



September 15th 2020

# MARSHALL MEMOS

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Thurgood Marshall Middle School's Official Newsletter

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Mr. Chapman, TMMS Campus Supervisor, prepares student supplies.

## In-Person or Virtual?

MNPS and our school have emailed parents a link to the FAMILY DECISION SURVEY which is due today. This survey gives you the option to determine if you would prefer your child to continue with virtual instruction for the remainder of the year or if you would prefer for your child to transition into in-person instruction when the district deems it is safe for middle school students to return. Middle school students may phase-in sometime after Fall Break.

Completing this survey is very important because if you do not complete the survey, your child will default to in-person learning for the remainder of the school year. Please complete this survey today, so you have the opportunity to choose what learning environment you feel is appropriate and safe for your child.

**To respond to the Family Decision Survey**, click the following link <https://surveys.panoramaed.com/nashville/login>

**The access code is your child's username all lowercase** (which is the same as their email without the @mnpsk12.org)

If you have any questions, please contact our school @615-941-7515



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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. We currently have about 92% of our students logging in, but our goal is 100%. If your child is having trouble logging in, please call the school or email the teachers and the grade level principal for assistance (5th/6th vice principal- kimberly.woodard@mnps.org, 7th/8th vice principal- adam.allen@mnps.org)

## FREE School Lunch & Breakfast for ALL

School Breakfast and Lunch will now be FREE again to all students and can be picked up along with lunch at the school (drive through by gym from 11:30-1 pm) or at the student's [bus stop](#) (12:45-1:45 pm). E-mail the cafeteria manager sheilania.ransom@mnps.org or our 7th/8th grade Dean of students luther.dollar@mnps.org for more info. Also, check out our school's [website](#) to apply for [free or reduced lunch](#) under parent info.

## 7th Grade Vaccinations

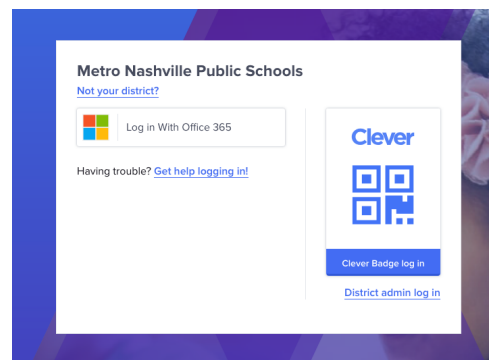
An updated Tennessee Immunization Certificate with proof of one additional immunizations is required when entering 7th grade. Immunizations are available from your child's doctor, or may also be available through the Metro Public Health Department if your child has TennCare, no insurance or insurance 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 use <http://bit.ly/TMMSTECHREQ> link to place request. We schedule appointments in the order the requests are made. Please email Mr. Allen if you have placed a technology request and have not received an email or phone reply to set up a time for pickup. adam.allen@mnps.org To request school help with technology related issues (ex. logging in, Schoology, etc.) please submit a help request <http://bit.ly/TMMSTECHHELP>
- **Parent Schoology Training-** Tues. September 15 from 6:30 pm-7:30 pm on Microsoft TEAMS. Click on the following link [WWW.bit.ly/TMMSVL101](http://WWW.bit.ly/TMMSVL101)
- **End of 1st Quarter-** October 1st
- **Annual Training-** October 2nd -No school for students

## Schoology Support

- **Live Parent Schoology Training on TEAMS- 9/15/20 @ 6:30 pm.** 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>



FREE Lunch and Breakfast returns for ALL STUDENTS!

