

MPES PAW PRINTS

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Home and School Working Together for Success

MPES

Halloween

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Did you know that people around the world celebrate Halloween? Halloween is a holiday with a long history and it can have different meanings for different people. It is said to have started with an ancient Celtic celebration in Ireland and Scotland called Samhain.

The main tradition of Halloween is to dress up in a costume and go trick-or-treating. It is the 2nd most successful holiday in the United States after Christmas. Around 40% of Americans dress up in a costume on Halloween and around 72% hand out candy to trick-or-treaters.

Grandparents' Day

Grandparents' Day was a huge success. If you had a grandparent come to Grandparents' Day, please thank them on behalf of the faculty and staff of MPES. As always, we will take their suggestions and hope to make next year even better.

Box Tops

Keep those Box Tops coming! December the 7th is the next Box Top deadline. Classrooms will be battling for a snow cone party.



OUR GOAL: Every student has 95% attendance or higher every 9-week period. No more than two days absent per 9-weeks!

MPES REWARD SCHOOL

Friday, September 21st, the State of Tennessee announced Mt. Pleasant Elementary as a Reward School.

Reward status is the top distinction a school can earn in Tennessee. Reward schools are those improving overall student academic achievement and student growth for all students. In 2018, 318 schools in 85 school districts – about 20 percent of schools in the state – earned Reward status.

We are so proud of our students, assistants, teachers, and administrators. Everyone has worked so hard to receive this outstanding achievement!

WAY TO GO TIGER CUBS!!!!

Proud to be a

REWARD SCHOOL

2016-17



October's character trait:
Be Courageous



Fall Break October 1st—5th

MPES is Educating Every Child for Life!