



Marion P Thomas

CHARTER SCHOOL

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.



WELCOME TO THE 2026–2027 SCHOOL YEAR!

We are excited to have your little ones join us for a year of learning and fun.
To ensure a smooth start, we kindly request that you prepare the following supplies for your child:



NON-ROLLING BACKPACK

Large enough to hold a two-pocket folder.



UNIFORMS

Navy blue polo with MPTCS logo, navy blue cardigan with MPTCS logo, and navy blue pants/shorts/skorts. Black shoes/sneakers.
Uniforms can be purchased at the locations below:

- **Kids Place:** 311 Ferry Street, Newark, NJ 07105
- **Kids Place:** 126 Broad Street, Elizabeth NJ 07201
- **Kids Paradise:** 1016 Springfield Ave, Irvington NJ 07111



AN EXTRA SET OF WEATHER-APPROPRIATE CLOTHES

(shorts, pants, shirt, underwear, socks, and shoes).
Please consider the seasonal changes when selecting these clothes.



A CRIB-SIZE FITTED SHEET AND A SMALL BLANKET

for rest time in a jumbo Ziploc bag

- Pillows are not permitted. These will remain in school.
- The sheets will be returned each Friday.



A FILLED REUSABLE WATER BOTTLE (no glass, please).

CLASSROOM WISHLIST

- ★ Two (2) large boxes of tissues.
- ★ Two (2) large packages of antibacterial hand wipes.
- ★ Three (3) bottles of hand sanitizer.
- ★ Four (4) large packs of Lysol wipes.



SNACK TIME!

There will be time set aside each day for a snack. Please send a healthy snack with your child every day in a child-friendly container/bag.

Snacks must be peanut and nut-free!

If your child has allergies or any food restrictions, please let your child's teacher and school nurse know immediately.

**PLEASE LABEL ALL ITEMS
WITH YOUR CHILD'S NAME.**



Thank you for your cooperation in providing these supplies.
Your support will contribute to a safe and enjoyable learning environment for all our little learners. If you have any questions or need further assistance, please reach out to us.
We are looking forward to a fantastic school year together!



The Preschool Team