

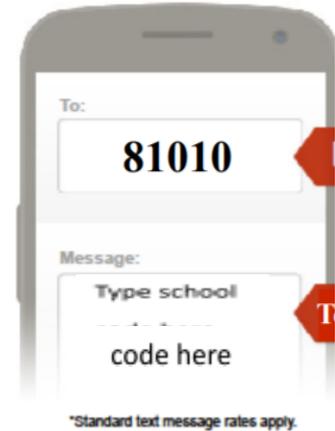
Dear Washington Elementary Families,

At the beginning of the year Mount Vernon School District began using **Remind** for school and class messaging and voice calls. This means you should be receiving text messages, emails, and calls from your student's teachers or school. It is important that you sign up to receive messages via text or email as this is Mount Vernon School District's primary communication tool regarding attendance, school closures, and other school wide activities.

If you initially opted out of **Remind** or are not receiving school messages you can sign up now to have messages delivered via text, email, or both.

To receive text messages: Text the number **81010**. Add **@mvsd106** in the body of the message.

- *You will receive a confirmation text that you are connected with your school. In this message you will also have the option to download and sign in on Remind. Downloading Remind is not required, but is an option if you would like to change communication settings in the future.*



To receive messages via email: Please go to www.remind.com/families

- Click on "Sign In" and enter your email.
- **Remind** will send you a 4-digit code to your email address to confirm your account.
- Once your account is confirmed you may choose to add your phone number or you may skip that step.
- You will be asked to join a class. Type in **@mvsd106**

You are now set up to receive school wide communication.

Connecting to your Student Classes:

- You will need to contact your student's teacher for their specific class codes in order to receive messages for that class.

To connect to your student's classes, text **81010** and add the teacher's **Remind** class code.

If joined **Remind** with your email you can click on **add class** in your **Remind** account and click on **Join existing class**.

