MARCOS DE NIZA HOME OF THE PADRES



Welcome Back, Padres!

Good afternoon, Padre Families,

It is hard to believe that we are only a week out from our first day of school for the 2019-2020 school year! It was wonderful to see all of our Padre families at Book Distribution over the past week and we are looking forward to welcoming the Class of 2023 onto campus on Thursday for Padre U!

Please see below for information from each of the Academic, Activities and Athletics Departments to assist your student and family with a smooth start to the school year. Do not hesitate to reach out if you have questions or need information about the upcoming year.

Looking forward to an awesome school year - Go Padres!

Ms. Sarah Tolar, Marcos de Niza Principal

From the Academic Department

FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL - Monday, August 5th

- 1st hour begins at 7:50 AM please click to view our Bell Schedules for the 19-20 school year.
- Hard copy class schedules will not be issued on the first day of school. Students should log-in to StudentVue to access class schedules. Schedules will be available to view on StudentVue on Saturday, August 3rd.
- Please know that there will be no schedule changes on Monday the 5th.
- Electronic schedule change requests may be submitted by using the following link or QR Code below. Counselors will process schedule change requests as they receive them.

Bus Routes

If you are dropping your student off at school please use Westchester and plan to arrive early. The traffic around MdN will be heavy in close to the bell, especially the first few days of school.



SCHOOL COUNSELING DEPARTMENT

- In order to best serve our students, the Counseling Department has restructured the student caseload and duties for the 19-20 school year. The Counselor breakdown will be as follows
 - Mr. Steve Mancuso (Department Leader) All Freshmen
 - Ms. Claudia Ramirez 10th 12th grades: Last names A-G
 - Mrs. Debbie Martinez 10th 12th grades: Last names H-P
 - Mrs. Katie Treadwell 10th 12th grades: Last names Q-Z

Please view our MdN Counseling Department webpage for a more comprehensive list of duties, responsibilities and services provided by our Counselors.

PARENTVUE ACCESS

- All parents will be required to have an active ParentVue account for the 2019-20 school year.
- Wednesday, July 31st Guadalupe ParentVue Night: Stop by the PYT Building in Guadalupe from 5 - 7 PM for help activating or accessing your ParentVue account.

From the Activities Department

OFF-CAMPUS LUNCH APPLICATION

Attention Juniors and Seniors of 2019/2020 – If you are interested in going offcampus for lunch next year, you must have the official off-campus lunch ID. If you currently have an off-campus ID, you will need to re-apply for the new school year. Please look at the criteria listed below before you apply.

- On track to graduate credit-wise
- Did not earn any Fs on previous semester transcript
- 2.5 GPA or higher
- No significant discipline issues.

Please see Mr. Fleming or Mr. Miguel in Activities to apply.

From the Athletics Department

Please see the attached documents for information on tryouts and practice times for all of our Fall Athletic programs

MARCOS ATHLETICS

Fall Tryout Information 2019



BADMINTON

Coach Ramirez: cramirez@tempeunion.org Tryout Meeting: n/a Tryouts: Aug. 12–16 (3:30–5:30 PM) Location: Gym Annex What to wear/bring? T-shirt, shorts, athletic shoes and water.

CROSS COUNTRY

Coach Webb: mwebb@tempeunion.org Tryout Meeting: Aug. 8 (Lunch/RM. 242) Tryouts: Aug. 12–16 (3:30–5:30 PM) Location: MdN Track What to wear/bring? T-shirt, shorts, athletic shoes and water.





FOOTBALL

Coach Lauer: elauer@tempeunion.org Tryout Meeting: n/a Tryouts: Jul. 29–Aug. 2 (3:30–6:00 PM) Location: Practice Fields What to wear/bring? T–shirt, shorts and cleats (see football flyer for equipment distribution dates).

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BOYS GOLF

Coach Courtney: mcourtney@tempeunion.org Tryout Meeting: Aug. 8 (Lunch/RM. 217) Tryouts: Aug. 12–16 (3:00–5:00 PM) Location: Ken McDonald (transportation provided)

What to wear/bring? T-shirt, shorts, athletic shoes and water.

GIRLS GOLF

Coach McBroom: pmcbroom@tempeunion.org **Tryout Meeting:** Aug. 8 (3:00 PM/RM. 435) **Tryouts:** Aug. 12–16 (3:00–5:00 PM) **Location:** Ken McDonald (transportation provided)

What to wear/bring? T-shirt, shorts, athletic shoes and water.





SPIRITLINE

Coach Katie: ktreadwell@tempeunion.org Tryout Meeting: Aug. 7 (Lunch/RM. 255) Tryouts: Aug. 12–16 (3:15–5:15 PM) Location: Main Gym What to wear/bring? T-shirt, shorts, athletic shoes and water.

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SWIM & DIVE

Coach Wojo: mwojciechowicz@tempeunion.org Tryout Meeting: Aug. 6 (3:00 PM/RM. 135) Tryouts: Aug. 12–16 (3:15–5:15 PM) Location: McClintock Pool (transportation provided) What to wear/bring? Swimsuit, goggles and water bottle.

GIRLS VOLLEYBALL

Coach Yee: m3lyee.329@gmail.com Tryout Meeting: N/A Tryouts: Aug. 12–16 (5:15–7:15 PM) Location: Main Gym What to wear/bring? T-shirt, spandex and athletic shoes.





FRESHMAN TENNIS

Coach Stark: dstark@tempeunion.org Tryout Meeting: N/A Tryouts: Aug. 12–16 (3:00–4:30 PM) Location: Tennis Courts What to wear/bring? T-shirt, shorts and athletic shoes.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Wednesday, July 31st Guadalupe ParentVue Night @ 5 PM

Thursday, August 2nd Padre U - Freshman and New Student Orientation

Monday, August 12th Dual Enrollment Parent Meeting @ 5:30 PM

Monday, August 20th Curriculum Night

Tuesday, August 27th Fall Sports Parent Night, 5:30 - 8 PM

Thursday, September 5th Club Rush @ lunch



Tempe Transit Procedure

Marcos De Niza offers free Tempe transit passes for the school year to any student who lives in the Tempe, or Guadalupe area. Students do not qualify if they live outside the Tempe, or Guadalupe border. Students who fall under McKinney-Vento will be allowed to receive a Transit pass.

There are 2 forms that must be filled out in order for the card to be printed and distributed. These forms are as follow:

- 1. Tempe Transit Application(This form are located with Mr. Miguel at the Activities desk, Sarah Easton in Guidance, or any of the counselors at Marcos De Niza)
- 2. McKinney Vento Form (if student falls under Mckinney Vento)

-This form is located with the school Counselor who oversees McKinney Vento, or at the Activities desk.

*** Note that a proof of address is needed in order to process the application***

(Proof of address does not apply to McKinney Vento)

Once the forms are complete, please turn application (both forms) to Mr. Miguel at the Activities Desk. The turnaround for the card to print is within 24 hours from the submission your of application. Mr. Miguel will then call the student down to pick up their card. If the student loses their card, they will have to report to the Tempe Transit Center and pay \$5 fee to receive a new one. The station is located at 200 E. 5th St. Tempe, AZ 85281

If you have any questions regarding Tempe Transit, please contact Miguel Hernandez at the Activities Desk at 480-838-3200 ext. 40106 or at mhernandez@tempeunion.org.

Tempe Transit Applications



You must be a Tempe/ Guadalupe resident to qualify. for a Free Tempe Transit Pass. Proof of Address is required.

.Transit ID is free at the school, and processed in ACTIVITIES Office.

If ID is lost or stolen, student must go to the Tempe Transit Station to replace the ID, and pay \$5.00

Tempe Transit station is located at

<u>200 E 5th St, Tempe, AZ 85281.</u>

**Students who fall under the Mckinney-Vento statue are still required to fill out the Tempe Transit Application. **