

SPARK Academy

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SCHOOL COMMUNITY NEWSLETTER

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REMINDER: THERE IS NO SCHOOL ON MONDAY 3/20 FOR A STAFF WORKSHOP DAY.

DELAYED OPENINGS

Parents, please note that while we do follow the Manchester School District for closures and delayed openings, we ALSO need to consider what Manchester Community College is doing. When MCC closes, we close. When they have delayed openings, all non-essential personnel must remain off campus until their designated start times, so we have to coordinate that with bus arrival times, etc. Please know that we will make every effort to notify you of delays in as timely manner as possible; we also want to avoid having to send out conflicting notifications. Thank you!

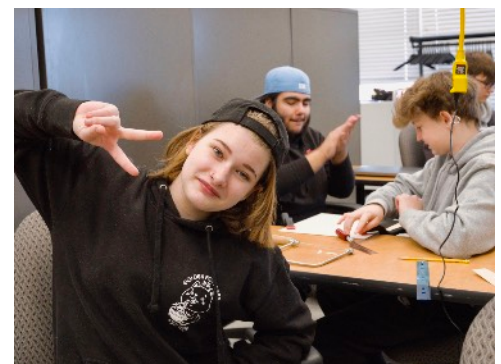


MATH WITH MS. DEJESUS

Ms. DeJesus is making every Wednesday afternoon from 3:30-4:30 available for any student requiring extra help with math or anyone who just needs some time to make up work in math. It doesn't matter which math class you are in – all are welcome!

ATTENTION FOURTH YEAR FAMILIES

- An email went out earlier this week with a link for purchasing senior dinner tickets. Please contact Mrs. Larochelle if you have any questions! P.S. Dress should be semi-formal/dressy casual for this event.
- For those fourth-year students who are also graduating from MCC: Order your Cap and Gown now (no later than Friday, March 31, 2023)!!
- Caps & Gowns can be ordered by visiting or calling the MCC Bookstore at (603) 622-9941. Caps & Gowns will be available for pick up at the bookstore the week before Graduation beginning May 15th. MCC Graduation is scheduled for **Tuesday, May 23rd from 2-4pm** at Northeast Delta Dental Stadium.
- You must also fill out and submit an online Petition to Graduate. Mrs. Larochelle will send the link to you via email.





MARK YOUR CALENDAR!

- ☑ Monday, March 20 – No Spark classes (staff workshop)
- ☑ Tuesday, March 21 – Info Night for Prospective Families
- ☑ Wednesday, March 29 - SATs (third-year students only)
- ☑ Friday, March 31 – End of Q2 marking period

TUTTLE THOUGHTS

As I conduct pre-enrollment meetings for next year's new crop of students, it reminds me of the special things that we do at Spark to help students build character. This is a key part of creating a successful future.

Yesterday we had 12 students volunteer their time to support Skills USA with their competition held at MCC. They helped this program go off without any major issues and they had the chance to experience a new event. Giving back to the community and to others individually is a key component towards building character. At Spark we continue to create events and activities that focus on this development. It is not something that students receive a grade for, but it is key to their academic and human development.

This is a major part of our Wednesday activities, which some students have a hard time understanding. Character development is an area that all students need to continue to grow and work on.



We have several events coming up needing volunteers, that will help build character and a sense of community. Build a Bed, our annual Golf Tournament, and the development of a Community Garden on campus. If you are interested in being part of any of these events, please reach out.

Have a great weekend.

John Tuttle

Director