



Howe's It Going?

Room 21 Newsletter: 1/5-1/9

Happy Friday!

Happy new year! I hope you all had a fantastic break. In math this week we learned how to compare fractions using several different methods including finding common denominators and numerators, using models, and the "butterfly" method. In reading, we read about a boy who goes to an excavation site with his dad and digs up dinosaur fossils. We used context clues to help us define unknown words. In science, we learned about renewable energy sources and did a Mystery Science that required us to research energy sources in other towns and then pick the energy source that would work best for our made up town. In writing, we began the planning process for our more in depth opinion writing task.

ILEARN Checkpoint 2 is coming up during the week of January 26th. I will send out a more detailed schedule of the tests as we get closer. We will take the second round of reading and math.

Please encourage your student to make sure they are doing their homework every night. Even if they do not have a physical worksheet to do, they all have AR reading and spelling words each night. We have already had several missing assignments in the first week back from school. Also, we will officially set AR goals for Quarter 3 next week, but any points they earn before then DO count towards their goals!

We have JA coming up in March and are searching for a volunteer to lead it. If you might be interested, please see the flier below. All of the materials are provided for you! Let me know if you are interested in spending the day with us!

Go Pioneers!

-Mrs. Melvin

Important Dates

- ❖ January 19: Martin Luther King Jr. Day (NO SCHOOL)
- ❖ January 26-January 30: ILEARN Checkpoint 2 (Not all week)
- ❖ February 16: Mid Winter Break (NO SCHOOL)
- ❖ March 13: End of Quarter 3
- ❖ March 23-27: Spring Break

Multiplication Flash Cards Online: <https://www.multiplication.com/games/play/quick-flash-ii>

Spelling and Vocab List: [List 16](#)

Financial Literacy | Entrepreneurship | Work Readiness

PARENTS ARE UNIQUELY QUALIFIED

*Become a JA volunteer and
change a student's life forever!*

With a minimal time commitment of 3 hours, you can make a difference in the lives of young people. You'll play a key role in bringing Junior Achievement to life. As a volunteer, you can share your personal and professional experiences with students and help them make the connection between what they are learning in school and what they will need to succeed in work and life.

Training is provided for new volunteers where they will learn more about JA, what to expect in the classroom and tips and tricks about the curriculum. Your Junior Achievement experience will leave you feeling proud, energized and hopeful about a better future for our young people.



Mintonye Elementary
3rd - 5th Grade

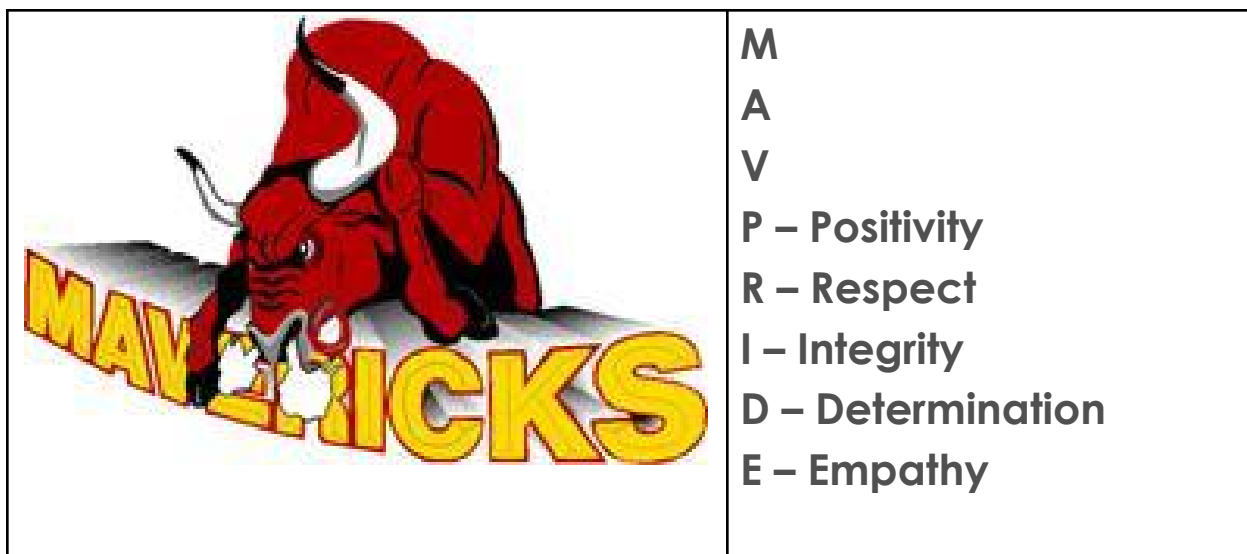


Friday,
March 13th
Class Time:
8:50 AM - 11:50 AM



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For more information, please contact:
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MAVERICK ELEMENTARY WRESTLING CLUB

A skills based wrestling club focused on developing middle school athletes into wrestlers ready to compete at the Middle School and High school level from the first day they walk into a practice room.

- This club will focus on developing the skills necessary to compete in the sport of wrestling.
- Our Club is open to all wrestlers who want to participate, boys and girls

- Details: Grades K-5

Club Fee: \$50 online payments available on www.eventlink.com - you need to have an account created with McCutcheon High School - Cash or check also accepted on site

- Wrestling Club Practices Tuesdays and Thursdays
- February 3 - March 12, 2026
 - o 6:30 - 7:30

The following must be returned with payment or completed online

Name of Athlete: _____

Parents Email Address: _____

Home Telephone: _____ Birthdate: _____

Name of Father: _____ Name of Mother: _____

Emergency Telephone: _____ (during camp hours)

School: _____ Grade: _____

PARENTAL CONSENT FORM 2023

I, _____, do hereby give written permission for my
daughter/son _____ to attend the McCutcheon

Elementary Wrestling Club. All risks attendant to participating in the club, including but not limited
to bodily injury, are assumed by me as his Parent or Legal Guardian as indicated by the signature
hereto. Should an emergency arise requiring an ambulance service I hereby give my permission for
Adam Metzger, club director, or his designee to contact

_____ Hospital as deemed necessary by the situation. Our
insurance coverage is through _____.

SIGNATURE: _____ DATE: _____