

M-CHS DAILY ANNOUNCEMENTS

Wednesday, April 26, 2023

It's a great day to be alive and to be a Panther!

Today's Activities

PSAT 10 Make-up Day

All Day - FFA District Interviews in Durango

4:15pm - Indigenous Club Meeting - Room 1106

4:15pm - SCYC Afterschool Tutoring

4:30pm - LaMunyon Baseball Signing to Park University

5:00pm - Lifeskills Hosting Special Olympics Informational Meeting - M-CHS Commons

7:00pm - Boys Basketball Open Gym 3 on 3

Thursday, April 27, 2023

IML Art Competition @ Alamosa

PSAT 9 Make-up Day

8:00am - M-CHS Transitions Bowker Games, Durango, CO

11:25am - Student Government Meeting - Room 1207

4:00pm - Girls Soccer @ Bayfield Varsity 4pm & JV 6pm (Departure: 2pm/Return 7pm)

6:30pm - Girls Basketball Open Gym - Main Gym

***Panther Highlights ***

NEW NEWS:

Friday School is here to help you get your academics in order now. Come Friday from 12:30 - 4:30pm to help make your year successful.

AP Students: Due to the many events scheduled in the library this week, the deadline to pay any remaining AP exam fee balances has been extended to this Thursday, April 27. Please check your emails for the subject heading "AP Exam Fees Due April 25" to see the amount you owe. You may also contact/visit Ms. Olson in the library or email kolson@cortez.k12.co.us

Seniors, please stop by the Nurses office to pick up your immunization records!

Have you ever heard of "River Camp"? Do you like camping, rafting, fishing, and hiking? Well guess what Panthers! You are in luck because you can sign up for a 5 day/ 4 night Overnight Camp this summer in June along the west fork of the Dolores River. It will be Free to upcoming 7th, 8th, and 9th graders in the Montezuma and Dolores Counties. No experience or gear is necessary to participate. Space is limited so Apply today! See the posted flyers on how to apply!

PSAT 10 Make-up Day is April 26th @ 8:30 AM

PSAT 9 Make-up Day is April 27th @ 8:30 AM - Information on the room number where testing will take place will be provided this week. Please be sure to charge your chromebooks!

Seniors: Your Senior letter has been mailed out! It is packed with end of the year information and dates for you and your parents. Please be on the lookout for it!

OPPORTUNITY OF THE DAY: API SCHOLARSHIP

The Four Corners Chapter of the American Petroleum Institute strives to give back to the community through the financial support of potential and current students via annual, renewable undergraduate academic scholarships. When filling out the application, make sure that you click on the tabs at the bottom of the spreadsheet. Please email glittlefield@cortez.k12.co.us to request the application.

DEADLINE IS MAY 13, 2023

To view all M-CHS calendar events, go to our website calendar at the link below: https://www.cortez.k12.co.us/





Meeting: Native Parent Advisory Committee Come and Join Us!



Native Parent Advisory Committee Meeting

Tuesday, May 2, 2023 5:30-6:30pm

Ute Mountain Ute Recreation Center (Kitchen area)

Towaoc, Colorado

The Sunflower Theatre Troupe Presents...

DAYDREAMS & NIGHTMARES

FEATURING TWO ONE-ACT COMEDIES

The Actor's Nightmare

AND

The Man of Infinite Sadness

MAY 12-13, 19-20 7:00PM MAY 21 2:00PM

Sunflower Theatre

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8 East Main Street in downtown Cortez, CO

Tickets at sunflowertheatre.org





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SPECIAL OLYMPICS COLORADO

UNIFIED SCHOOLS MEET & GREET/TRAINING

Scan the QR Code to Register!





WEDNESDAY APRIL 26TH

6-8PM

Montezuma-Cortez High School 418 Sligo St, Cortez, CO 81321

LEARN ABOUT:

- Special Olympics School Programs
- Unified Partner/Peer Partner Training
- Inclusive Health & Youth Leadership

SNACKS AND LIGHT REFRESHMENTS WILL BE PROVIDED

For more information contact Seth Krebill skrebill@specialolympicsco.org



All Ages & Abilities are Invited Escalante Middle School 4:00 - 6:00 PM

Dancing
Snacks & Drinks
Games
AND MORE!



REGISTER/RSVP





Mesa Elementary Kindergarten Enrollment/ Meet and Greet

Monday April 24, 2023 5:00-7:00 pm



Kemper Kindergarten Information Night

Where: Kemper Elementary School 620 E Montezuma Ave.

When: Monday, April 24th 5-6 p.m.

If you have a child turning 5 years old by August 31, 2023 and live in the Kemper Elementary School District (you can check the M-CSD website by visiting www.cortez.k12.co.us to find your school area with your address), please join us. Students will meet the Kindergarten staff, receive a tour of the school and participate in a fun craft. Parents will get to meet with the Kemper administration to answer any questions.

If you have any questions please call: Kemper Elementary School 970-565-3737



GIRLS YOUTH BASKETBALL SKILLS CAMP

ALL PROCEEDS GO TO SUPPORT
OUR M-CHS HIGH SCHOOL GIRLS
BASKETBALL PROGRAM

CAMP DETAILS

JUNE 28 - JULY 1, 2023

\$40 PER

PARTICIPANT

3RD - 5TH GRADE
9:00 AM TO 11:00 AM
6TH-8TH GRADE
12:00 PM TO 2:30 PM
*GRADE IS BASED ON THE
2022-2023 SCHOOL YEAR*

CAMP INCLUDES

ALL PARTICIPANTS WILL RECEIVE
AN M-CHS PANTHERS
GIRLS BASKETBALL T-SHIRT WITH ADDITIONAL
AWARDS AND PRIZES.
COME JOIN US TO LEARN BASKETBALL
FUNDAMENTALS INCLUDING BALL HANDLING,
SHOOTING, MAN TO MAN DEFENSE, SCREENING.

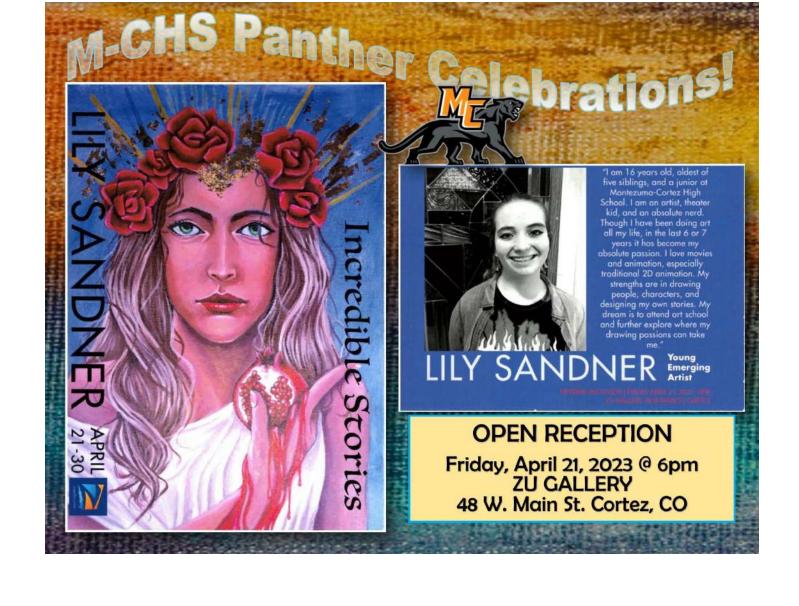
PASSING AND MORE.



SCAN ABOVE QR CODE TO FILL OUT REGISTRATION OR EMAIL COACHWRIGHT 45@GMAIL.COM

FOR QUESTIONS
PLEASE CALL COACH BRAD WRIGHT
@ (970)739-3245



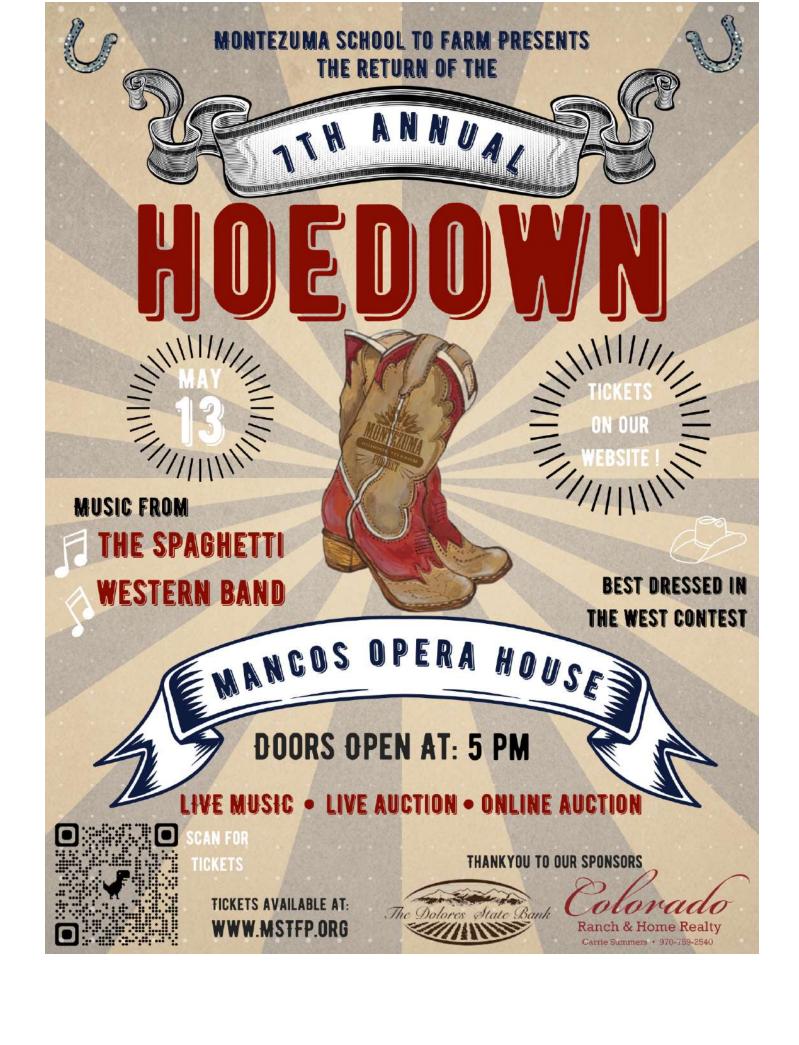


Zewis Arriola Elementary's Annual Hoedown



Lewis Arriola Community Center Saturday, April 29th, 2023

All-You-Can-Eat Chili Dinner - 4pm Dessert Auction & Silent Auction - 5pm Hoe Down Dance - 6pm Kids: \$3 Adults: \$5





Join Girl Scouts of Montezuma County for

Life Skills Day



Saturday, April 29 1 - 3:45 p.m.



Girls in grades K-12th (as of Fall 2023) are welcome!

Family friendly event featuring child centered lessons on...



Car care,
Baking,
Personal Finance,
and Sewing/Clothing repair



Montezuma County Annex Building 107 N. Chestnut Street Cortez, CO 81321 RSVP Today! Scan QR code



Suggested donation for entry one canned / nonperishable good per person Benefiting Good Samaritan Center

For questions regarding event, please contact Tressa Jukes at tressajukes@gmail.com

For questions about joining Girl Scouts, email Ashley.Virgin@gscolorado.org

Tuesday, April 25, 2023, 7 pm

Montezuma-Cortez High School Auditorium



Copper Street Brass

Join Copper Street Brass as they cover popular 70's music from three decades: the 1770's, 1870's, and 1970's! From the big wigs of Mozart to the big hair of STYX, music from the 70's is covered in a whole new way.



Tickets at the door and online at swcoloradoconcerts.org

\$25 individual \$5 youth/student

M-CHS Students, please see your Guidance Counselor enrollment options and approval!



SJC FILM CLASS:

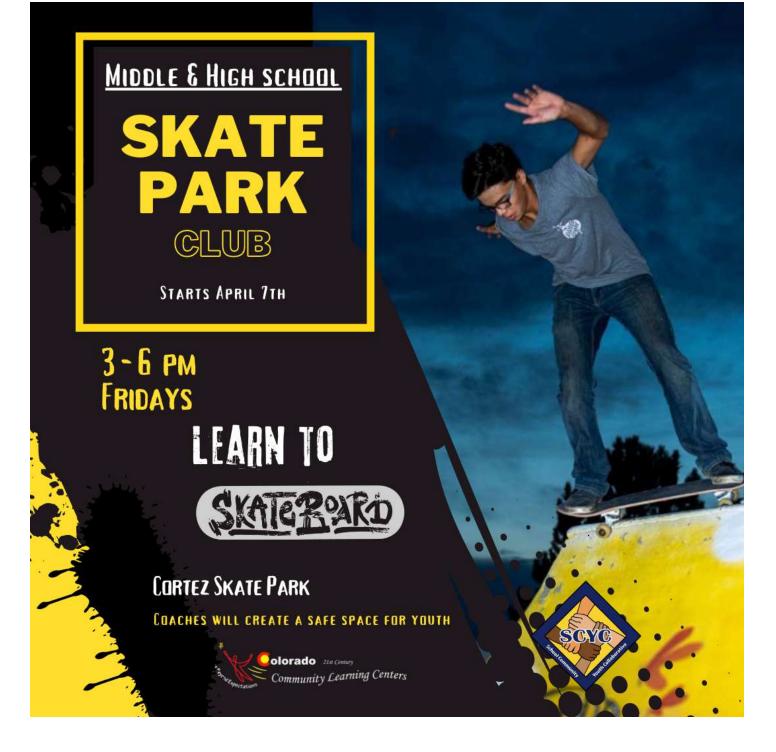
Students will examine the formal properties of film through four basic categories: history, genre, visual/composition design, and production processes.

FOR MORE INFO:

CONTACT PROFESSOR ERIC ARPELAR: ARPELARE@SANJUANCOLLEGE.EDU

OBJECTIVES:

- REVIEW FILMS
- MAKE SHORT FILMS
- BETTER FILM
 APPRECIATION
- PEER TO PEER COLLABORATION



CONGRATULATIONS PANTHERS!!!!









THE EXPERIENCE OF A LIFETIME

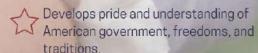
JUNE 15-20, 2023, NORTHEASTERN JR COLLEGE, STERLING

The American Legion Auxiliary Colorado Girls State program is a unique and exciting government-in-action learning program that encourages high school juniors to become empowered and knowledgeable leaders.

For information on ALA Colorado Girls State, visit us at

www.ALAColorado.com/Girls-State.html or contact your local American Legion Auxiliary Unit.

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:



Inspires young women of all backgrounds and interests to engage with our system of government.

Stimulates passion for the democratic processes within our republic and the brave individuals who fight for our freedoms.

Fosters confidence, growth, and lifelong friendships.

COME AND INTERN WITH US



SUMMER INTERN PROGRAM AT SHS!

10 interns will be accepted!



Apply Online!

Application Deadline - April 21st



INTERVIEWS

May 9th and 10th
A parent or guardian must
come to the interview



ORIENTATION DATE

June 1st 8am to 2pm

PROGRAM DATE

June 5th thru June 29th



END OF PROGRAM CELEBRATION

June 29th at TDB Parents will be invited



Southwest Memorial Hospital

APPLY NOW!



https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/SumerInternSHS

ROTATIONS

- Each intern will do 2-3 1/2 day rotations
- Rotations Monday Thursday

SKILLS ON THURSDAY'S

- Wound Care
- IV Starts
- Injections
- · And much more





DOLORES RIVER BOATING ADVOCATES



RIVER CAMP!

JUNE 6-10, 2023

OVERNIGHT CAMP (5 DAYS 4 NIGHTS)

ALONG THE WEST FORK OF THE DOLORES RIVER

RAFT FISH HIKE EXPLORE LEARN GROW

FREE TO INCOMING 1TH, 8TH, & 9TH GRADERS

IN MONTEZUMA AND DOLORES COUNTIES.

NO EXPERIENCE OR GEAR IS NECESSARY TO PARTICIPATE.

ALL GEAR, FOOD, AND ACTIVITIES ARE INCLUDED.



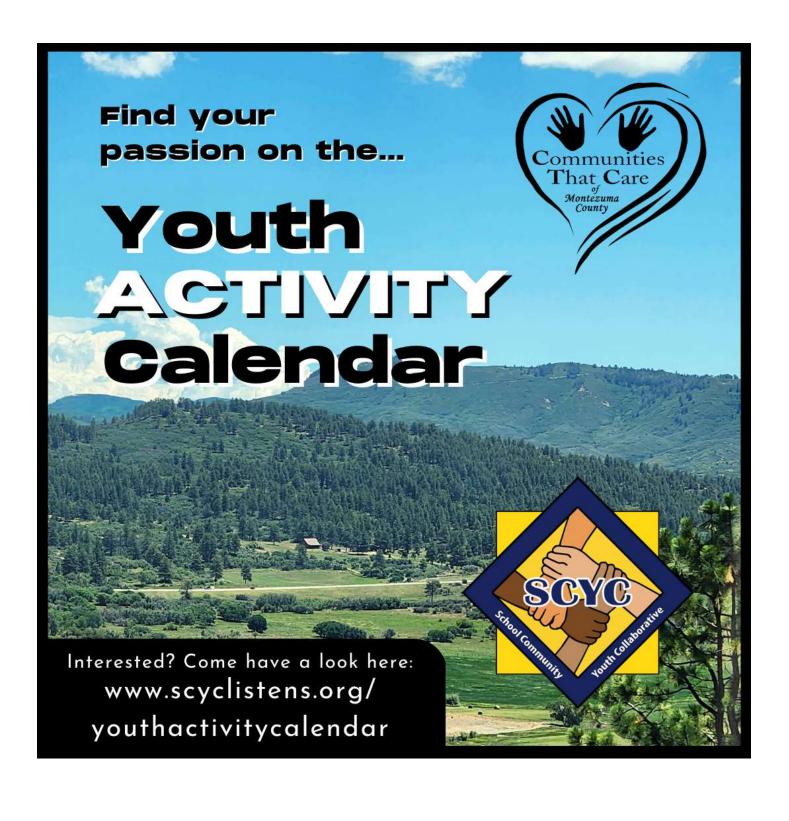
APPLY HERE!



A GREAT OPPORTUNITY TO BUILD FRIENDSHIPS & HAVE FUN OUTDOORS!

APPLY TODAY! SPACE IS LIMITED!

TO LEARN MORE CONTACT
ALANA@DOLORESRIVERBOATING.ORG 808-443-9250



TIMELINE

- Application Due: April 2, 2023
- Winner Announced: May 1, 2023

\$1,500 Scholarship

ABOUT THE COMPETITION

As an education company committed to preparing students for their future, DriveSafe Driving Schools celebrates educational opportunities and recognizes the importance of higher education in helping individuals reach their greatest potential.

To demonstrate our commitment, we are pleased to offer the DriveSafe Scholarship Competition, the winner of which will receive a \$1,500 college scholarship that can be used in anyway to enhance your education.

SUBMISSIONS:

For a submission to be considered, it must include a completed application form and qualifying entry. Submissions must be received by 11:59 PM MST on Sunday, April 2, 2023.

RULES

For complete rules, application information, and to submit entries go to:

DriveSafeColorado.com/scholarship

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

- Must be a Colorado high school student or graduate with plans to further their education.
- For video submissions, you must include #DriveSafeScholarship and a link to DriveSafeColorado.com/scholarship



2022-2023 SCHOLARSHIP COMPETITION

SCHOLARSHIP TOPIC

HOW HAS LEARNING TO DRIVE HELPED YOU IN WAYS YOU DIDN'T EXPECT?

Students must complete the application and submit an essay (250-500 words in length) or video (4 minutes or less) that addresses the scholarship topic.





Questions? Call 720-741-8286 or email Scholarships@BaronEd.com



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Spring League 2023

U4-U6-U8-U10-U12

April 10th - May 19th 2023

Registration open February 1st - March 13th.

www.tricitysoccer.com



Practice and Games at Parque de Vida in Cortez,CO

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- Create community & make connections
- Explore exciting career opportunities





Learn more here:















Fee: Only a \$25 deposit if accepted to the program (Fee can be waived)

Contact: Tori.Anderson@colostate.edu





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4-10 June 2023

To apply online, visit us at

www.CoLegionBoysState.org



Preorder your yearbook now, from January to the end of May for a cost of \$55!



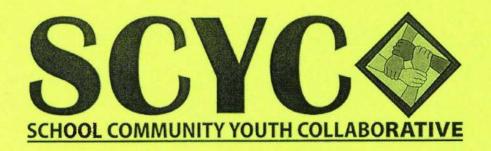
After May, yearbooks will cost \$65

Go to

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After School Tutoring

ALL Core Subjects – English, Math, Science, Social Studies

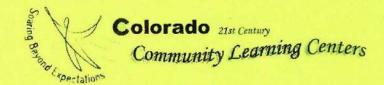
Tuesday & Wednesday 4:15 – 5:15pm

- English Mr. Reese, Room # 2207 Tuesday
- English Ms. Buys, Room # 2204 Wednesday
- Math Mrs. Mares Room # 1102 Wednesday
- Math Mr. Tamminga, Room # 1105 Tuesday
- Science Mr. Martinez, Room # 2105 T & W
- Social Studies-Ms. Reynolds, Room #1207 T&W

Transportation is available to central locations

Towaoc Students to the Travel Center

PREPARE TO GRADUATE – TRANSITION & SUCCEED





SCHOLARSHIP

UPDATES

Scan the QR code below to access continuous up-to-date scholarship information!





FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT
THE COUNSELING OFFICE AT 970-565-3722 X2129

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CALENDAR

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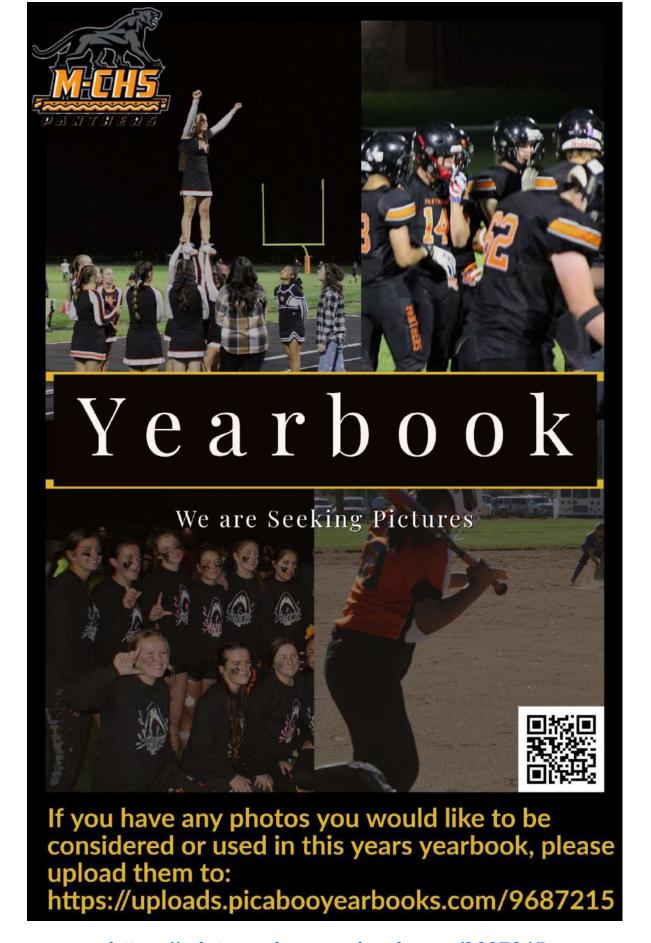




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Youth Activity Calendar



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THE PANTHER CHEFS

ARE OPEN FOR BUSINESS!

Having a business breakfast, lunch or dinner? We can help!

Contact Us! Email: mchspantherchefs@gmail.com





How Sick is Too Sick?

When Children and Staff Should Stay Home from School or Child Care

Evaluation of a sick child must consider which diseases are currently circulating among students, staff, and the community. Known exposure to cases or an outbreak of a contagious disease (including but not limited to those listed here), even without a confirmed diagnosis, may necessitate more stringent return to school requirements.

During Colorado's ongoing response to the COVID-19 pandemic, children and staff who have symptoms consistent with COVID-19 should receive testing, and follow the COVID-19 isolation guidance until testing is completed or if they test positive. If the individual tests negative for COVID-19, the individual should then follow the recommendations for their disease or symptoms using the below guidance.

There are four main reasons to keep children and adults at home:

- The child or staff is at risk of infecting others with COVID-19 or another contagious illness, either because of symptoms or recent close contact.
- The child or staff member does not feel well enough to take part in usual activities. For example, a child is overly tired, fussy or will not stop crying.
- A child needs more care than teachers and staff can give while still caring for the other children.
- The child or staff member has symptoms or an illness is on this list, and staying home is required.





Limit phone use while you're driving — turn it off if necessary. Even hands-free calling and voice texting may increase the risk of an accident.



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04/02/23 05/20/23 10 am - 2 pm

To Enroll:

Call: (720) 576-0957

Email: DeborahH@BaronEd.com







To view all M-CHS calendar events, go to our website calendar at the link below: https://www.cortez.k12.co.us/our-schools/mchs/calendar