

Dear Meeker Families,

Can you believe your child has ONLY 19 days left to our school year? This means our students and teachers have only 19 days left to reach their end of year goals. Please talk to your child about their goals and their plan to reach those goals. We have been noticing that as the days are getting nicer, we have more students arriving late to school. With having reading immediately in the morning for primary grades, he/she is missing out on reading instruction. Every minute does matter and we do appreciate having your child here on time each and every day.

On May 13th at 7:00 in the cafeteria, we are honoring all parents and community members who have volunteered at Meeker with a breakfast. Over 2420 volunteer hours have been incurred this school year. If you have volunteered at Meeker an invite will be sent out to you by May 1st. If you should have received an invite, PLEASE call the office at 348-2000 so we can send you an invite as we want to ensure all volunteers are recognized. We appreciate all that our volunteers do for our staff, students, and community!

Tentative classroom assignments have been made for the 19-20 school year. The hiring process has begun and some positions have been hired. However due to possible changes in staff throughout the summer this may impact these assignments. The number of students enrolling directly impact the number of sections per grade level and sometimes this is an unknown up to the first day of school. Your child's classroom assignment will be announced in the Move Up Day letter which will be sent home closer to the final day of school but know these assignments may need to be changed. Move Up Day has been scheduled from 8:45-9:15 on May 23rd..

It is my pleasure to announce to you that Alison Ferguson has accepted the Assistant Principal position for the 2019-2020 school year. (You received communication that our current assistant principal, Ramon Reyes, has accepted a principal position at GAP in our district for the upcoming school year.) Mrs. Ferguson has served as Assistant Principal at Martinez Elementary since 2015. Alison previously served as a literacy coach at Martinez and was also a teacher at Meeker Elementary School. Alison has earned a Bachelor of Arts in Linguistically Diverse Education and an Educational Specialist (Ed. S) degree in Educational Leadership and Policy from the University of Northern Colorado. She also earned her Master of Arts degree in Curriculum and Instruction from the University of Phoenix. We are excited to have Alison return to Meeker as an assistant principal!

Thank you to those families who returned the Intent to Return forms for the 2018-2019 school year. At this time we have about 40 students not returning to Meeker. To those families who have chosen to return, thank you for choosing Meeker as we know what an incredible place of learning our school is for students. To those families who will not be with us next year we wish you much success in your new state, city, or at a different school in our district. I want you to know our doors will always be open to you to return.

There are many lost and found items that are housed in our Lost and Found area. If you are missing any items, please stop in to check as items will be donated on May 25th.

Cathy and Ramon