

January 7, 2022



LETTER FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Dear Families,

It was so great to see all the students back at school this week. I certainly missed them while I was out. A huge thank you to Lisa Warne for covering for me, she did a fantastic job.

The students jumped right back into the school routine despite all the disruptions due to Covid. Please keep your child home if they are showing Covid symptoms, we are trying to control the number of positive cases as much as possible.

Warm regards,
Patrick Eagle

MORNING ARRIVAL

Please do not drop off your child before 7:55 as we do not have supervision until then. Some students are arriving as early as 7:45. Rainy mornings are even more challenging and drop offs closer to 8:30 help. Gathering all students in the MPR in the morning before school starts is something I'd like to avoid as much as possible. Thanks for your cooperation.

INFORMATION ON COVID VACCINES FOR STUDENTS

Here is information on Covid-19 vaccines for kids. Click [here for English](#) or [here for Spanish](#)

PTO UPDATE

Join us for the PTO general meeting on Wednesday January 26th via Zoom. The link will be sent soon. Like us on Facebook: <https://m.facebook.com/SanMiguelElementaryPTO/>

TK AND KINDER REGISTRATION FOR NEXT YEAR

The 2022-2023 Online Enrollment for incoming Transitional Kindergarten (TK) and Kindergarten students will open on Monday, December 6th at 5:00pm! We would appreciate you sharing this information with family and/or friends who may be interested in enrolling their TK or Kindergarten student for the upcoming school year. Families interested in enrolling their TK/Kindergarten student for the 2022-2023 school year beginning Monday, December 6th @ 5:00 pm may access Online Enrollment by going to <http://markwestusd.asp.aeries.net/air/>.

Also attached are the 2022-2023 TK/Kindergarten Online Enrollment flyers which contain helpful information parents will need when completing the Online Enrollment process for their incoming TK/Kindergarten student. Click for [English flyer](#) and [Spanish flyer](#). Families who are interested in enrolling additional children in grades 1st-6th may do so through Online Enrollment beginning January 24, 2022. Watch for more information to follow!

A 'NOTE' FROM THE MUSIC TEACHER

Make Music, Eat Polenta! Save the date for our Polenta Feed fundraiser on Saturday, March 12! We are also looking for volunteers as well as donations for our raffle and silent auction for this event. Do you have connections to a business that can donate?

Can you lend a hand at the event? Please let us know if you can help by emailing Shannon or Jason at mwef@mwusd.org. Help us keep music education alive in the Mark West School District!

UPCOMING DATES

- 1/17/22 - Martin Luther King Jr. Birthday, school holiday
- 1/26/22 - PTO meeting via Zoom, 6:00 pm
- 2/14/22 - Lincoln's Birthday, school holiday
- 2/21/22 - President's Day, school holiday
- 3/21-3/25 - Spring Break

