

School Events: September 2022 - May 26 2023

# Madison K-8 Parent News

2022/23 Start and Dismissal Times – MWFTH 7:35 breakfast, 8:10 am-2:28 pm,  
Tuesday Minimum Days 7:35 breakfast, 8:10 am-12:44 pm

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## Madison Mustang Parent Newsletter Trimester 1

Welcome back, Madison Families!

We are inviting you to continue to build with us in the 2022-2023 school year as our mantra/slogan hones in on a focus on the WINS and the positives to boost student learning. As we continue to work through new challenges each year and survive with grace and clear learning outcomes, it is apparent that deep roots are beginning to strengthen our character, connection, and commitments to student success. Our six-year story of success has largely been attributed to your support and feedback. You play a huge role in teaching us how to teach your children. No roadblocks have interfered with our goal to truly build an instructional program that inspires lifelong learning – goal setting, applying appropriate skills/knowledge, self-direction, ability to locate required information, and adapt their learning to strategies to different conditions. Children’s learning styles and needs are as unique as their DNAs, and we need to work together to personalize them for meaningful and empowering outcomes. Enduring construction and history making appears to be our most pressing challenge as we prepare for a new construction shift in 52 days - we are scheduled to move into the new building. We want to develop a safe plan that addresses all student needs during phase 2 construction. 6<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> will be utilizing the Madison Park for outdoor PE, the cafeteria will be used as a gymnasium 3 days a week, and school walks will be scheduled. Trimester 1 is a focus on reading and comprehension. Studies show that 52 hours on one concentrated subject will increase a student’s progress by one grade level. Please help create a routine at home for independent reading, iReady, and math fluency 30 minutes each per day. K-3<sup>rd</sup> should read one book a week and should engage in 3 reads – read to self, read aloud, and read with a partner. Grades 4<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> should read two novels a month. Trimester 2 will focus on writing and RTI math. All site communication will be sent via Madison website at [stocktonusd.net/Madison](http://stocktonusd.net/Madison).

Our core values are for all Madison students to be positive, respectful, responsible and safe - encourages internal strength, growth mindsets, and resilience. The site consistencies such as Coding Club, UOP Partnerships, SStudent Council, Stockton Covenant/Calvary partnerships

reremain intact. Thank you for your partnership!

### MMadison Parent Conference Dates

December 6, 2022 1:00 - 2:28pm

Mar 7, 2023 1:00 – 2:28pm

### Madison’s Mission Statement

Our mission is to inspire a love of lifelong learning, critical thinking, confidence, dreams, agency, self-awareness, and empower students for high school success.

### Parent Informational Meeting and Student Events

Sept- Kids Can Canned Food Drive/Character Trait - Caring

Sept 21 – Parent Café – every Wednesday at 9:00 am till Dec.

Sept 22 – SSC at 3:00 pm

Sept 23 Fridays -Coding Club 2:30, CHASE UOP 3:00 6-8th

### **October 3-7 FALL BREAK**

### **Oct 10 – NO School PD Day**

Oct 14 – Parent Coffee 9:00am, Stu/Par Character of Month

Oct 20 – ELAC 9:00 am

Oct 26 – Picture Retake

Oct 28 – Harvest Carnival – Fall FESTIVAL, Trimester I end

Oct 31 – Costume Parade K-2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> Rally, 6<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> Hip

### **Nov 1- NO SCHOOL PD Day**

Nov 9 – Report Cards go home

### **Nov 11 – Veterans Day – No School**

Nov 18 – Parent Coffee

Nov 18 – Honor Roll Assembly at 1:00 PM

Nov 17- ELAC at 9:00 am, Turkey Trot, SSC at 3:00 pm

Nov 18- Parent Coffee, Stu/Par Character of Month

### **November 21-25 THANKSGIVING BREAK**

Dec 6 – Parent Conferences 1:00 – 2:28 pm

Dec 9 – Parent Coffee 9:00 am

Dec 12 – Progress Reports for Trimester 2

### **December 19-Jan 3, 2023 – HOLIDAY BREAK**

Jan 13 – Parent Coffee 9:00 am

### **Jan 16 – NO SCHOOL – MLK Birthday**

Jan 19 – ELAC 9:00 am

### **Feb 10 – NO SCHOOL**

Feb 16 – ELAC 9:00 am

### **Feb 20 and 21<sup>st</sup> – NO SCHOOL**

Feb 27- Mar 3, Book Fair Seuss-A-Palooza Week

Mar 10 – Parent Coffee 9:00 am

### **Mar 13-17 – SPRING BREAK No School**

Mar 23 – ELAC 9:00 am

April 14 – Parent Coffee 9:00 am

April 25 – Spring Pictures

May 11 – ELAC 9:00 am

May 12 – Parent Coffee 9:00 am

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