

BOE: Superintendent's Report

October 13, 2022



Knowing Students - Supporting the Whole Child - Ensuring Deep Learning

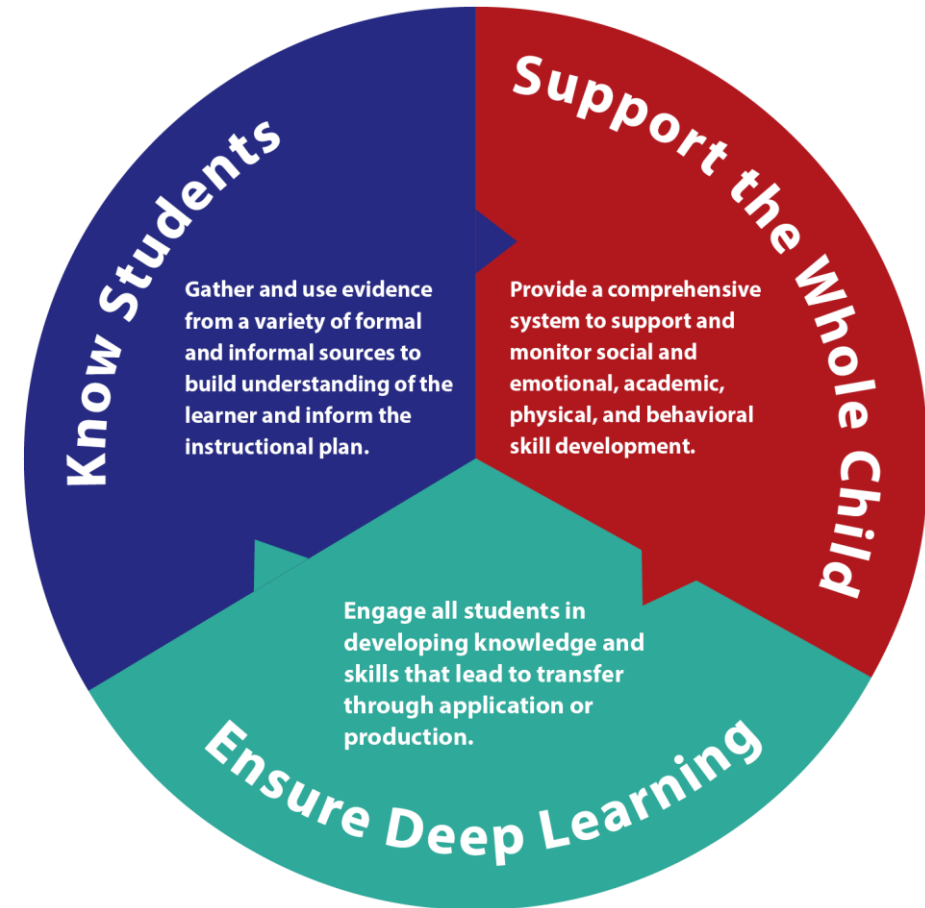
It is the **Mission** of the Mansfield Public Schools, in partnership with the Mansfield community, to ensure that each and every child develops the knowledge, skills, and dispositions essential for civic engagement and personal excellence in learning, life, and work within our local and global community.

PORTRAIT OF THE GRADUATE
MANSFIELD PUBLIC SCHOOLS



Core Beliefs

-  Lead with **EQUITY**.
-  Develop the whole **CHILD**.
-  Ensure **ACTIVE** learning.
-  Build **PARTNERSHIPS**.
-  Prepare **GLOBAL** citizens.
-  Grow **EDUCATORS**.





Superintendent's Report



Knowing Students - Developing the Whole Child - Ensuring Deep Learning



Professional Learning 10/11/22

- Teacher Leaders
- SEL Trauma Informed Practices
- Curriculum Planning
- Goal Setting



Building Partnerships

Diversity, Equity, & Inclusion Advisory Team

- Meets to monitor Development Plan, Equity Audit work
- Subcommittee Work: Juneteenth Celebration, Calendars/Holidays, Inclusive/Welcoming Facilities

Family Advisory Group

- First Tuesday in Each Month
- Open Agenda
- Provides Feedback (Calendar Proposals, MES Move-In)



Transportation Updates

- Improvement in Ride Times, Communication, Routing
- Increase in consistency with Buses and Drivers
- Continued Focus on Efficiencies with Routes & Procedures
- Using GPS to Assist in Routing and Communication
- RFP for Technology to Help Families Track Buses
- Established Protocols for when Buses are NOT running
- Proposed Policy
- Driver Incentives



October 1, 2022 Enrollment Report

1,039

Resident Students

1,025

Enrolled PreK-Grade 8 in MPS

11

Magnet Students

3

Out of District Students

Resident Student Enrollment

Year	District	Magnet Schools	Outplaced	Total
2018-19	1140	8	3	1151
2019-20	1130	14	3	1147
2020-21	1038	11	4	1053
2021-22	996	7	3	1006
2022-23	1025	11	3	1039

School	October 1, 2022 Enrollment
MES	561
MMS	464
Total	1025

October 1, 2022 Enrollment by Grade

Grade	Enrollment 2022			GRAND TOTAL
	MES @ Goodwin	MES @ Vinton	MMS	
PreK		66		
K		95		
1		110		
2	104			
3	97			
4	89			
5			103	
6			114	
7			121	
8			126	
TOTAL	290	271	464	1025



10 Year Enrollment Data

	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
MES @ GN	201	220	207	200	176	185	191	168	152	290
MES @ SE	242	242	242	227	180	183	161	153	161	N/A
MES @ VN	258	260	269	254	232	220	226	196	209	271
MES Total	701	722	718	681	588	588	578	517	522	561
MMS	547	520	530	533	546	552	552	521	474	464
Dist. Total	1248	1242	1248	1214	1134	1140	1130	1038	996	1025



MES Class Sizes

Classrooms	PreK	K	1	2	3	4
1	12	16	19	17	20	16
2	11	17	19	17	19	15
3	11	16	18	17	19	16
4	12	16	18	18	19	15
5	9	14	18	18	20	14
6	11	16	18	17		13
BOE Guidelines	N/A	14-18	14-18	14-18	14-18	16-20
Total: 561	66	95	110	104	97	89

Below Class Size Guidelines
Above Class Size Guidelines



MMS Class Sizes

Grade 5	Class Size	BOE Guidelines
Reading	16, 16, 16, 15, 15, 14, 7, 4	16-20
Language Arts	19, 18, 16, 16, 15, 14, 4, 1	16-20
Math	18, 16, 16, 14, 14, 10, 8, 4	16-20
Science	18, 18, 18, 18, 16, 15	16-20
Social Studies	19, 19, 18, 16, 15, 14, 2	16-20
Spanish	12, 9	16-20
French	16, 12	16-20
Latin	14, 13	16-20
Art	14, 12	16-20
Life & Consumer Sciences	15, 13	16-20
Technology Education	13, 10	16-20
Music	14, 12	16-20
Physical Education	18, 18, 18, 17, 16, 16	16-20
TOTAL	794	

Grade 6	Class Size	BOE Guidelines
Reading	23, 22, 17, 16, 16, 15, 7, 1, 1	21-23
Language Art	24, 22, 16, 16, 15, 14, 6, 1	21-23
Math	25, 17, 17, 16, 15, 15, 6, 1	21-23
Science	23, 20, 19, 19, 19, 14	21-23
Social Studies	21, 20, 19, 18, 17, 14, 1	21-23
Spanish	14, 14	21-23
French	13, 10	21-23
Latin	15, 10	21-23
Art	15, 15	21-23
Life & Consumer Sciences	15, 13	21-23
Technology Education	15, 13	21-23
Music	15, 13	21-23
Physical Education	20, 19, 19, 19, 18	21-23
TOTAL	872	

Grade 7	Class Size	BOE Guidelines
Literature	23, 22, 21, 19, 16, 16, 2, 2, 1	21-23
Language Arts	21, 21, 20, 20, 19, 16, 2, 2	21-23
Math	21, 18, 17, 15, 13, 13, 12, 6, 2, 2	21-23
Science	23, 22, 21, 19, 18, 18, 1	21-23
Social Studies	23, 23, 21, 19, 18, 17, 1	21-23
Spanish	19, 17	21-23
French	17, 11	21-23
Latin	11, 10	21-23
Art	16, 15	21-23
Life & Consumer Sciences	16, 15	21-23
Technology Education	16, 14	21-23
Music	15, 15	21-23
Physical Education	30, 29, 20, 16, 14, 12	21-23
TOTAL	934	

Grade 8	Class Size	BOE Guidelines
Literature	19, 17, 17, 17, 15, 15, 14, 7, 5, 4, 1, 1	21-23
Language Arts	20, 17, 16, 16, 15, 14, 14, 8, 5, 1	21-23
Math	28, 20, 15, 14, 13, 12, 11, 9, 5, 1	21-23
Science	21, 19, 18, 18, 18, 16, 14	21-23
Social Studies	20, 20, 18, 16, 16, 16, 15, 1	21-23
Spanish	18, 14	21-23
French	16, 10	21-23
Latin	15, 14	21-23
Art	17, 15	21-23
Life & Consumer Sciences	16, 16	21-23
Technology Education	16, 15	21-23
Music	16, 15	21-23
Physical Education	28, 28, 20, 19, 16, 15	21-23
TOTAL	971	

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Enrollment Data

- Annual Enrollment/Demographic Study Peter Prowda Dec 2022
- 39 additional Elementary Students
- Decrease of 10 MMS Students
- Magnet Enrollment Returned to Typical Averages
- No Change in Out Placements
- Overall at or below BOE Class Size Guidelines
 - Grade 3
 - Grade 6/7 PE
 - MMS Grades 6/8 Math ELA



Flexibility Waiver Teacher Evaluation Plan 22-23

- The State Department of Education is allowing some flexibility in the educator evaluation plan for the current school year (22-23).

Student Outcomes and Achievement – request a waiver to allow for goals to focus on social and emotional learning for students; student engagement; engaging families; cultural responsiveness; and/or academic achievement.

Consistent with District Plan for 20-21 and 21-22



MMS Assistant Principal Danielle Vliet

- “...a dynamic and collaborative administrator...”
- Ellington Interim AP, IT Specialist, 8th Grade Social Studies Teacher, Athletic Director
- BA St John Fisher College in History/Education
- Masters Boise State University in Educational Technology
- 6th Year Certificate CCSU Educational Leadership





Food Service Director Maraiah Popeleski-Tilley

- “...well organized, passionate about people and food...”
- Operational Manager, Head Chef, Director of Dining Services, Director of Nutrition Services, Dietitian, General Manager
- WIC, CLiCK, Thames Valley Council for Community Action, Unidine/Compass, Not Only Juice, Middlesex Hospital
- BS Johnson & Wales, Dietetic Internship Certificate UCONN, Institute for Integrative Nutrition Certified Health Coach





MMS German Exchange Program

Mansfield Middle School: German Exchange Program Year 28

20 Students & 2 Certified Staff Chaperones

- 10 x 7th graders
- 10 x 8th graders
- Laura Hunter (6th Grade Teacher)
- Louis Goffinet (7th Grade Teacher)

Proposed Dates: March 4th - March 25th, 2023

Program Highlights:

- 3 weeks of immersion in German culture and day-to-day life
- Unique opportunities to visit historical sites including:
 - Bergen-Belsen Concentration Camp
 - Historic Berlin
 - Marienburg Castle
 - Much more!
- Developing lifelong relationships

Costs:

Family / Student Share (~\$2000 per student):

- Flight (refundable, coordinated by travel agency).
- All field trips, including transportation and overnight accommodations.
- Transportation to/from Logan International Airport in Boston.
- Meals while on field trips (other meals covered by host families).

** Payment assistance (in the form of lengthened payment plans, or partial/full payment reduction) is made possible by the fund balance in this fund account.



Mansfield
Middle School



MMS German Exchange Program

Proposed Itinerary

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
3-5 Flight Arrival (BOS - HAJ) Welcome Party at Gymnasium Sarstedt	3-6 Scavenger Hunt in Sarstedt	3-7 Swimming at local pool (indoor water park)	3-8 Bergen-Belsen Concentration Camp	3-9 Welcoming Party	3-10 Trip to <u>Eckernforde</u> (Baltic Sea coast)	3-11 Trip to Eckernforde (Baltic Sea coast)
3-12 Time with Host Family	3-13 School Day	3-14 School Day	3-15 School Day	3-16 Field Games (like a Field Day) in "Park of Senses"	3-17 Marienburg Castle Trip	3-18 Time with Host Family
3-19 Time with Host Family	3-20 Trip to Luneburg	3-21 School Day	3-22 Trip to Berlin	3-23 School Day	3-24 Farewell Party	3-25 Departure (HAJ - BOS)

Weekdays without planned trips are spent fully immersed in the German school day.

Students are responsible for completing schoolwork while abroad, and have scheduled support to do so.



New Building Project Updates

- Continued Progress
- Tracking Critical Path Issues
 - Site Work (Parking Lot/Driveway, Seeding/Planting)
 - Flooring
 - Mechanicals
 - Finish Work (sheet rock, paint, ceiling, etc.)
- Waiting to Set Move-In Date Until 100% Guaranteed



Process of Moving to MES

- Substantial Completion/Certificate of Occupancy (CO)
- Staff Training
- Family Visitation
- Grade Level Field Trips
- Move Materials
- Set Up
- Soft/Staggered Opening



MMS Roof Project Updates

- Roofing 100% Completed
- Working w/ Vendor to Remedy Leaks
- Solar Voltaic Panels Installed
- Waiting on Electrical Equipment Associated w/ New Generator



New Business:

Incentives for Transportation Service Providers

Longevity/Retention Incentive for Current Full Time/Part Time Drivers

Hiring Incentive for Licensed and Non-Licensed Drivers

97% Attendance; In Good Standing; 3 Incentive Payment Periods

- 12 full-time (AM & PM) drivers @ \$2,250 each = \$27,000.00
- 3 part-time (AM OR PM) drivers @ \$1,125 each = \$3,375.00
- 3 licensed drivers hired @ \$1,000 each = \$3,000.00
- 2 presently in training licensed by 11/15/22 @ \$500 each = \$1,000

Total Credits from vendor for July, Aug, Sept \$21,000

Anticipate additional credits for Oct/Nov (approx. \$14,000)