

November Newsletter



Be Aware - Be Safe

It's the law:

When the red lights are flashing and the stop arm is extended, this indicates that the bus has stopped and that children are now getting on or off the bus. Motorists must stop their cars and wait until the red flashing lights are turned off, the stop arm is withdrawn, and the bus begins moving before they start driving again.

When a school bus is stopped at an intersection to load and unload children, drivers from all directions are required to stop until the bus resumes motion.

When driving on a highway with separate roadways for traffic in opposite directions, divided by a median space or a barrier not suitable for vehicular traffic, the driver need not stop, but should proceed with caution.

Discovery School Applications

The Discovery School is now accepting applications for the 2018-2019 school year. A parent information meeting is scheduled for Thursday, November 29 at 6 p.m. for parents interested in learning more about the admission process. Application deadline is Friday, January 9, 2019.

Discovery School was created to serve high achieving students. At Discovery School, students quickly learn the basics and then move deeper into the curriculum. Students also enjoy enrichment activities and use school electronics to enhance the learning experience. In addition, students are offered unique opportunities for learning through partnerships with MTSU and other organizations.

Interested in learning more about Discovery School?

School Tour: November 20th - 9:00 a.m.

UPDATE!
Informational Meeting: December 13th - 6:00 p.m.

School Tour: December 11th - 9:00 a.m.

For more information visit www.discoveryschoolexplorers.net

American Education Week 2018

November 12-16

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Foundation Grant Reception

The City Schools Foundation is proud to announce \$63,319.96 in grant funding will be awarded to MCS teachers in October.

The Foundation asks educators from Murfreesboro City Schools to submit proposals for funding that will help them acquire resources not ordinarily provided by taxpayer dollars.



Dr. Knox Receives State Award

Dr. Heather Knox, a fifth-grade mathematics teacher at Northfield Elementary School, has been selected as a Tennessee State Finalist for the Presidential Awards for Excellence in Mathematics and Science Teaching (PAEMST).

The PAEMST award is the nation's highest honor for K-12 mathematics and science teachers. The awards program is administered by the National Science Foundation on behalf of The White House Office of Science and Technology Policy. State finalists represent the most outstanding teachers in Tennessee and serve as a model and an inspiration to students and fellow teachers.



Is It a Cold or the Flu?

Symptoms	Cold	Flu
Fever	Rare	Usual; high (100°F to 102°F, occasionally higher, especially in young children); lasts 3 to 4 days
Headache	Rare	Common
General Aches, Pains	Slight	Usual; often severe
Fatigue, Weakness	Sometimes	Usual; can last up to 2 to 3 weeks
Exhaustion	Never	Usual; at the beginning of the illness
Stuffy Nose	Common	Sometimes
Sneezing	Usual	Sometimes
Sore Throat	Common	Sometimes
Chest Discomfort, Cough	Mild to moderate; hacking cough	Common; can become severe
Treatment	Antihistamines Decongestants Nonsteroidal anti-inflammatory medicines	Antiviral medicines—see your doctor
Prevention	Wash your hands often with soap and water; avoid close contact with anyone with a cold	Annual vaccination; antiviral medicines—see your doctor
Complications	Sinus congestion Middle ear infection Asthma	Bronchitis, pneumonia; can worsen chronic conditions; can be life-threatening. Complications more likely in the elderly, those with chronic conditions, young children, and pregnant women

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3rd Annual MCS Crunch



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