## **Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Montessori Academy**

"A Public Montessori Magnet School"

# **Upcoming Events & Reminders**



## Mark your Calendars!!

<u> March 2021</u>

Tuesday-Friday 9<sup>th</sup>-11 3<sup>rd</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> Mock Assessment Math

Tuesday-Friday 16<sup>th</sup>-18<sup>th</sup> 3<sup>rd</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> Mock Assessment ELA 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade Mid-Year Primary Assessment

Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> Early Release Day

Friday 19<sup>th</sup> Teacher Planning Day

Monday-Friday 22<sup>nd</sup>-26<sup>th</sup> Spring Break

Monday 29<sup>th</sup> School Resumes

#### **April 2021**

Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> Day Off Good Friday

Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> 4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> Grade FSA Writing! All students Face-to-Face

Tuesday-Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup>-21<sup>st</sup> 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade FSA ELA All students Face-to-Face

May 2021 3<sup>rd</sup>-28<sup>th</sup> FSA Testing Continues! All students Face-to-Face

## **Instructional News**



## "Let's Get to the "B"! FSA Testing!!

Florida Standards Assessment (FSA) Administration &

<u>Schedule 2021</u>								
Grade Level	Writing Test	Writing Make- up	ELA Test	ELA Make-Up	Math Test	Math Make- Up	Science Test	Science Make- Up
3rd			April 20 <sup>th</sup> April 21 <sup>st</sup>	April 22 <sup>nd</sup> April 23 <sup>rd</sup>	May 11 <sup>th</sup> May 12 <sup>th</sup>	May 13 <sup>th</sup> May 14 <sup>th</sup>		
4 <sup>th</sup>	April 20th	April 21st	May 4 <sup>th</sup> May 5 <sup>th</sup>	May 6 <sup>th</sup> May 7 <sup>th</sup>	May 11 <sup>th</sup> May 12 <sup>th</sup>	May 13 <sup>th</sup> May 14 <sup>th</sup>		
5 <sup>th</sup>	April 20 <sup>th</sup>	April 21st	May 4 <sup>th</sup> May 5 <sup>th</sup>	May 6 <sup>th</sup> May 7 <sup>th</sup>	May 11 <sup>th</sup> May 12 <sup>th</sup>	May 13 <sup>th</sup> May 14 <sup>th</sup>	May 18 <sup>th</sup> May 19 <sup>th</sup>	May 20 <sup>th</sup> May 21 <sup>st</sup>

### Hello MLK families,

Thank you for your support throughout this most difficult school year! You have been there through all the changes, surveys and communications sent! During these unprecedented times, teaching and learning has been our primary focus at Dr. MLK. We have seen mark improvements in scholars and want to thank you for that partnership.

Please continue to support our virtual scholars at home and scheduling conferences with your child's teacher to see what you can do at home to get them ready for **testing season**.

Spring 2021 FSA will be Face-to-Face only! ALL STUDENTS will need to report to brick and mortar on testing days. Please review all schedules and communications to prepare your child for these most important assessments and safety protocols at school. Information is also on our website!

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Mrs. Briana Ashley Assistant Principal

Ms. Mitshuca B. Moreau Principal



Mark your calendars for the upcoming Food Pantry distribution dates: March 19<sup>th</sup>, April 23<sup>rd</sup>, and May 19<sup>th</sup>. Distributions start at 4:30 until 6:00 PM in front of the Media Center.

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## Student Drop Off/Pick Up

Due to these unique times, we ask that everyone follow the directions below:

<b>"Dr. MLK Face-to-Face</b> FSA Testing Spring 2021 Breakfast & Lunch Available						
Virtual Students Only	Bus Loop Parking Lot					
Grades 3-5	Cafeteria Building Drop Off/Pick Up					
<u><b>3</b>rd <b>Grade</b></u> Ms. Williams's Virtual Class April 20 <sup>th</sup> -21 <sup>st</sup> ELA May 11 <sup>th</sup> -12 <sup>th</sup> Math	<b>Drop off:</b> 7:45 AM Testing Daily: 9:00-11:00 AM <b>Pick up:</b> 11:30 AM, immediately after testing <b>or</b> 3:00 PM, dismissal time					
<u><b>4</b><sup>th</sup> Grade</u> Ms. Barrington's Virtual Class April 20 <sup>th</sup> Writing May 4 <sup>th</sup> -5 <sup>th</sup> ELA May 11 <sup>th</sup> -12 <sup>th</sup> Math	Drop off: 7:45 AM Testing Daily: 9:00-11:00 AM <u>Pick up:</u> 11:30 AM, immediately after testing or 3:00 PM, dismissal time					
5 <sup>th</sup> Grade Mrs. Foreman's Virtual Class April 20 <sup>th</sup> May 4 <sup>th</sup> -5 <sup>th</sup> ELA May 11 <sup>th</sup> -12 <sup>th</sup> Math May 18 <sup>th</sup> -19 <sup>th</sup> Science	Drop off: 7:45 AM Testing Daily: 9:00-11:00 AM <u>Pick up:</u> 11:30 AM, immediately after testing or 3:00PM, dismissal time					



The health and safety of all BCPS students and staff are among the District's highest priorities. The District has deployed personal protective equipment, signage and electrostatic sprayers to all schools to assist with ensuring a safe and secure learning environment for students and teachers.

Additionally, the District has instituted many new health and safety procedures in all facilities in response to COVID-19:

- Face Coverings Policy All students, employees, visitors and vendors are required to wear face coverings, unless medically exempt.
- Furniture has been arranged to allow for appropriate physical distancing in classrooms and common areas.
- Signage (e.g. signs, posters, easels, floor stickers, A-frames, etc.) has been posted in highly visible locations throughout school campuses and District facilities to promote protective measures (including physical distancing) and the important role we all play in preventing the spread of COVID-19.
- Plexiglass shields have been placed in areas with greatest visitor or person-to- person interaction (e.g., reception area, guidance, media center, cafeteria cashier).
- All schools have also received a supply of Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) including face coverings, gloves, gowns and hand sanitizer. Hand sanitizer is placed at the entrance of every school and in each classroom for student and teacher use.
- All schools have established an Isolation Room separate from the regular clinic and each school is funded for a healthcare professional to oversee the Isolation Room.
- All BCPS facilities and school buses have been equipped with Electrostatic Sprayers. Facilities Service Persons have been trained to use these Electrostatic sprayers to perform daily sanitization in high traffic areas (this is in addition to the increased routine cleaning and disinfection of frequently touched surfaces already required at all school facilities). Examples of these high-traffic areas include:
  - $\circ$  Restrooms
  - Front office(s)
  - Cafeteria
  - Media Center
  - o Clinic, Isolation Room
  - o Gymnasium, Locker rooms, Weight rooms
  - All student entry locations, single point of entry
  - Teacher planning areas
  - Overflow rooms
  - o Aftercare rooms
- All students, employees and visitors are expected to complete a daily at home health assessment before leaving for school or work each day.

Additional information about the District's health and safety protocols can be found online at <u>browardschools.com/coronavirus</u>.