

# May

## Newsletter

### Principal's Message

Hello, Valued Parents of Lockard Students!

Thank you for working diligently with us to continue the best possible education for your child, especially during the COVID Crisis. Now that MAAP assessments are completed, the district is transitioning to a "summer" learning schedule for the remainder of the required school year, which ends on June 11, 2021. This schedule allows students to learn in a hybrid way; using this summer learning schedule, we will provide extra support and acceleration for students, given new curricular materials, and extra professional learning opportunities for teachers.

Students who are currently receiving in-person instruction will continue to receive in-person instruction until noon each day, and will then transition to virtual learning for the afternoons. Students who are currently involved in virtual learning will continue virtual learning for the entire day.

Summer learning schedules for the remainder of the required school year are attached to this letter. Also, you will soon receive information about additional learning opportunities for students, which will include summer camps occurring after the regular school year that are intended to help close learning gaps.

We look forward to continuing our wonderful collaboration with parents to continue meeting needs of children.

Kind regards,

Daphne Heflin  
Principal



Daphne Heflin-Principal  
Terrell Hayes ~ Assistant Principal

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Linda Rule ~ Parent Liaison  
Parent Center Hours ~ Monday-Friday 8:00AM-3:00PM

## Library Life

Happy May!

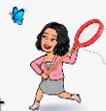
What a great month! (I know that I say that every month, but it's true! All months are great for reading and learning.) You can still check out your library class in Canvas every day. Be sure to go to your library course to check out all of these great resources: Lockard Little Library (LLL) has many great rooms.

You may use EPIC every day as well. Click on the word EPIC and use the class code ayh5887.

You may use JLG every day. The username and password is Lockard. One other source you may use is MackinVIA. This is available in Clever.

As always, happy, happy reading to all of you,

Mrs. Burkett



## Music Room

Students are using percussion instruments to create B sections for short songs such as Bubblegum. They use these to make AB, ABA, and ABAB form.

Mrs. Ray. Music Teacher

## Mason's Memo

### Communication is the Key

The past few days we have been learning about communication in our guidance classes. If I've learned anything over the past 14 months, it's that communication is the key to anything being productive and/or successful during a time like this.

As a parent, I know that you might get tired of receiving text messages and calls from the school. As a counselor, I can say that I also get tired of sending the messages at times BUT, this has been the best way to keep you all informed about school and student information.

Thank you for your patience and cooperation as we have made your phone "ding" numerous times each week. Communicating with our parents is the only way that we could have made this such a smooth re-entry for our students.



May Student  
of the Month

Morgan Woods

May Parent  
of the Month

Markita Williams

May Teacher  
of the Month

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### May Calendar 2021

State Testing – May 4 & 11, 2021

Report Card Issued – May 3 – 7, 2021

Memorial Day – May 31, 2021