



# Mangham Elementary

"Preparing All Students for Academic Success"

## Dragon Notes

Sept/Oct/Nov 2020

### For Your Information:

#### Returning to School

Beginning Oct. 5, all face-to-face students will return to school. To minimize possible COVID outbreaks, MES is committed to providing a safe learning environment given the circumstances. We will continue to wear masks in grades 3-5, clean and disinfect our school and encourage our students to social distance. Classrooms will be set up in "pods" of 2-4 students and these students will sit together in every class to minimize the chances of coming in contact with a positive case.

#### COVID-19 Information

Students with a fever should not come to school. We will continue to check temperatures in the morning and throughout the day. We will send home anyone with a fever of 99.6 or higher. Any students, who are sent home with a fever or stay home because of a fever, should not return to school until they are fever free without medication for 24 hours. This will be strictly enforced this year.

Students who have been in close contact with someone who shows signs of COVID or has tested positive for COVID should not come to school and the parents should contact the school. This is very important in the effort to keep MES open and safe!



#### School Improvement

MES teachers will focus on differentiated instruction again this year. Differentiated instruction is the practice of modifying and adapting instruction, materials, content, student projects, and assessment to meet the learning needs of individual students.

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#### Upcoming Events

Oct 7	Fall Pictures (face to face)
Oct 8	Fall Pictures (RVA)
Oct 9	Parent/Teacher Conferences
Oct 19	PTO Meeting 5:30 pm
Oct 28	Progress Reports
Oct 31	Trunk or Treat

Nov 3	No School Election Day
Nov 11	No School Veterans Day
Nov 18	End of 2 <sup>nd</sup> Six Weeks
Nov 20	Report Card Distribution
Nov 23	Thanksgiving Holidays (Nov 23-27)

#### PTO Fundraiser

October 5<sup>th</sup> is the starting day for our PTO fundraiser! This fundraiser brings in funds to pay for the dragon store, treats, award's day trophies, AR brag tags, etc. Students who sell items can bring their tickets to school for cool "cowabunga" backpack clip-ons. We will also offer a magic show and the limo ride again this year. The sale will start Oct. 5<sup>th</sup> and will end on Oct. 19<sup>th</sup>. Money and order forms are due from Oct. 20<sup>th</sup> though Oct. 23<sup>rd</sup>.

Trunk or Treat: Oct 31<sup>st</sup> 5:30-6:30  
Mangham Baptist Church and Winnsboro State Bank parking lots.

MES PTO will again partner with Mangham First Baptist and the town of Mangham to provide a safe alternative to door to door trick or treating. We ask that participants wear masks and practice social distancing.

