

MPES PAW PRINTS

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Home and School Working Together for Success

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September's character trait:
Be Responsible

Labor Day

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Labor Day is on Monday, September 3rd. It is a holiday that celebrates all the hard workers in America, they helped a lot! We really take it for granted sometimes, but they helped make our country successful. People used to work in unsafe places, like factories. They barely got paid for it, too. They made about 3 to 5 dollars a week if they were lucky. In 1882, on September 5th, the union workers took a day off to do a protest in New York City demanding better pay and less hours. People agreed they deserved that. Now we celebrate Labor Day on the first Monday of September.

Box Tops

Keep sending in your Box Tops! September 14th is the deadline for the Snow Cone Party.

Just for Fun

Question: What has three feet but no legs or arms?

Answer: A Yard



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

Schoolwide Title Reading Night

MPES will be having a Reading Night September 13, 2018. Please mark your calendar to attend.

Attendance

Being in school every day means your child won't miss out on learning. Try to schedule appointments and family trips outside of school hours. When your child arrives to school late, he or she is missing out on classroom instruction and/or RTI. Being on time and at school everyday is your way of helping your child be successful in school.

Did You Know?

Children who regularly eat meals with their families tend to do better in school and avoid risky behavior. Eating dinner together is great, but other meals count, too. If you work at night, maybe you could make time for a family breakfast. On the weekend, try a picnic lunch.

Grandparents' Day

MPES is looking forward to seeing all of our grandparents on September 7th. This will be a great time for them to see how hard our students work. Grandparents may arrive at 8:00 a.m. and leave at 9:00 a.m. Make sure forms are returned no later than September 5th.

MPES is Educating Every Child for Life!