Dear Myers-Ganoung Families,

Welcome Back! As the new principal of Myers/Ganoung I am looking forward to a great year. I would like to welcome all new and returning families to Myers/Ganoung. I look forward to working with each one of you. I am thrilled to be part of a team comprised of teachers, students, staff, and parents who want to achieve great things! Your partnership and support are key elements to ensuring that we are able to maximize each student’s educational and personal development. Our talented faculty brings a diverse set of approaches to instruction in order to address a variety of learning styles. Please join us on August 22nd for our Open House. You will have an opportunity to visit your child’s classroom and learn about the grade level curriculum, programs and supports offered at Myers/Ganoung.

Teacher and staff have been working very hard on reiterating our PBIS( Positive Behavior Intervention Support ) message.

- Be Safe
- Be Responsible
- Be Respectful
- Be Kind

Please consider being part of our Family Engagement Community Team, which aids in the implementation of activities that affects students.

- Please see Melissa regarding ParentVue and how to access your child or children's information.
- Our Family Computer is located in the main office and is available to help with lunch applications, ParentVue, and many other resources.

One last note, please have your child(ren) at school everyday and on time because when your child(ren) is in school we can provide many rewarding experiences for your child(ren) -our students. Thank you for your continued support and opportunity to work with your child (ren).To report an absence please call Melissa at 548-6702

Finally, at Myers/Ganoung we believe we are building a community of learners and we encourage you to learn and grow with us.

Peace,

Megan Stefanek
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KINDS KIDS LUNCHEON

We will recognize our monthly Kind Kid Ambassador on Friday, August 30th. Students will have the option to eat pizza for lunch as well as the opportunity to participate in fun filled games and activities. Students are selected based on our 4 B’s and our character trait of the month—Empathy. August’s Kind Kids Luncheon will be on Friday, August 30th. The character trait for August is Empathy.

SCHOOL SAFETY – A Proactive Measure.

School safety is always a priority for any school. Fire drills—will be conducted on a monthly basis. Lock downs— we will have two a year. One in the fall and the second one in the spring.

PARENT LINK NEWS

Parents, please make sure to update your contact information with our office and health office. Also, we use Parent Link to inform you of upcoming events and emergency situations.

“BE …” Classroom/Library/Computer Lab

BE SAFE

- Always walk
- Use materials and equipment properly
- Sit correctly

BE RESPONSIBLE

- Do your personal best
- Complete and turn in all your homework
- Be actively engaged
- Work cooperatively

BE RESPECTFUL

- Speak softly
- Wait your turn
- Honor personal space

BE KIND

- Encourage others
- Invite others to join
- Offer to help

KEEPING OUR STUDENTS “SAFE”

You are always welcome to visit our school, however, the safety of ALL our students is our priority and in order to ensure their safety we have placed routines in place and we ask you to please support us in implementing the following procedures:

♦ Before you visit any part of our school you must sign in at the front office.

♦ In the morning please drop off your child(ren) to either in the cafeteria or playground. Please do not wait by the classroom.

♦ In the afternoon, students will be dismissed to the west side of the building, (Santa Rosa Rd.) Please wait for your child(ren) OUTSIDE by the ramada/basketball court, you may not wait in the hallways.

♦ The parking lot on St. Andrew is strictly for staff and handicap.

Thank you for your understanding and support.

COUNSELOR’S CORNER

Conversation starters to improve your relationship with your child and reinforce school’s importance:

Let’s see what you brought home
Who are your friends?
Show me what you have for homework.
Describe a book you enjoyed today?
Tell me what you learned that you’d like to know more about?
What made you laugh?
How were you kind today?
Was there anyone kind to you? How?
What are you looking forward?

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