



4-9-21 Medina Principal Newsletter



Happy Friday Medina Families,

What a great week, with the start of our annual PTA Walk-a-Thon on Wednesday, and STEM Night! It was such fun seeing our families show up Wednesday, between 2:00-4:00, to check in to the Walk-a-Thon launch site in the undercover area. We were touched to see moms, dads, our Medina students and their siblings, grandparents, and more, coming together for such a great cause and fundraiser. The night was capped with another fun filled family event – our PTA STEM night. So many students took part in the favorite egg drop event, with incredible engineered structures built to protect their eggs during the fall. Lastly, the content presented by the Seattle Science Center, regarding Astrogeology, was very engaging and informative. Two very successful Medina PTA events! Thank you to all PTA parents who came together to invest their efforts, creativity and time to make Wednesday such a success for our community.

We move into Spring Break, with nine lovely days to rest, play and gear up for a strong last nine (+) weeks of the school year. Enjoy!

Warmly,

Laurie & Ashley

Calendar of Events



April 12-16 – Spring Break (no school)
April 19-23 – Virtual Learning for ALL students in Bellevue School District
April 24 – Walk-A-Thon, 11am-2pm
May 31 – No School in observance of Memorial Day

Traveling Over Break? Quarantine Guidance from BSD

We have received questions regarding travel over Spring Break regarding the most current BSD Student/Family Travel and Quarantining. From the King County Covid-19 web page: <https://kingcounty.gov/depts/health/covid-19/care/quarantine.aspx#travel>

Additionally, here is our BSD link to FAQ regarding all matters Quarantine: <https://bsd405.org/back-to-buildings-plan/faq/#quarantine>

During our Remote week following our Spring Break:

Class times will revert back to our original 8:05-11:05 for all students. All AM and PM hybrid classes will meet as full classes, through Teams, remotely. Your teacher will send out Teams invites for that week so remote instruction. Specialist schedules will need to remain the same as they are the last few weeks. Reach out to your classroom

and/or specialist teachers should you need additional support in navigating class vs specialist times.

**Reminders:
School Start
Times**

Please be sure to arrive at or after 7:50am (AM session) or 11:50am (PM session). If you arrive early, do not allow students to exit cars until 7:50/11:50.

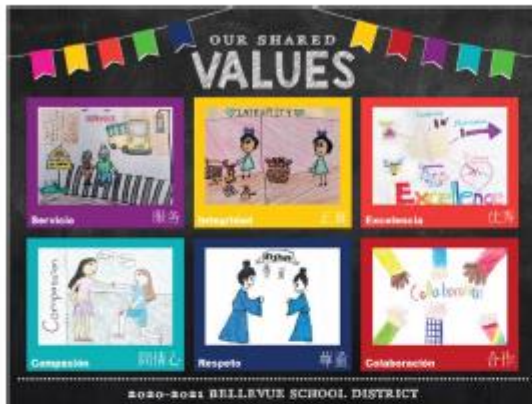
We do not have designated supervision before 7:50/11:50.

**Bellevue School
District Shared
Values Poster**

*Calling all
elementary artists!*

*(this is a snip it,
so the link is not live)*

Looking ahead to 2021-22, we would like to collect new student artwork for our Shared Values Posters.



If you are an elementary artist (or know one), please submit artwork by June 1, 2021 via email to Randi Peterson at peterersonr@bsd405.org.

Please include the following when submitting student artwork:
Student Name
Grade
School
Value

Bellevue School District's Shared Values		
SERVICE	INTEGRITY	COMPASSION
I look for opportunities to be helpful in ways that make other people's lives better. I pay attention to the welfare of others. I strive to make a positive difference in the wellbeing of my family and community.	I do the right thing even when no one is looking. I keep my word, and I follow through with my commitments. I hold myself accountable and take responsibility for my actions.	I am kind and caring. I pay attention to the thoughts and feelings of others. I notice when someone needs a friend, and I show people I care by stopping what I'm doing, listening, and trying to understand how they feel. I am authentic and genuine.
EXCELLENCE	RESPECT	COLLABORATION
I strive to be the very best I can be through hard work and a growth mindset. I don't give up when things get tough. I give 100% to my tasks and my relationships with others. I use challenges to strengthen my purpose.	I welcome diverse ideas and contributions. I assume the best intentions in other people. I honor the strengths and traditions of other people.	I work respectfully with others to complete a task by demonstrating cooperation and teamwork. I share my ideas, my knowledge and my skills to help the group reach their goal. I am inclusive of other people.

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