



The Mount Washington School #221

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We Can't Hide Our Tiger Pride!



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Dear Mount Washington Tiger Families,

I hope you and your family are enjoying a safe, restful summer. On behalf of our staff, welcome to the **2026–2027 school year** at The Mount Washington School! We are excited to partner with you as we continue providing a learning environment where every student is challenged, supported, and inspired to grow as a lifelong learner and an engaged global citizen.

Our work is guided by a shared mission and vision that reflects our commitment to student success. Please take a moment to review our vision and mission below, which serve as the foundation for our work with students and families.

Vision

The Mount Washington School is an inclusive, creative, and environmentally conscious community that fosters global citizenship.

Mission

The Mount Washington School nurtures its scholars by promoting mutual respect, resilience, and problem-solving skills, preparing them to be engaged global citizens.

As an International Baccalaureate (IB) Middle Years Programme (MYP) school, we are committed to developing students who are inquirers, thinkers, communicators, principled, caring, and reflective learners. While the MYP serves our middle school students, the IB philosophy and Learner Profile attributes are embedded across our entire PreK–8 community.

Introducing Tiger Academies – We Can't Hide Our Tiger Pride!

This year, we are excited to launch our new Tiger Academy Model—a new tradition designed to build relationships, develop student leadership, celebrate Tiger Pride, and strengthen communication with families. Inspired by our Tiger mascot, each academy will help students build connections, develop a sense of belonging, and take pride in being part of one Tiger family. Best of all, our students helped name each academy, giving them ownership in this exciting new tradition.

Cub Academy – Pre-Kindergarten & Kindergarten

Maverick Academy – Grades 1 & 2

Prowler Academy – Grades 3 & 4



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Striker Academy – Grades 5 & 6
Royal Academy – Grades 7 & 8

Throughout the school year, students will participate in academy activities that build teamwork, leadership, and school spirit. Families will receive monthly Academy Updates through ClassDojo featuring celebrations, upcoming events, and important reminders. This new format reflects your feedback and will streamline communication, making it easier to stay connected throughout the year.

Please join us for **Sneak-A-Peek at Your Seat on Wednesday, August 19, from 4:00–6:00 p.m.** Students and families are invited to visit classrooms, meet the administrative team, and drop off school supplies before the first day of school. This is a wonderful opportunity to become familiar with the school and prepare for a successful start to the year.

The **first day of school for students is Monday, August 24.** We look forward to welcoming all of our Tigers back for another outstanding year.

Inside this packet, you will find:

- Welcome letters from Assistant Principals Ms. Goosby and Mrs. Roberson-Davis
- School supply lists
- The 2026–2027 school calendar
- Additional Back-to-School information

Thank you for your continued partnership and support. Together, we will make the 2026–2027 school year one of growth, collaboration, and Tiger Pride. We look forward to partnering with you as we learn, lead, and grow together throughout another exceptional school year.

Sincerely,



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