

# PANTHER PAWPRINTS

MARCH 30TH VIRTUAL EDITION 2020

## Principal's Message

Dear Margate Friends and Family,

We miss seeing all of our panthers each and everyday. We know that this is a difficult time for everyone as all work through a new normal. Our prayer is that all of our Margate families are safe and healthy. We know that this time is full of anxiety, worry and stress. We are here to help.

Our school will be virtually opening on Monday, March 30th. We will be communicating through our parent link

system and our student's single sign-on. Items and information will be posted to our school website. Please click on the Virtual School Link. Please don't hesitate to reach out for support and assistance. We love you Margate Family and we know that together we will all get through this time.



**WE ARE ALL STARS**

Thomas J. Schroeder  
**Principal**

Vicki B. Flournoy  
**Assistant Principal**

Our mission at Margate Elementary School is to create a nurturing environment so that our students will become independent, successful, life-long learners by providing a high quality, differentiated, and innovative curriculum based on the Florida State Standards.

**6300 NW 18th Street**  
**Margate, Florida 33063**  
**Phone Number:**  
**754-322-6900**

### Starting Monday, March 30

Get to school

- 1 - Go to [sso.browardschools.com](https://sso.browardschools.com)

Enter school

- 2 - Sign-In, with student number & password/PIN, to get to your personalized LaunchPad

Get to class

- 3 - Clicking on Canvas tile
- 4 - Using the "Courses" button on the left-hand edge

Enter class

- 5 - Read any of your teacher's announcements at the top of the page and then look for your assignments below.

Teacher Interaction

- 6 - Will be provided using live video conferencing, prerecorded video, and Canvas messaging. Each teacher will provide specific directions.

What about other support services?

Broward County Public Schools will be providing services, with modifications, to students and families during the period of physical distancing. These include:

- Exceptional Student Education
- Bilingual/ESOL
- School Counseling and BRACE Advisement
- Social Work Family Counseling, and Family & Community Engagement

Further information will be posted within Canvas and on departmental websites at [browardschools.com](https://browardschools.com), and on individual school websites.

Further updates will be issued regularly at [browardschools.com/coronavirus/](https://browardschools.com/coronavirus/)

**School Website: <https://margateelem.browardschools.com>**

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## Calendar of Events

**Monday, March 30th:** Virtual School Begins; Margate Show Posted on Website

**Thursday, April 2nd:** International Wear Autism Day, Wear Blue and Post Pictures to Your Class Canvas or Email Your Teacher, Let's Show Our Love and Support



**Friday, April 3rd:** Margate School-Wide Show Posted on Website; Quarter 3 Ends

**Monday, April 6th:** Quarter 4 Begins



If you have Facebook or Twitter, please make sure to like our school's Margate Elementary Facebook and our PTA Private Facebook Page. With our virtual school opening, this will be another venue to communicate information and share updates.

Pre-Order a copy of your 2019-2020 All Star Yearbooks. They are now on sale for \$25. You can purchase a yearbook from our PTA online. There are also well-wishers and ads available for purchase. Additional information is available on our website or through our PTA.

**ORDER YOUR**  
*Yearbook*

### Surveys! We Need Your Input!

We need your input and feedback. Please complete the following two surveys:

**Annual Customer Survey:**  
**Survey Ends: April 9, 2020**  
<https://eprovesurveys.advanced.org/surveys/#/action/130076/p568>



### FSA/End of the Year

Governor Desantis has suspended all state testing for the 19-20 school year due to the Coronavirus Pandemic.





# Margate Elementary Office Hours Schedule



Mr. Schroeder, Principal ([Thomas.Schroeder@browardschools.com](mailto:Thomas.Schroeder@browardschools.com)) or 754-322-6900  
 Ms. Flournoy, Assistant Principal ([Vicki.Flournoy@browardschools.com](mailto:Vicki.Flournoy@browardschools.com)) or 754-322-6900

Name	Grade Level/ Subject	Online Platform	Office Hours
Ms. Peterson/Robbins	VPK	Canvas	9:00 am – 12:00 pm
Ms. Vernon/Stone	PreK	Canvas	9:00 am – 12:00 pm
Ms. Bejune/Robinson	PreK	Canvas	9:00 am – 12:00 pm
Kindergarten Teachers	Kindergarten	Canvas	9:00 am – 12:00 pm
1st Grade Teachers	1 <sup>st</sup> Grade	Canvas	9:00 am – 12:00 pm
2 <sup>nd</sup> Grade Teachers	2 <sup>nd</sup> Grade	Canvas	9:00 am – 12:00 pm
Ms. Vernon (2 <sup>nd</sup> Gr.)	2 <sup>nd</sup> Grade	Canvas	9:30 am – 12:30 pm
Ms. Forrester	K-1 ASD Cluster	Canvas	9:00 am – 12:00 pm
Ms. Muhammad	2-3 ASD Cluster	Canvas	9:00 am – 12:00 pm
3 <sup>rd</sup> Grade Teachers	3 <sup>rd</sup> Grade	Canvas	10:00 am – 1:00 pm
4 <sup>th</sup> Grade Teachers	4 <sup>th</sup> Grade	Canvas	10:00 am – 1:00 pm
5 <sup>th</sup> Grade Teachers	5 <sup>th</sup> Grade	Canvas	10:00 am – 1:00 pm
Ms. Velasquez	Dual Language	Canvas	10:00 am – 1:00 pm
Ms. Pagley	Art Special	Canvas	9:00 am – 12:00 pm
Mr. DiGregorio	Music Special	Canvas	9:00 am – 12:00 pm
Mr. Decesare	P.E. Special	Canvas	9:00 am – 12:00 pm
Mr. Hameister	Physical Activity Special	Canvas	9:00 am – 12:00 pm
Ms. Tolmach	Math Special	Canvas	9:00 am – 12:00 pm
Ms. Mills	Math Coach	Canvas	10:00 am – 1:00 pm
Ms. Moore	Literacy Coach	Canvas	10:00 am – 1:00 pm
Mr. Bass	ESE Specialist	Canvas	10:00 am – 1:00 pm
Mr. Rothman	Resource/Technology	Canvas	10:00 am – 1:00 pm
Ms. Belfer	Guidance Counselor	Canvas	10:00 am – 1:00 pm
Ms. Hameister	ESE Support	Canvas	10:00 am – 1:00 pm
Ms. Reisner	ESE Support	Canvas	10:00 am – 1:00 pm
Ms. Messinger	ESE Support	Canvas	10:00 am – 1:00 pm
Ms. Carlisle	ESE Support	Canvas	10:00 am – 1:00 pm
Ms. Edwards	SLP Support	Canvas	10:00 am – 1:00 pm
Ms. Miller	ASD Coach	Canvas	10:00 am – 1:00 pm

**All staff can be reached by email through our school website:**  
<http://margateelem.browardschools.com>

