



Maryland School

Nick Gupton, Principal

D.D. Carr, Assistant Principal

6503 N 21st Avenue • Phoenix, AZ 85015

602-347-2300 • Fax: 602-347-2320

maryland.wesdschools.org

July 22, 2019

Dear Maryland Families,

I hope you are enjoying your time with your children. The staff and I would like to thank all our Maryland parents for your support last year. You are an integral part of your child's success. We are looking forward to another great year with you and hope you are as excited as we are to get back to a new school year.

For the safety of all our Maryland community, do not drop your students off outside of the parent drop off/pickup area located by the flagpole. Students must enter through the main drop off/pick up gate. Our campus opens at 7:10 a.m. each morning and the car line is not as long at opening time. Thank you for your understanding and we appreciate your assistance in helping keep all our student's safe.

Our school day will begin at 7:30 a.m. and dismiss at 2:30 p.m. with early dismissal on Wednesdays at 1:00 p.m. Students are required to be in the classroom at 7:30 a.m. or they will be marked tardy. All students will be served a free breakfast in the classroom during the homeroom hour. Students will also receive free lunch. The cafeteria will scan their student ID so be sure your student has the ID every day. As we look forward to a wonderful 2019-2020 school year, here are some important dates to add to your calendar:

Class lists will be posted Monday, July 29, 2019 at 8:00 a.m. on the office windows so students can come by to see who their teacher will be this school year.

Meet the Teacher will be Thursday, August 1, 2019 from 4:00 – 5:30 p.m. We would like to invite all parents to attend with your student. This is a great opportunity to view the classroom and connect with the teacher.

School starts Monday, August 5. Please remember students may arrive at 7:10 a.m. when playground duty begins. There are no teachers or staff on duty before that time, so please do not drop off students earlier than 7:10 a.m. Students enter the classroom beginning at 7:25 a.m. and the tardy bell rings at 7:30 a.m. All students are expected to be in their homeroom at this time.

On the first day of school, all students will go directly to their classroom instead of reporting to the playground. Beginning on the second day of school, all students are to go to the playground until the 7:25 a.m. bell. The teacher expectations of where students will line up will be given on the first day of school.

Enjoy the rest of your summer break and know the staff and I look forward to seeing all the familiar faces and greeting all the new ones at Meet the Teacher Night.

Sincerely,

Nick Gupton
Principal

Governing Board: Aaron Jahneke, President • Tee Lambert, Vice President
Bill Adams, Member • Larry Herrera, Member • Nikkie Whaley, Member

Dr. Paul Stanton, Superintendent