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Thurgood Marshall Middle School's Official Newsletter

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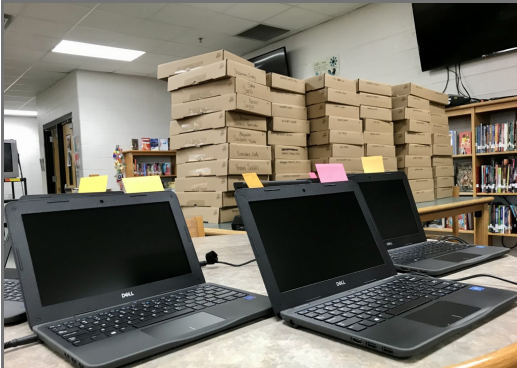
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New computers are here! Click on [link](#) to register!

## New Computer Distribution

We are excited to announce the new district laptops are here and we are preparing for distribution! Beginning November 30th, we will pass out the new district laptops to students who have not received a laptop from our school or the district and who were scheduled for in-person learning. After we have finished distribution to these students, we will move to the students who have not received a laptop from our school or the district and who were scheduled for virtual learning. Our goal is to get all of these computers passed out prior to Winter break.

Once we have completed the students who have not received laptops, we will move to students who would like to swap our old school laptops with the new district laptops. We will not be switching any laptops that are the new Latitude 3190s. Some students received the new computers already from the school or from the district technology distribution centers. We plan to begin the swapping out process after we return from the Winter break.

**If you have not received a computer from the school or district, please click on the link below to register.**

<https://bit.ly/TMMSTECHSWAP>

If you have already received an old laptop and want to register to swap it out, feel free to register. However, we will not begin that process until after Winter Break.



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# Attendance

Parents please remind your child to log in and out of Schoology everyday and attend all live sessions on Monday through Friday. Our average daily attendance is 89%, but our goal is 100%. Please remind your child to please log into Schoology on Tuesdays and Thursdays and to attend each classes designated office hours to turn in work and get support. These days do count. If your child is having trouble logging in, please call the school or email the teachers and the attendance secretary for assistance (eula.thomas@mnps.org -5th/6th and anahi.reyes@mnps.org 7th/8th).

# 7th Grade Vaccinations

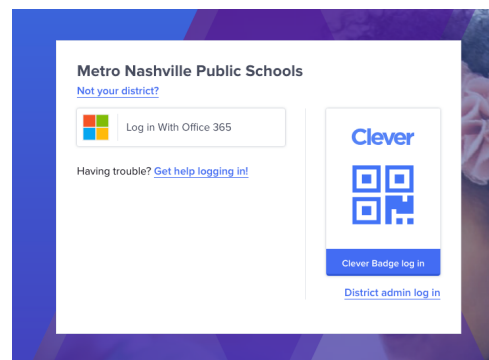
An updated Tennessee Immunization Certificate with proof of one additional immunizations is required when entering 7th grade. Immunizations are available from your child's doctor, or may also be available through the Metro Public Health Department if your child has TennCare, no insurance or insurance that does not pay for vaccines. Please fax (#615-941-7521), mail, or email a copy of your child's immunization record to [amanda.sowell@mnps.org](mailto:amanda.sowell@mnps.org). If you email the records, please do not send a cell phone picture, but use a scan to pdf app to convert your picture to a printable PDF file. For more info about free vaccination locations please check our school [website](#) under parent info.

# IMPORTANT DATES & INFO

- **Daily Attendance-** To meet daily attendance requirements and avoid truancy letters and notifications, your child must login and logout of Schoology and attend scheduled live sessions every school day. If there is an issue with logging in, please notify your grade level secretary and teachers for assistance.
- **Technology Requests-** If your child needs a computer or hotspot, please go to Glen Cliff High School (160 Antioch Pike). They will assign computers for those who have not received a MNPS computer yet. If you currently have a MNPS computer and are having issues, you can contact the Help Desk at 615-269-5956 or you can take the computer to Glen Cliff High School. To request school help with technology related issues (ex. logging in, Schoology, etc.) please submit a help request <http://bit.ly/TMMSTECHHELP> or contact your child's homeroom teacher.
- **EBT cards-** If an EBT card is mailed to the school, we will have a secretary call you, or we will send an email to notify you.
- **After school programs for Marshall Students-** Click [link](#) and scroll down to Thurgood Marshall to view available programs or go to <https://www.mnps.org/before-and-after-care>
- **Marshall Athletics-** click on the [link](#) to learn how 5th-8th graders can participate in sports while we are in the virtual setting.
- **Thanksgiving Holidays-** Weds. November 25- Fri. 27

# Schoology Support

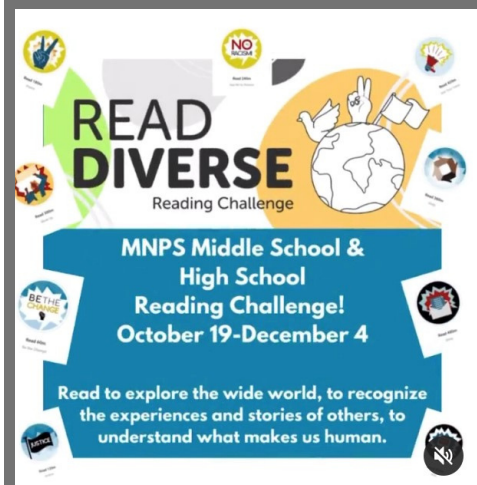
- **Watch Parent Schoology Training on 9/15/20** Learn how parents log into Schoology and check your child's grades and other data
- [WWW.bit.ly/TMMSVL101](http://WWW.bit.ly/TMMSVL101)
- **How students upload assignments in Schoology**  
<https://web.microsoftstream.com/video/6aeccc9f-7b71-4045-afca-661b94e8bef8>
- **How to log into Schoology**
- <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=CsjERHNSzow&feature=youtu.be>
- **How to get Schoology alerts for absences, late work, grades, etc.**
- <https://support.schoology.com/hc/en-us/articles/201000903-Parent-Email-Digest-and-Overdue-Notifications-Email>



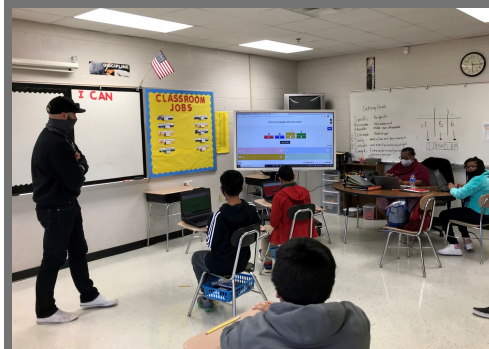
Students use Clever to login to Schoology  
<http://www.clever.com/in/mnps>



Ms. Grys works on math with her students



Email Ms. Long at [erika.long@mnps.org](mailto:erika.long@mnps.org) for info about Read Diverse



Mr. Deflorio and Ms. Binford do Kahoot review with their students