



From Principal Dismuke's Desk!

Welcome Back! We are in for an exciting year! We held our open house on Tuesday, August 30th and it was great welcoming our students back to school! Students have come prepared to learn and are ready for the challenges that they may have this year academically. If you haven't spoken to your child's teacher they should be contacting you soon to introduce themselves to you either by letter or phone call.

IMPORTANT INFO:

Parents I need your assistance when it comes to dropping off and picking up students. As you may know Gaenslen is located on two dead end streets. I need you all to adhere to the parking rules and regulations that are posted and to park on Dousman Street. I also ask that you do not park in the staff parking lot. The parking lot is for the staff of the school only. The staff has been late due to the lack of parking spots that have been taken up by parents. Also keep in mind that we have students that are escorted at the end of the day through the parking lot. We do not want anyone to be hurt or injured due to traffic in the parking lot. I thank you for your support on this matter.

National Hispanic Heritage Month

Starts September 15 – October 15. It's when people recognize the contributions of Hispanic and Latino Americans to the United States and celebrate the group's heritage and culture. Ask an elder: "bendicion"

Their response: "Que dios te bendiga"
From our very own here at Gaenslen: Ms. Ester Ortiz and Ms. Anna Flores (Puerto Rico)

To all of our Hispanic and Latino Families we here at Gaenslen School Celebrate YOU!

Gaenslen Vision Statement

We believe that all students, regardless of their race, gender, national origin, disability, have the right to enjoy and be exposed to a full range of educational and social experiences that will foster success and higher education, careers and responsible citizenship.

Remember we all work together to help our students succeed.

Behavioral Expectation (PBIS)

- BE SAFE
- BE RESPECTFUL
- BE RESPONSIBLE!

Please Please! Be At School Every Day On Time!

Start time 7:35am – End time 2:35pm

Sick Child call 414-267-5760

Arriving after 7:50am will be tardy



Students gathered to learn

Gaenslen Fresh Fruits and Vegetables Program



Here at Gaenslen School we are part of a Fresh Fruits and Vegetables Program. The Program starts Wednesday, September 28. All of the students here will receive a fruit and a vegetable once a week to try. This is a good conversation piece to have with your child. Ask about what type of fruit and vegetable they had today at school.

S NUMBERS#

All of MPS Students has a student ID number and that number has to be memorized to get on to the computers and to get lunch. Please Please help them to practice the number at home. THANKS!

BOX TOPS

Gaenslen is always excepting box tops to help our school. Please send any box tops that you may have at home here. We could really use them.

STAR Testing

Testing starts Monday September 12 – 30 for K-5 to 8th grade on Math and Reading. Please make sure they are well rested, give them a good pep talk, lots of hugs and kisses and anything else to boost their confidence in doing their best on the test.

DANCE

September 16th Friday All School Dance. Fun! Fun! Fun! Don't miss out on this day and make sure you're here. Cool refreshing treats will be served.

“8th Grade News”

Thursday, Sept. 28 (9am-Noon) Field Trip to the Library on MLK Dr.
October 5th (10am-2:15pm) Lincoln School of the Arts – High School Fair
On Wednesdays it's 8th Grade Professional Dress Up Day

MPS Needs Volunteers!

Visit the Parent Center here at Gaenslen to complete the online application for on-going, short-term or one-time volunteer opportunities. Room 100P Ms. Tawana Elim, Parent Coordinator, 414-267-5740

QUOTE OF THE MONTH:

“Pleasure in the job puts perfection in the work.”

-Aristotle

River west Food Pantry

Here at Gaenslen School the Food Pantry is open on Tuesdays 4:30-6:30pm. The services are for the following zip codes: 53202, 53203, 53211, 53212, and 53217.

You will need ID and mail or lease for each adult living at the home. For children, a birth certificate, a Notice of Decision or a document from the school. You may only visit once a month. ENJOY!