

#ThisIsMyMcMeen

WEEKLY FAMILY NEWSLETTER - February 12, 2021

Next Week at A Glance

Monday 2/15	Tuesday 2/16	Wednesday 2/17	Thursday 2/18	Friday 2/19	Weekend
President's Day - No School	Teacher Planning Day - No School		English Language Acquisition (ELA) Parent Advisory Committee (PAC) Meeting at 5:30		**See Note Below about February 22nd



McMeen Web Store is Open

Our Parent Teacher Organization (PTO) has set-up a web store for you to buy all your McMeen gear. You can shop [here](#) and the gear will be delivered to the school. **The store will close down on February 23rd, so place your orders soon!** We look forward to seeing everyone rock their new gear!

Also, don't forget that the PTO has yard signs. Please email them to get a sign.

COUNSELOR



Please see [this](#) website full of resources and [this](#) Bitmoji classroom for students.

MCMEEN ELEMENTARY

PTO

March Meeting - The next meeting will be on March 8 at 6pm via Zoom. [here](#).

Fundraising Opportunities - See [here](#).

McMeen Yard Signs are HERE! Email us to arrange to get your yard sign! We are giving these out for free. If you would like to give a donation for the signs, please use this link <https://mcmeenpto.square.site/> (\$10 suggested donation)

McMeen Eats - Save the date for our next McMeen eats on March 9th at Cane's Chicken.

Contact Us!

Email: mcmeenpto@gmail.com

Facebook : <https://www.facebook.com/McMeenElementary>

Instagram: @realstudentsofmcmeen



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McMeen University (MU)

We are looking forward to starting McMeen University on March 1st! Please review the class options and sign your child up for classes using the link below. If you have any questions, please reach out to Lauren Bartsch at lauren_bartsch@dpsk12.org. All sign-ups are due **Sunday, February 21**.

[Sign-up for MU Classes Here](#)

**Note: Translated surveys are in process and will be shared via Flyer as soon as we have them*



3rd - 5th Grade Virtual Learners

It is time for us to start thinking about the Colorado Measures of Academic Success (CMAS) assessment for the 20-21 school year. If your child is in 3rd-5th Grade and learning virtually, please review the letter below and make your decision about the assessment by **February 26th**.

- [English](#)
- [Spanish](#)
- [Arabic](#)



February is Black History Month. Stay updated on projects students are doing and activities you can engage with at home on our website. We have a page dedicated to Black History Month you can find [here](#).



ANNOUNCEMENTS

February 22nd Asynchronous Day for Students - McMeen staff have the opportunity to get the first dose of the COVID Vaccine on Monday, February 22nd. As a result, this will be an asynchronous learning day for all students.

ECE Students - Please don't forget to fill out the School Choice application for Kindergarten. You can learn more and apply at www.schoolchoice.dpsk12.org

English Language Acquisition (ELA) Parental Advisory Committee (PAC) Meeting - We will have our ELA PAC Meeting on Thursday, February 18th at 5:30pm. Please join us via [this Zoom link](#).

Immunizations - Families, please review the attached letter for information about immunizations needed for schools in [Arabic](#), [English](#), and [Spanish](#).

Information for Emergency Situations - We wanted to let you know that DPS Safety and Security has installed flashing lights on the outside of our building. If at any point you are approaching the building and see the lights flashing, this means we are in a lockdown and lockout and will not be able to let you into the building. If you see these lights, please return to your vehicle and/or leave the premises for your own safety until they stop.

REMINDER Virtual After School Physical Activity Program - The District's Extended Learning and Community Schools department will be offering a free virtual physical activity program after school. You can learn more in [English](#) or [Spanish](#) **Registration is open now** and they will be offering two sessions: February 22 - March 26 and April 12 - May 21.