



THE TIGER TIMES

THE MT. WASHINGTON SCHOOL

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GREETINGS!

Hello MWS Families,

I want to express my sincere gratitude for your support this school year. Your dedication and involvement have truly made a difference in the success of our students.

I'm excited about the launch of *The Tiger Times* as a platform and a valuable resource for our school community. *The Tiger Times* will provide you with up-to-date information about all the things happening at our school, from important announcements to exciting events. We aim to keep you informed every step of the way!



PRINCIPAL BROWN

I am proud to share that MWS has recently been recognized as **one of the top 5 elementary schools in Baltimore City!** This achievement is a testament to the hard work and commitment of our students, teachers, and staff. We have also received a **3-star rating** from MSDE, reinforcing our dedication to provide a high-quality education and foster an environment that promotes growth and learning.

I am also thrilled to inform you that we have been awarded a generous **grant of \$25,000 from the Baltimore Community Foundation** to support literacy intervention for our PreK and K students. As we prepare for the upcoming building transition, I am very excited about our future. Our move represents an incredible opportunity for growth, development, and thriving.

Have a great holiday break!

Lisa D. Brown

A UNIFIED CAMPUS



The Mt. Washington Elementary and middle school buildings will soon be on the same campus, on Sulgrave! In January, our middle schoolers will move into the newly constructed pre-fabricated building. Our pre-K through 5th graders will return to the upper building. All students will have a comfortable learning environment going forward. Something to celebrate!

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES



Help us unpack and set up after our move! Reach out to your Room Parent on Parent Square.



Volunteer to help with Return-to-School traffic flow. Reach out to Essence Nelson: esmith@bcps.k12.md.us



Volunteer for Lunch & Recess Support. Reach out to Essence Nelson: esmith@bcps.k12.md.us



Volunteer to help out with our January Talent Show. Contact Tavian Cardwell: TKCardwell@bcps.k12.md.us

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~www.facebook.com/mwsSFCC

Follow us on Instagram:
~ @mws_pto / @mws_sfcc

School Members: Join our PTO and SFC Council Group Channels in Parent Square

UPCOMING EVENTS



JAN. 5-12

Hearing/Vision Screening
~ 9am-3pm



JAN. 9

SFCC General Meeting
~ 6pm-7:30pm via Zoom



LATE JAN.

The MWS Talent Show!
~ Watch out for day, time, & place on Parent Square

***Check the School Calendar on Parent Square or [the school website](#) for more details ***

The Mt. Washington School has exceptional teachers and staff! Every month, we will feature both Teacher- and Staff-of-the month to express our appreciation for all their hard work and care for our scholars...

NOVEMBER'S TEACHER OF THE MONTH

~MISS UBAL~

(4-6TH GRADE SPEC. ED.)

What Colors really speak to you?

- Neutrals

What TV shows do you love?

- She loves to watch either *The Walking dead* or *Criminal Minds*.

What is one thing that makes you Unique?

- Her love for dance

Family Engagement

The PTO and SFC Council collaborated to bring back our Family Movie Night, after several years of hiatus. This is one of several school community events intended to foster connection and positive engagement among school families and scholars. Look out for more family-friendly events in the Spring!

NOVEMBER'S STAFF OF THE MONTH

~ MISS DRUMMOND GORDON ~

(EDUCATIONAL ASSOCIATE)

What Colors really speak to you?

- Green

What TV shows do you love?

- She loves to binge on shows about medicine, such as, *House*, *The Good Doctor*, and *New Amsterdam*.

What is one thing that makes you Unique?

- She maintains a high standard of excellence in every area of life from shopping to her own education.

CELEBRATING OUR WINS!

FALL BASKETBALL LEAGUE PLAYOFFS

Congratulations to our elementary and middle school basketball teams for winning their championship games. We celebrate their team spirit and hard work this season. A special shout out to our coaches and parents for supporting the team this season!



SCHOOL SPIRIT

The MWS SGA and Cheer team have done a phenomenal job this year advocating for our school community. The team has shown their leadership skills in hosting our MWS open house events along with representing the school at the Choice Fair. The SGA team has raised funding at our December Holiday Market and will be hosting a table at our MWS movie night this evening. Go Tigers!

INAUGURAL HOLIDAY MARKET

The MWS Holiday Market and Winter Greens Sale were a huge success! MWS Families and the wider community could purchase their holiday greens, get a delicious treat, and catch up with friends, all while supporting our school's programs and initiatives.

