

Montclair Public Schools

EDGEMONT MONTESSORI SCHOOL

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BRIONY CARR-CLEMENTE Principal

December 15, 2023

Good afternoon Edgemont families,

I hope everyone is well.

Our Holiday Sing was a success!!! A huge thank you to Mr. Mellman for, once again, presenting an amazing performance! And thank you to the Edgemont PTA and parent volunteers for supporting this event as well!



If your child is absent next week due to travel, please remember to email/notify your classroom teachers, as well as Ms. Mascellino.

Report cards will be released to parents on Friday, December 22.

Cycle 2 Response to Intervention (RTI) letters will go out the week of December 18, and cycle 2 RTI will begin Tuesday, January 2.

Some of you have reached out regarding the attendance letter generated by Genesis. If you have any questions regarding attendance letters please contact Ms. Mascellino (Imascellino@montclair.k12.nj.us).

The first NAACP and MPS Literacy Series Children's Kwanzaa Traditions is today, December 15th, 5:30PM to 7:30PM at Nishuane School.

A message from Nurse Alfaro....

COVID-19 Reminders:

Members of our Edgemont Community continue to test positive for COVID-19 and Montclair Public Schools remain aligned with the NJ Department of Health and the CDC's Isolation and Exposure guidelines: https://www.montclair.k12.nj.us/cms/one.aspx?pageId=70351677

Current guidelines include:

Isolation

The day a student tests positive is "day zero". If symptoms start after testing positive, that day becomes "day zero." Students must stay home and isolate for days zero (0) through five (5). To return, a student must be fever-free for 24 hours without Tylenol/Motrin and with symptoms resolving. A student <u>can not</u> test out of the five day isolation.

Telephone: 973-509-4162 Fax: 973-509-1111 Email: bcarrclemente@montclair.k12.nj.us



Masking

A student must return to school masked for days six (6) through ten (10). A student can test out of masking if they test negative for two days in a row, 24-hours apart on day six and seven or later.

Free home tests available: https://www.covid.gov/tests

If your child tests positive, please contact Nurse Alfaro for guidance on returning to school. Galfaro@montclair.k12.nj.us or call 973-509-4281.

Remember to check the Montclair Public Schools <u>Digital Backpack</u> often! A lot of information is posted here.

School Lunch Application can be found here: https://www.nlappscloud.com/

Lunch Menu information can be found here: https://www.fdmealplanner.com/

Merchandise can be found here: https://edgemontessori.memberhub.com/store

Take care.

Briony Carr-Clemente

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Important Date/Reminders:

Our doors open at *8:10AM*.

Drop-off takes place between *8:10AM-8:20AM*.

Dismissal is at *2:35PM*.

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December 22- Abbreviated Day

December 25- January 1- School Closed

We return Tuesday, January 2....

