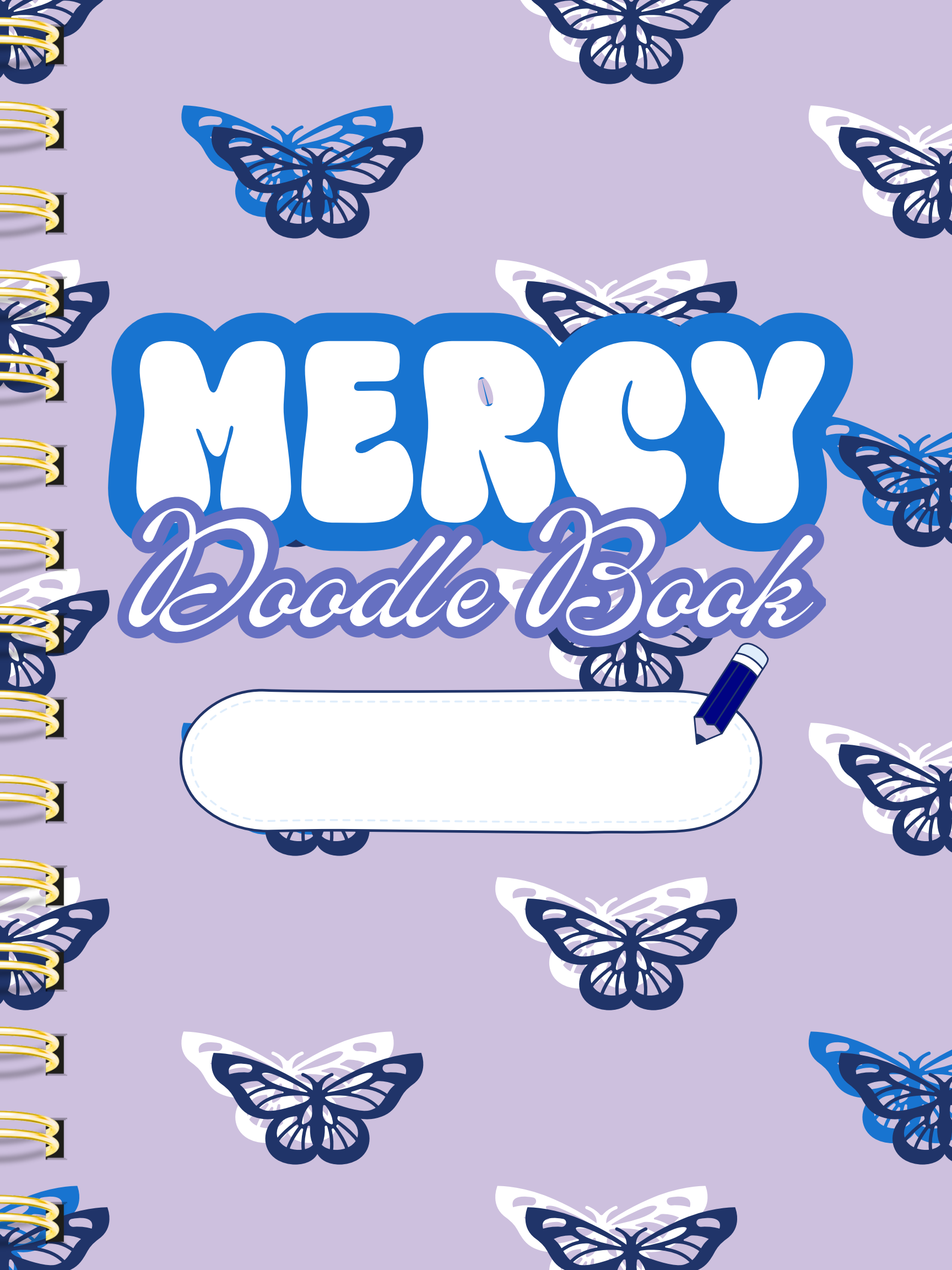




MERCY

Doodle Book



WORD SEARCH



Directions: Search for the hidden words below. Words are placed horizontally (forward) and vertically (downward).

M	O	N	A	R	C	H	S	X	Q	Z	K	M	Y	F	G
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WORDS TO FIND

- BLUE AND GOLD
- CATHOLIC
- COMPASSION
- EDUCATIONAL COURAGE
- EIGHTEEN SIXTY FOUR
- FAITH
- FORTY EIGHTH
- HERITAGE
- JUSTICE
- LEADERSHIP
- MONARCHS
- NINETEEN FIFTY FIVE
- RING DAY
- SISTERHOOD
- MERCY

THIS OR THAT



1. SCHOOL SPIRIT

Bleed Blue

OR

Go for Gold

2. THE BIG TRADITION

Ring Day Skits

OR

The Ring Ceremony

3. SPIRITUAL LIFE

Mass in Chapel

OR

All-School Liturgy

4. SCHOOL SPIRIT ROUNDS

Gym Pep Rallies

OR

Spirit Week Dress-Up

5. STUDY SPOTS

Media Center

OR

The Courtyard

6. CAMPUS VIBES

Autumn on 48th St

OR

Spring Graduation

7. MONARCH ATHLETICS

Volleyball Game

OR

Basketball Night

8. DAILY LUNCH

Pack Your Own

OR

Cafeteria Special

9. STUDENT INVOLVEMENT

Clubs & Activities

OR

Fine Arts & Theater

10. UNIFORM COMFORT

The Plaid Skirt

OR

Mercy Sweatshirt

11. COFFEE RUNS

Scooter's Coffee

OR

Starbucks

12. AFTER-SCHOOL SNACKS

Runza Frites

OR

Culver's Concrete Mixer

13. CLASS TIMINGS

Early Morning Start

OR

Late Dismissal Vibing

14. EXAM STRATEGY

Study Solo

OR

Group Cram Session

15. THE MERCY EDGE

Educational Courage

OR

Compassionate Service

16. MONARCH FUNDRAISING

FIESTA Night

OR

Walk-A-Thon Goals

17. CLASSROOM SETUP

Traditional Desks

OR

Collaborative Tables

18. MEMORY MAKING

Yearbook Candids

OR

Social Media Takeovers

19. ESSENTIAL ACCESSORY

Monarch Lanyard

OR

Customized Water Bottle

20. GRADUATION DREAMS

The Formal White Dress

OR

Carrying the Red Roses

WHY MERCY?

Welcome! As you explore your high school options, use this worksheet to reflect on what makes Mercy High School unique and discover how you might fit into our community on South 48th Street.

1. The Mercy Checklist

Check off all the reasons why you are liking Mercy High School so far:

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|---|--|
| ☐ The Sisterhood: Making lifelong friendships in an all-girls, supportive, and empowering environment. | ☐ Academic Excellence: Challenging college-prep classes that prepare me to become a confident leader. |
| ☐ Iconic Traditions: Participating in legendary events like Ring Day and the standard of school spirit. | ☐ Monarch Athletics: Opportunities to compete in sports, build team spirit, and play with pride. |
| ☐ Faith & Values: Growing spiritually in a welcoming Catholic community built on compassionate service. | ☐ The Arts: Expressing my creativity through visual arts, music, theater, and creative clubs. |
| ☐ Welcoming Community: Feeling at home the moment I step onto the historic 48th Street campus. | ☐ Empowered Leadership: Knowing that every leadership role—from student council to club president—is held by a girl. |
| ☐ Compassionate Service: Following Catherine McAuley's vision to make a real difference in the local community. | ☐ Educational Courage: Being encouraged to use my voice, ask big questions, and explore unique skills. |
| ☐ Dedicated Teachers: Learning from educators who truly care about my individual growth and success. | ☐ Global Awareness: Developing a worldview that honors dignity, respect, and global interconnection. |

2. Personal Reflection

Look back at the choices you checked above. Which single reason is the most important to you, and why?

When you think about shadowing a student or visiting the Omaha campus, what part of the building or dynamic of the day are you most excited to experience?

Mercy girls focus on becoming "Women of Mercy." What is one personal goal you hope to achieve during your freshman year?



BUILD YOUR

DREAM DAY

Instructions: Welcome to your perfect day as a Mercy Monarch! Craft your ideal schedule by selecting classes from the curriculum bank below (inspired by the official Mercy Academic Curriculum Guide) or adding your favorite moments, traditions, or sports practices.

STEP 1: EXPLORE THE CURRICULUM BANK

STEM & HEALTH SCIENCES

- AP Calculus AB / Physics
- Medical Terminology
- Anatomy & Physiology
- Robotics & Coding

HUMANITIES & CULTURE

- Her-Story: Women in Church
- AP English Literature
- World History & Politics
- Creative Writing Studio

FINE ARTS & ELECTIVES

- Theology & The Arts
- Graphic Design Studio
- Concert Choir / Theatre
- Psychology & Leadership

STEP 2: FILL IN YOUR 7-PERIOD SCHEDULE

Period	Class, Activity, or Choice Moment	Why Did You Choose This?
Period 1		
Period 2		
Period 3		
FLEX / LUNCH	Community Time (e.g., Courtyard Hangouts, Clubs, Pep Rallies)	
Period 4		
Period 5		
Period 6		
Period 7		

STEP 3: REFLECTIVE VISION

1. Mercy High School champions ****Educational Courage**** and ****Compassionate Service****. Which class or activity on your schedule today challenges you to step outside your comfort zone?

2. If you could build one iconic Mercy tradition (like planning a surprise ****Ring Day Skit**** or decorating the hallways) directly into your schedule, what would it look like?



QUICK FACTS

Welcome to Mercy! Everything you need to complete this worksheet can be found right on the school information sheets, banner displays, or around your campus surroundings today. Keep your eyes open as you explore!

PART 1: CAMPUS IDENTITY & HISTORY

1. Founding Year:

In what year was Mercy High School officially established in Omaha?

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3. Foundational Roots:

What was the exact year the Sisters of Mercy first arrived in Omaha?

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5. Official School Colors:

Identify the two main colors that represent Mercy spirit.

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2. Core Street Address:

On what historic South Omaha street number is the campus located?

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4. School Mascot:

What is the official athletic team name of Mercy High School?

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6. Foundress Visionary:

Who is the original historical foundress of the Sisters of Mercy?

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PART 2: CORE VALUES & CAMPUS LIFE

7. The Core Mission Pillars:

List three of Mercy's 5 official Core Values (e.g. Inspired by Faith...):

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8. Academic Environment:

Look at the quick stats. Approximately how many total students attend grades 9-12?

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9. Longstanding Student Tradition:

What is the name of the iconic upperclassman milestone tradition celebrated with skits?

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10. Unique Program Framework:

Instead of a flat rate, what is the name of Mercy's individual income-tailored tuition setup?

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PART 3: PERSONAL CAMPUS CONNECTION

11. Around You Today:

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Look around the room or ask a student leader/ambassador helper. What is one specific club, athletic sport, or unique fine arts class offered at Mercy that catches your interest, and why?

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GET TO KNOW MERCY BINGO

How to Play: Mingle with the Mercy High Schoolers you meet around campus today. Ask them questions to find someone who matches a description below! When you find a match, write their name on the line in that box. *Challenge: Try to get 5 in a row (horizontally, vertically, or diagonally) using a different student's name for each box!*

ATHLETE Plays a Monarch sport (Volleyball, Basketball, Soccer, etc.) Name: _____	ART ENTHUSIAST Is a member of the Mercy Art Club or takes a fine arts class Name: _____	BUSINESS MIND Is part of FBLA (Future Business Leaders of America) Name: _____	GOLDEN GIRL A member of the pep club who brings mega school spirit Name: _____	CLASS OFFICER Elected peer leader who helps with spirit week & traditions Name: _____
BOOK WORM Loves discussing stories in the Mercy Book Club Name: _____	FRESHMAN Can tell you all about participating in the Greenie Parade! Name: _____	DAILY COMMUTER Gets dropped off or drives to South 48th Street every day Name: _____	MUSICIAN/ACTOR Performs in the school theater plays, musicals, or choir Name: _____	BSLC MEMBER Active in the Black Student Leadership Council Name: _____
SENIOR LEADER Wearing her uniform proudly and preparing for college apps Name: _____	MORNING PERSON Always grabs a hot drink from Scooter's Coffee before class Name: _____	FREE SPACE Embodying Compassion & Service	CAMPUS LEADER Serves as a Student Ambassador or on Student Council Name: _____	TECH SAVVY Enjoys computing, robotics, or engineering classes Name: _____
JUNIOR Anxiously waiting for or proudly celebrating Ring Day! Name: _____	FAITH IN ACTION Helps plan liturgies, class retreats, or chapel sessions Name: _____	FOODIE Prefers snacking on Runza Frites after school dismisses Name: _____	SERVICE STAR Has completed volunteer hours for Mercy's service programs Name: _____	TRADITION KEEPER Can name all of Mercy Omaha's core values from memory Name: _____
COURTYARD FAN Loves spending flex hours or lunch breaks outdoors Name: _____	SOPHOMORE Happy to no longer be called a "Greenie" on campus Name: _____	LEGACY STUDENT Has a mom, sister, or aunt who also went to Mercy Omaha Name: _____	CLUB HOPPER Is involved in 3 or more extracurriculars at school Name: _____	TRUE MONARCH Wearing a custom decorated school lanyard right now Name: _____

FINISH THE QUOTE

Instructions: Complete each of the Mercy-inspired quotes below by filling in the blanks. Use your knowledge of the Mercy core values, mission statement, or the famous words of foundress Catherine McAuley.

PART 1: THE SCHOOL IDENTITY & CORE VALUES

1. The Official School Motto

"Where Mercy Girls Become of Mercy."



2. The School Promise

"Belonging builds confidence and confidence becomes"

3. Core Value — Inspired by Faith

"Mercy students become living models of faith and forceful advocates for values."

4. Core Value — A Voice for Dignity and Respect

"Mercy students honor the intrinsic value of the individual and recognize presence in each person."

5. Core Value — Compelled by Mercy

"Mercy students, in the spirit of our founder Catherine McAuley, are steadfastly determined to take Mercy into an world."

PART 2: THE WISDOM OF CATHERINE MCAULEY

6. Educational Mission

"No work of charity can be more productive of good to society than the careful instruction of"

7. Excellence in the Everyday

"We must strive to do ordinary things well."

8. Purposeful Living

"The business of our lives is the day-to-day practice of"



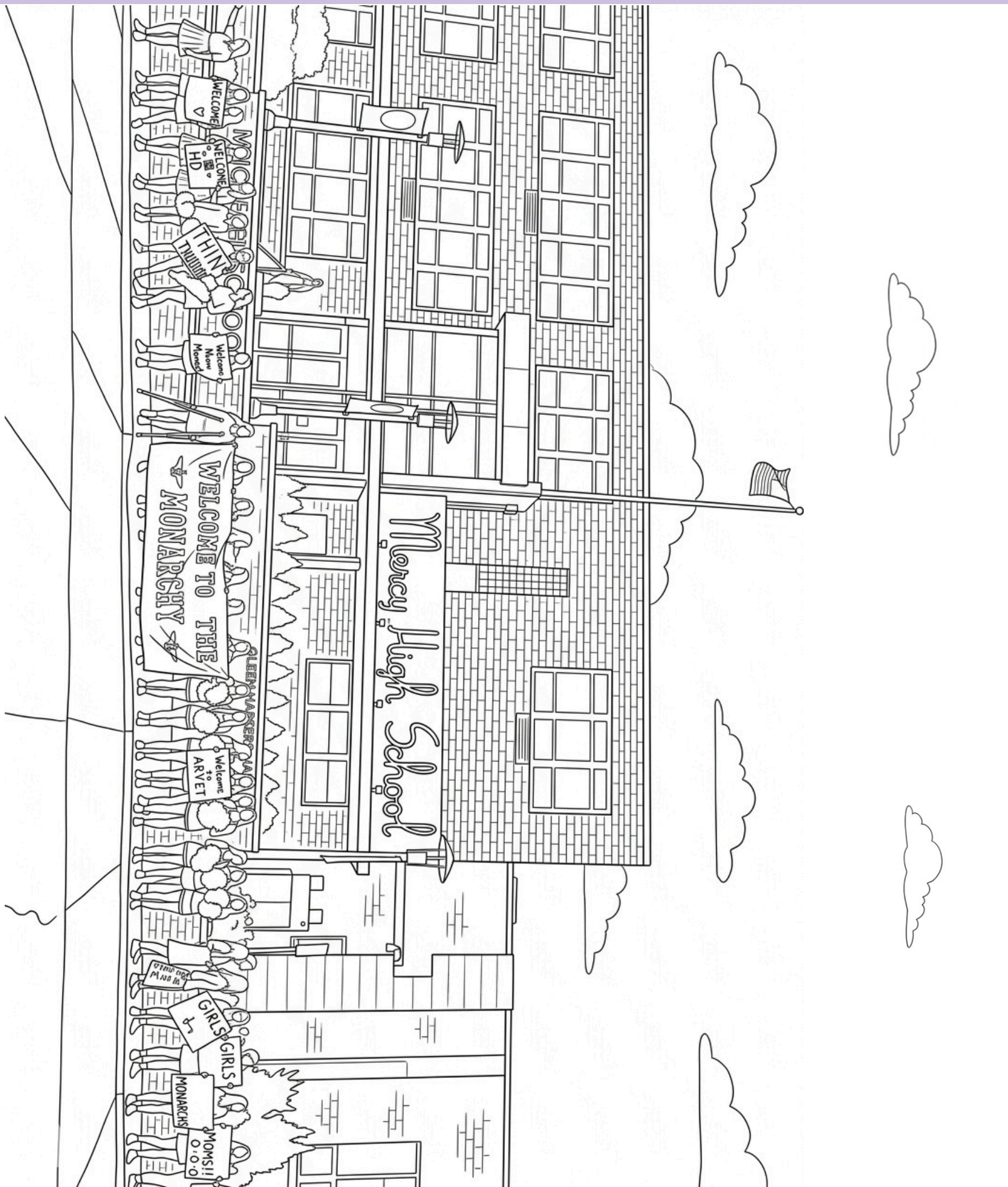
9. Community Impact

"We should be shining lamps, giving to all who are around us."

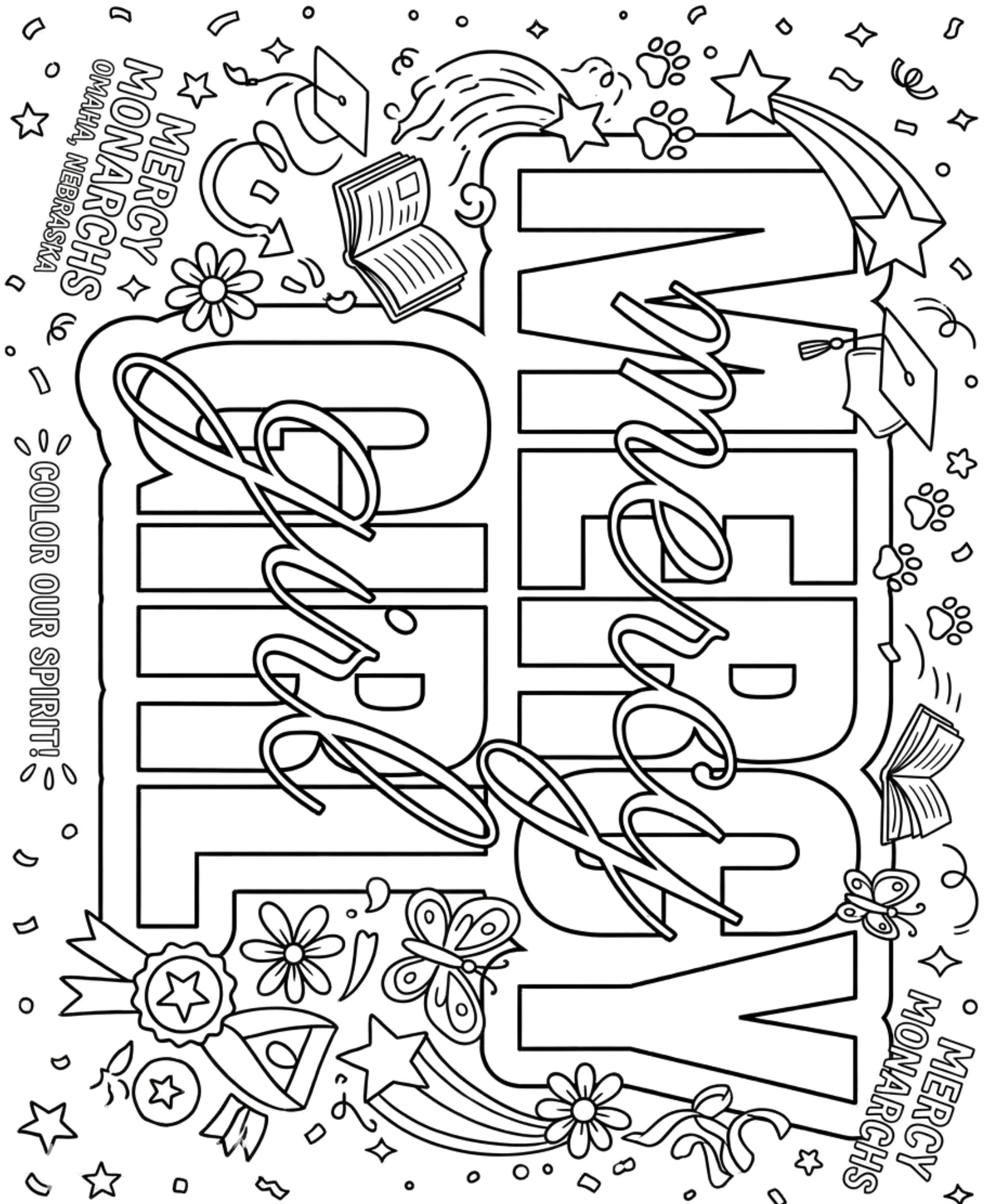
10. Fellowship & Kindness

"My mutual advice to you is to be, kind, and patient."

COLOR YOUR FUTURE



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BUDGET! SPIRIT STORE

DIRECTIONS:

Open **Mercy's Spirit Store** online. Browse the boutique to find the cute clothes, uniform wear, or official merchandise items you would love to have. Record the exact name, regular price, and quantity for up to 5 items below, then complete the budget calculations. *You do not have to buy anything—this is a real-world shopping and simulation task!*

ITEMIZED SHOPPING LIST

#	ITEM NAME / DESCRIPTION	QTY	UNIT PRICE (\$)	TOTAL PRICE (\$)
1	_____	_____	\$ _____	\$ _____
2	_____	_____	\$ _____	\$ _____
3	_____	_____	\$ _____	\$ _____
4	_____	_____	\$ _____	\$ _____
5	_____	_____	\$ _____	\$ _____



BUDGETING CALCULATIONS

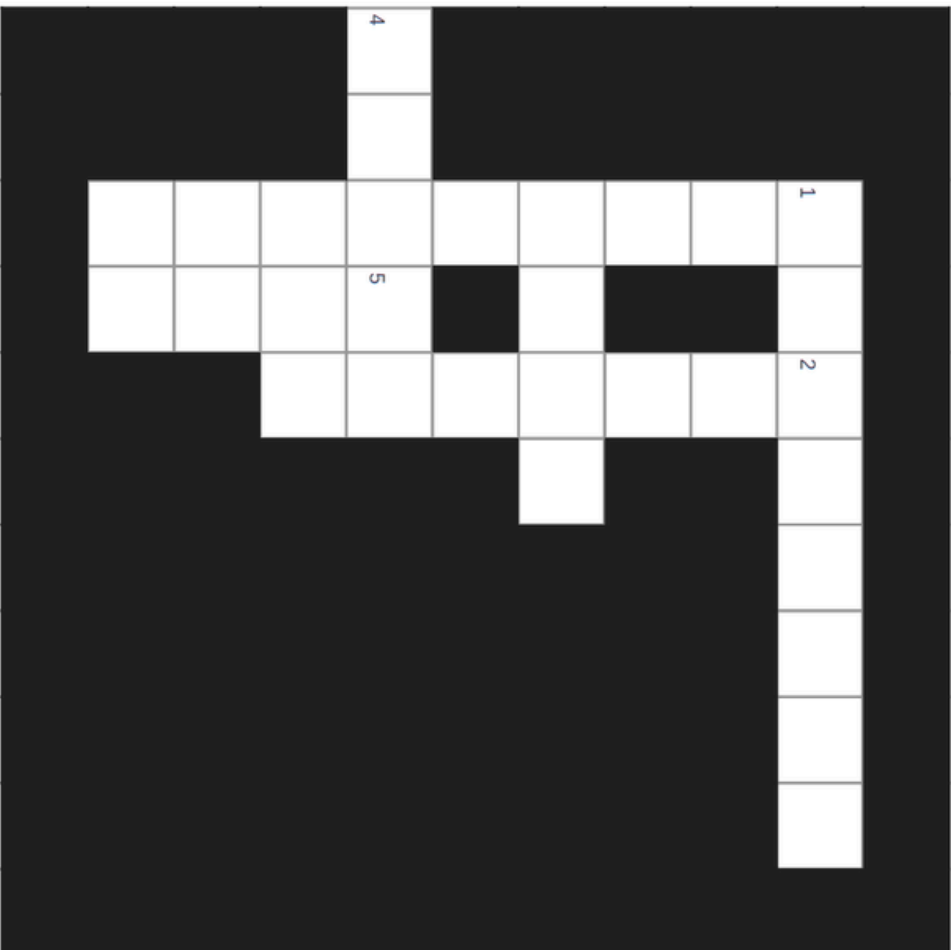
- Subtotal:** Add together the total price of all the items from your list. Sum(1 to 5) _____
- Sales Tax (Omaha, NE):** Multiply your Subtotal by **0.07** (7% local sales tax rate). Subtotal × 0.07 _____
- Final Cart Cost:** Add your calculated Sales Tax to your Subtotal. Subtotal + Tax _____
- Remaining Balance:** Subtract your Final Cart Cost from your **\$250.00** starting budget. \$250.00 - Final _____

Budget Reflection Challenge:

Answer the following questions based on your remaining balance results above:

Did your selection stay under your \$250.00 limits? If you went over budget, which item would you remove first to bring your total down?

CROSSWORD PUZZLE



ACROSS

1. The official athletic team name and royal butterfly mascot of the school.
4. The vibrant Nebraska city where the campus resides.

DOWN

1. The proud, classic affectionate term for any young woman attending this academy.
2. Last name of Mother Catherine, who founded the Sisters of Mercy order.
5. One of the two core school colors, paired with gold.



CURRENTLY...



CURRENTLY EATING



CURRENTLY DRINKING



CURRENTLY LISTENING TO



CURRENTLY WEARING



FAVORITE MOVIE RIGHT NOW



CURRENTLY WANTING



CURRENTLY ENJOYING



CURRENTLY FEELING



OVERALL VIBE CHECK (CIRCLE OR HIGHLIGHT YOURS)

- Inspired Exhausted but trying Fully Charged Mindin' My Business Cozy Mode Hustle/Grind

Notes on today's energy:

SPIRIT & TRADITIONS

Welcome to the Ultimate Mercy Trivia Challenge! how well do you know the legacy, lingo, and proud traditions of the Monarchs? Check the correct box for each question below, then unleash your school spirit in the design showcase at the bottom!

PART 1: MERCY-ISMS & HISTORY TRIVIA

1. What are the official school colors of the Mercy Monarchs?

☐ Royal Blue & White

☐ Navy Blue & Gold

☐ Red & Black

☐ Purple & White

2. On which special tradition day do Mercy High Seniors finally receive their long-awaited school rings?

☐ Foundation Day

☐ Mercy Day (Sept 24)

☐ Sophomore Unity Week

☐ Farewell Day

3. Who founded the Sisters of Mercy in Dublin, Ireland, starting the entire global Mercy legacy?

☐ Mother Catherine McAuley

☐ Mother Frances Warde

☐ Saint Clare of Assisi

☐ Sophia Giambrone

4. What is the classic name given to incoming freshmen during Spirit Week or their introduction to Mercy lingo?

☐ Bluebirds

☐ Monarch Caterpillars

☐ Greenies

☐ Little Sisters

PART 2: THE MONARCH CREATIVE CHALLENGE

If you could design a brand-new spirit pin or an official crest for the Mercy Monarchs, what would it look like? Sketch your custom emblem inside the shield below! Be sure to represent core elements like faith, leadership, or the beautiful monarch butterfly.



YOU AT MERCY!



MERCY HIGH SCHOOL DRAWING CHALLENGE!



Imagine visiting or hanging out at Mercy High! What adventures are you getting into?

Artist Name: _____

Date: _____



DRAW YOURSELF AT
MERCY HIGH SCHOOL HERE!



(Add the school, your favorite spots, friends,
or even a mascot!)



Use your wildest imagination! Color it in when you're done!





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