

James Madison Elementary School

January 24, 2022



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IMPORTANT UPDATES

Reminder:

Last day of Parent-Teacher Conferences will be Monday, January 24 - Students will be dismissed at 1:10 p.m.

Awards Assemblies

JANUARY 25 - 28TH (TO BE HELD VIRTUALLY)

Parents, due to continued cautions in the current pandemic we are holding the awards assemblies virtually. Parents will be able to view their child through a slideshow and/or a recorded video that will be sent through parent square. Thank you for your understanding.






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"Proud Home of the Mighty Mavericks"

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Award Assembly Virtual Schedule

| Date | Time | Teacher/Team | Grade | Mode of Communication |
|---|------------|------------------------------------|--------|---|
| Martes, 25 de Enero Tuesday, January 25 | 8:30-9:00 | Hernandez/Magana | Kinder | Cafeteria slides and/or video |
| Martes, 25 de Enero Tuesday, January 25 | 9:00-9:30 | Saldana/Gaeta | Kinder | Cafeteria slides and/or video |
| Miércoles, 26 de Enero Wednesday, January 26 | 8:30-9:30 | Victoria, Ival, Moreno, Sanchez | 3rd | Cafeteria slides and/or video |
| Jueves, 27 de Enero Thursday, January 27 | 8:30-9:00 | 2nd Grade Team | 2nd | Cafeteria (slides and/or video)  Join Zoom Meeting ID: 89886115486 |
| Jueves, 27 de Enero Thursday, January 27 | 1:30-2:00 | 5th grade team | 5th | Cafeteria (slides and/or video) |
| Viernes, 28 de Enero Friday, January 28 | 8:30-9:00 | 4th grade team | 4th | Classroom |
| Viernes, 28 de Enero Friday, January 28 | 9:40-10:10 | 1st grade team | 1st | Cafeteria (slides and/or video) |

Dear Parents,

This year the 6th grade students will be attending **Science camp on March 23-25, 2022** at **Sierra Outdoor School at Five Mile Creek**. Please click on the attached links to find out what your child needs on this trip.

What do I need for my trip - Link

Information in English

Information in Spanish

NWEA - Testing (Grades 1-6)

For the next few weeks your son/daughter will begin the NWEA Map Math and Reading assessments. Let's work together to make your child's experience a positive and successful one! As we continue to prepare the students academically at school, we ask that parents/guardians prepare the students prior to the assessments.

Here are some suggestions that you can do to help every day:

- Ensure your student arrives to class on time
- Have your child eat a healthy breakfast
- Ensure your child gets a good night sleep
- Encourage your student to do their best

Thank you for your support during these uncertain times. We appreciate your help in ensuring your student's success. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact the school.

JANUARY 2022**NWEA MATH/READING GROWTH
WINDOW #2****Madison ELEMENTARY 2021-22 NWEA Window #2 Testing Sched...****MAP Growth Math 1st and 2nd grade (1/24-1/26)****MAP Growth Math 3rd & 4th grade (1/20-1/24)****MAP Growth Math 5th & 6th grade (1/18-1/20)****MATH - Spanish for 1st-4th (*DLI)- (1/18-28)****READING - Spanish & English for 3rd & 4th. (1/27-2/4)****NWEA MAP READING FLUENCY (Spanish for ALL DLI Grades
- K-2nd) (1/12-1/28)**

SELF CARE AND SUPPORT

Learning Tips/Consejos de aprendizaje

Parents:

- Establish routines, schedules and expectations for your student
- Stay connected with teachers, counselors, administrators and other school personnel
- Choose a quiet place for your student to learn and complete school work
- Encourage your student to participate in physical activity daily
- Communicate with your student about school and other aspects of their day
- Check your students grades in AERIES weekly

Students

- Check your email, google classroom and AERIES everyday
- Follow the distance learning schedule for the day and attend all classes daily
- Ask questions and reach out to your teachers and counselor as needed
- Be positive, participate in class and complete all assignments daily
- Participate in physical activity daily
- Don't wait until the last minute to complete assignments

HEALTH AND SAFETY

Madison Elementary would like to remind all parents/guardians to please continue to self-check your child every day before coming to school. If your child is experiencing any of the following symptoms

please keep them home:

- Fever or chills

- Cough
- Shortness of breath or difficulty breathing
- Fatigue
- Muscle or body aches
- Headache
- New loss of taste or smell
- Sore throat
- Congestion or runny nose
- Nausea or vomiting
- Diarrhea

Please continue to call our attendance office to report any absences.

CLIMATE & CULTURE – PBIS Updates

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Dear parents,

The PBIS Committee created many slides to review with the students last week! Students are having a difficult time following some of these expectations.

Please take a few minutes to review these slides with your children.

[PIT-English](#)

[Grass](#)

[Courts](#)

Mavericks show **PRIDE** when we are...

in the **CLASSROOM**

P

Prepared

*Ready to learn
*Present in mind and body
*Proactive
*Putting first things first

- Arrive on time and well rested
- Organize your materials and be ready to learn
- Have your homework completed

R

Respectful

*Listen to learn
*Considerate
*Kind
*Understanding
*Follow directions

- Treat others with kindness and use positive words
- Respect others' opinions & personal space
- Raise your hand and wait for your turn to share

I

Integrity

*Honest
*Trustworthy
*Reliable
*Fair

- Complete assignments on time
- Make good choices, always do your best
- Do what is right, even if no one is watching

D

Determined

*Persevere
*Brave
*Problems to solutions
*Be a team player

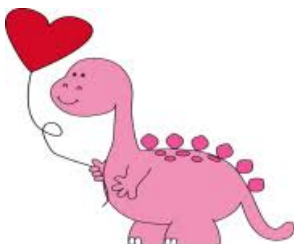
- Growth Mindset: Believe you can do hard things!
- Remain on task and engaged
- Ask for help

E

Enthusiastic

*Excited
*Eager
*Positive
*Motivated

- Celebrate progress
- Be engaged and embrace new learning
- Set and CRUSH goals



Valentines Grams

Valentine's Grams are now on sale in the office for \$1.00. Half of the proceeds will benefit the Maverick Store. The best time to buy is after 3:00 pm.

Maverick School Spirit Fridays



Congratulations to Mrs. Bravo Madrigal's class for showing the most school spirit and winning first place, with 85% of students wearing their Madison shirts in the TK-3rd grade category. This is the second week that Mrs. Bravo Madrigal's class has been in the top place. Way to go!

The winning class in the 4th through 6th grade category is Mrs. Kerr's 5th grade class with 84% of students showing school spirit! Congratulations, this is their first time winning first place most school spirit!

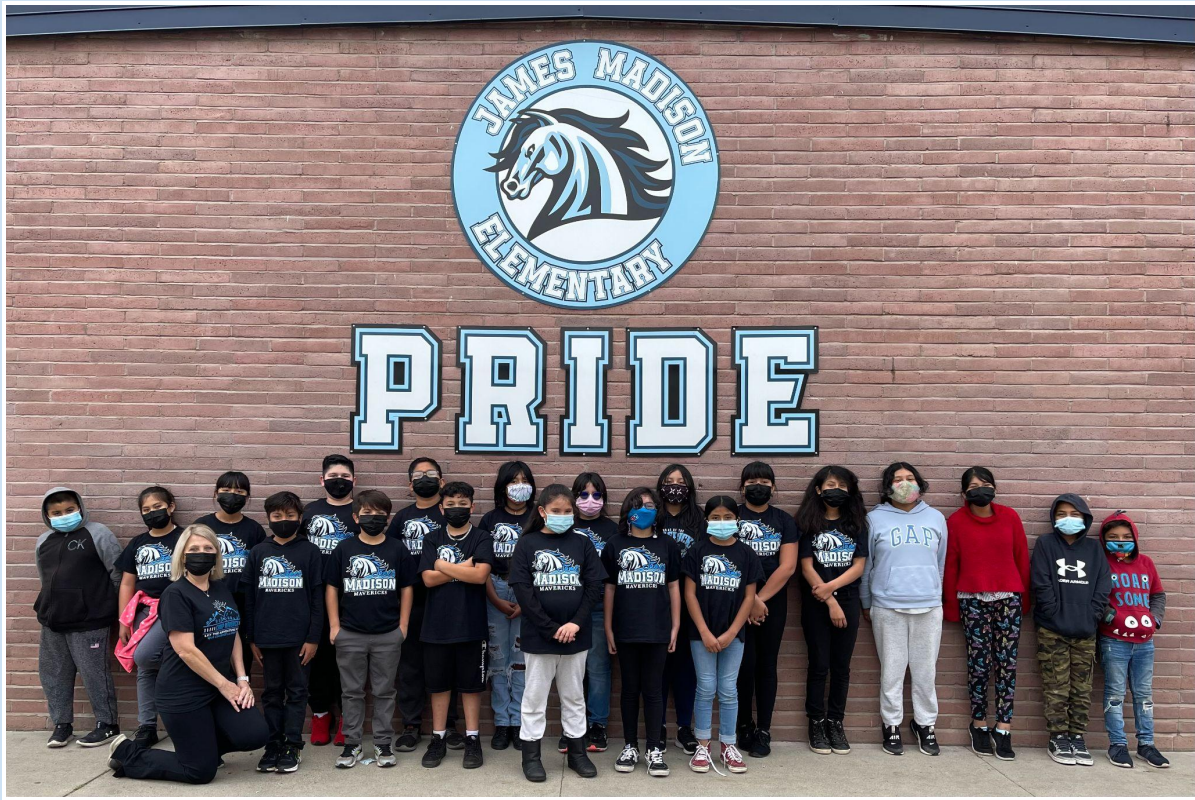


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Mavericks please remember to wear your Madison tee shirt every Friday. Two classes will be recognized as having the most school spirit. One class from TK-3rd grade and one from 4th-6th grade. The class with most participation will receive bragging rights and a visit from our stuffed Mavericks.



Mrs. Bravo Madrigal's second grade class has the most school spirit for the second week in a row! Congratulations!



Mrs. Kerr's fifth grade class shows the most school spirit from all of the 4th through 6th grade classes! Congratulations on winning this week!



PBIS Maverick Store & Raffles

Spring 2022 Schedule

Maverick Store biweekly schedule and quarterly raffles

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|----------|---|
| January | 28 |
| February | 11, 25 |
| March | 11, 18 (3rd quarter raffle), 25 |
| April | 8, 22 |
| May | 6, 20 |
| June | 3 (4th quarter raffle), no Maverick store |

If you would like to anonymously provide the [PBIS team feedback](#), [click here](#).

Thank you,
-James Madison Elementary PBIS Team

PARENT SUPPORT

If you would like to volunteer your time to support our school before and after school or when the Maverick store is open please email Sra. Mendoza @

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"Loving Solutions"

COMING SOON! February, 2022

<https://parentproject.com/>

The Parent Project is a community-based parenting skills program adopted in Madera County. The program works directly with parents to help improve children's/adolescent school attendance and performance, reduce family conflict, curb drug and alcohol use, prevent runaways, stop violent behavior, and develop healthy in-home prevention and intervention strategies.

The Project Project comprises two independent programs, Loving Solutions (Parents with children 5-10) and Parent Project (Parent with children 11- up).

Strengthening Families

Effective parenting is a matter of strengthening the bond between the parent and child, and building positive parenting skills. In many cases, it may take only a few positive adjustments in the interactions between the parent and child.

Starts: February 7, 2022

Referral: [Registration and Referral](#)

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www.maderacap.org

Upcoming Events

January 24 - Parent-Teacher Conferences
Early Release at 1:10 PM

January 26 - ELAC Meeting (CANCELLED)

January 25-28 - Awards Assemblies Virtual

January 28- Flag Football Game @ John Adams

February 4- Flag Football Game vs. Lincoln @ Madison

February 11- Flag Football Game vs. Washington @ Madison

February 18 - Lincoln's Day - Holiday

February 21 - President's Day - Holiday

May 30 - Memorial Day

April 11- 18 - Spring Break

April 15 - Holiday



