
<b>HS</b>	93.00%	93.16%	<b>+0.16%</b>
<b>PAC</b>	93.00%	91.62%	<b>-1.38%</b>
<b>STEAM</b>	95.00%	92.99%	<b>-2.01%</b>



# Attendance

## MPTCS Data Trends



May **2022**- 44.3%  
May **2023**- 30.5%  
May **2024**- 22.1%



# *NJSLA Testing*



## *Academic Updates*





# NJSLA Testing



## Testing Schedule - All Campuses

Wednesday 5/8	Thursday 5/9	Monday 5/13	Tuesday 5/14	Monday 5/20	Tuesday 5/21	Wednesday 5/22
Grades 5, 8, & 11	Grades 5, 8, 11	Grades 3 - 9	Grades 3 - 9	Grades 3 - 9	Grades 3 - 9	Grades 3 - 9
Science Testing Units 1 & 2	Science Testing Units 3 & 4	ELA Testing Unit 1	ELA Testing Unit 2	Math Testing Unit 1	Math Testing Unit 2	Math Testing Unit 3

## Participation Rates (Goal: 95%)

Campus	Science Testing	ELA Testing	Math Testing
HS	Met	Met	Met
STEAM	Met	Met	On Track to Meet
PAC	On Track to Meet	On Track to Meet	On Track to Meet
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>Met</b>	<b>Met</b>	<b>On Track to Meet</b>

*Final participation rates will be shared at the July board meeting.*

*It takes a Village...*



*Partnerships, Highlights,  
Initiatives & Events*

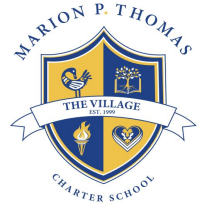


# The Village Welcomes Ujamaa Cafe



MPTCS teamed up with the Coalition for Food and Health Equity to bring a delicious initiative to the table! The debut of the Ujamaa Cafe community refrigerator at our high school promises to “whet the appetite” of students, participating in afterschool programs, with nutritious treats sourced from local eateries. This exciting partnership, generously supported by the New Jersey Devils Youth Foundation and Wana Brands Foundation, is set to “stir up” enthusiasm for healthy eating and community engagement. Stay tuned as this flavorful collaboration unfolds.





# Senior Decision Day

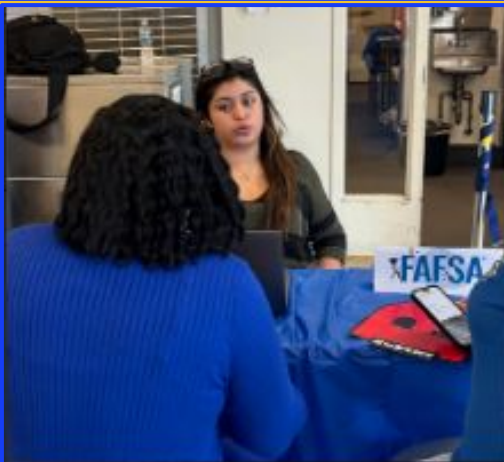


National College Decision Day, also referred to as College Signing Day, occurs annually on the first day of May. This day holds great significance for our high school seniors who have received college acceptances as they confirm their enrollment. To celebrate our seniors, we held a successful ceremony and luncheon on Wednesday, May 1st.





# Decision Day 2024



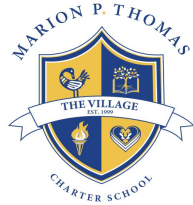


Congrats to Junior, Awa Bah for winning 3rd place at the Newark NAACP ACT-SO Culinary Competition!





# 2024 Law Day Competition Winners



Superior Court of New Jersey - Essex Vicinage  
**LAW DAY 2024**  
*Voices of Democracy*



**FIRST PLACE ART**  
By Jahell B. Paul  
Marion P. Thomas Charter High School

This project is supported by the New Jersey State Bar Foundation and made possible through funding from the US7A Fund of the Bar of New Jersey. For additional information about the Foundation's other law-related activities, please call 1-800-955-CLEO or visit the Foundation's web site at [www.njsbf.org](http://www.njsbf.org).

Superior Court of New Jersey - Essex Vicinage  
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**HONORABLE MENTION VIDEO**  
By Students from Marion P. Thomas Charter  
High School  
Alyssa Wapples and Shaniyah Thomas

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Congratulations to **Senior Jahell Paul** for his first-place win in the art competition, as well as **Alyssa Wapples and Shaniyah Thomas** for receiving an honorable mention for their video submission in the 2024 Essex County Lay Day Competition. The theme, "Voices of Democracy," highlights the importance of youth engagement, promoting dialogue, and inclusivity.



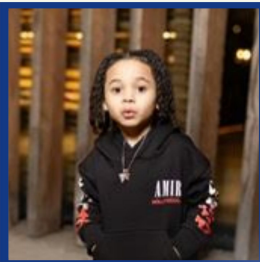
The Village MOCK TRIALS  
**Law Day 2024**

Students at PAC Academy and the high school participated in a mock trial hosted by , working closely with judges, lawyers, and court officers. This year's theme centered on democracy, giving students the opportunity to engage with legal concepts and principles. Special thanks to Mr. Valcourt, Ms. Haruna, and Ms. Johnson Torres for their dedicated preparation of the students.





# April Student Spotlight



Nasiah Thomas  
Preschool, PAC Academy



STUDENT  
*spotlight*



Angel Vickers  
Grade 6, PAC Academy



STUDENT  
*spotlight*



Naomi M Leon  
Grade 1, STEAM Academy



STUDENT  
*spotlight*



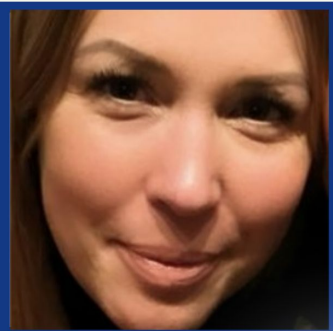
Arisleidy Mora Sanchez  
Grade 12, High School



STUDENT  
*spotlight*



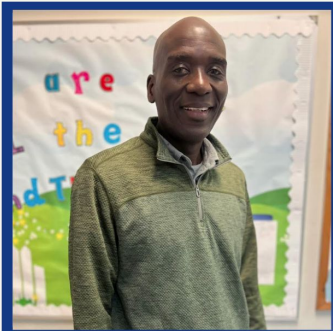
# April Employee Spotlight



Lynette DiNardo  
PAC Academy



EMPLOYEE  
*spotlight*



Dimitry Doirin  
STEAM Academy



EMPLOYEE  
*spotlight*



Winsome Demetrius  
High School



EMPLOYEE  
*spotlight*



# April Parent Spotlight



Tildie Hall  
PAC Academy



PARENT  
spotlight



Shakiema Rivers  
STEAM Academy



PARENT  
spotlight



Tiffany Mack  
High School



PARENT  
spotlight

# Parent University Raffle



*Who will be our lucky winner?*





### **Community Event**

- 5/28 - Annual Blood Drive (HS)
- 6/8 - Village Fest & New Student Registration
- 6/16 - Happy Father's Day

### **School Programs & Initiatives**

- 5/23 & 24 - In the Heights (HS)
- 5/29 - Spring Showcase (STEAM)
- 5/30 - Pride Day (HS)
- 6/6 - American Young Voices Concert (PAC & STEAM) @ Prudential
- 6/6 - HS Prom
- 6/13 - PreK & Kindergarten Move Up Ceremonies (PAC & STEAM)
- 6/14 - 8th Grade Move Up Ceremony (PAC & STEAM)
- 6/17 - HS Graduation

### **Parent University**

- 6/5 - Village-Wide Parent Meeting (via Zoom)
- 6/5 - ESL for Adults Celebration
- 6/12 - Village Awards Celebration

# ON THE HORIZON



### **Climate & Culture**

- 6/1 - MPTCS & KIPP Step and Dance Showcase

*An apple for the teacher...*



Thank you  
for  
listening!

