

# Eagle Friday Flyer

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February 5, 2021

<b>Dates to Remember</b>	
Fri, Feb 5	<b>Progress Reports go home</b>
Sat, Feb 6	Basketball Scrim. v Midland—5:15—Away
Mon, Feb 8	Virtual Recovery Sessions—9:00-12:00 Young GA Authors Writing Entries Due ELA In-Person Recovery Session—4-5 pm Track Tryouts—Boys—4:30-6:00 pm
Tue, Feb 9	NJHS Meeting—8:15 am Math In-Person Recovery Session—4-5 pm Track Tryouts—Girls—4:30-6:00 pm Wild Wing Café Spirit Night—5:00-9:00 pm
Wed, Feb 10	BESS Winter Screening—Fifth Period Track Tryouts—Boys & Girls—4:30-6:00 pm Basketball v. A. Cohn—5:15—Home
Thu, Feb 11	Yearbook Recognition Ad Deadline Girls with Pearls Zoom—5:30 pm
Fri, Feb 12	Basketball v. Richards—5:15—Home
Sat, Feb 13	Virtual Recovery Sessions—9:00-12:00
Mon, Feb 15	Presidents' Day—NO SCHOOL
Tue, Feb 16	Math In-Person Recovery Session—4-5 pm Wild Wing Café Spirit Night—5:00-9:00 pm
Wed, Feb 17	Basketball v Arnold—5:15—Home
Thu, Feb 18	Beta Club Meeting—8:05 am FCA Zoom Meeting—8:30 am Girls with Pearls Zoom—5:30 pm
Sat, Feb 20	Virtual Recovery Sessions—9:00-12:00
Mon, Feb 22	ELA In-Person Recovery Session—4-5 pm
Tue, Feb 23	Math In-Person Recovery Session—4-5 pm Wild Wing Café Spirit Night—5:00-9:00 pm
Wed, Feb 24	Basketball v Harris Co—5:15—Home
Thu, Feb 25	Girls with Pearls Zoom—5:30 pm
Fri, Feb 26	Basketball v Veterans—5:15—Away
Sat, Feb 27	Virtual Recovery Sessions—9:00-12:00
Mon, Mar 1	ELA In-Person Recovery Session—4-5 pm
Tue, Mar 2	Math In-Person Recovery Session—4-5 pm Wild Wing Café Spirit Night—5:00-9:00 pm
Thu, Mar 4	Girls with Pearls Zoom—5:30 pm
Sat, Mar 6	Virtual Recovery Sessions—9:00-12:00
Mon, Mar 8	ELA In-Person Recovery Session—4-5 pm
Tue, Mar 9	NJHS Meeting—8:15 am Math In-Person Recovery Session—4-5 pm Wild Wing Café Spirit Night—5:00-9:00 pm
Thu, Mar 11	Girls with Pearls Zoom—5:30 pm
Sat, Mar 13	Virtual Recovery Sessions—9:00-12:00
Mon, Mar 15	ELA In-Person Recovery Session—4-5 pm
Tue, Mar 16	<b>Early Release Day—release at 1:10 pm</b> Wild Wing Café Spirit Night—5:00-9:00 pm
Thu, Mar 18	Beta Club Meeting—8:05 am Girls with Pearls Zoom—5:30 pm
Sat, Mar 20	<b>Report Cards go home</b>
Mon, Mar 22	Virtual Recovery Sessions—9:00-12:00
Tue, Mar 23	ELA In-Person Recovery Session—4-5 pm Math In-Person Recovery Session—4-5 pm Wild Wing Café Spirit Night—5:00-9:00 pm
Mon, Mar 29 - Fri, Apr 2	Spring Break—NO SCHOOL
Tue, Apr 6	Wild Wing Café Spirit Night—5:00-9:00 pm
Thu, Apr 8	Girls with Pearls Zoom—5:30 pm

## What's For Lunch Next Week?

**Daily Virtual Free Meal Pickup (Bkfst & Lunch)**  
**11:00 am—12:30 pm**



Monday	Mandarin Orange Chicken, Uncrustable
Tuesday	Fiesta Pizza, Uncrustable
Wednesday	Hot Dogs w/Chili, Turkey & Cheese Hoagie
Thursday	BBQ Chicken Sandwich, Uncrustable
Friday	Cheeseburgers, Uncrustable

## Student Spotlight



Each week we spotlight students who have shown character, good manners, and a positive attitude. Congratulations to the following students who were chosen by their teachers as Students of the Week:

Grade	Student	Teacher
6th	Jesus Goodson	Mr. Bray
7th	Shemar Khun	Mr. Howard
8th	Taylor Sehringer	Dr. Won
Connections	Tristian Patterson	Mr. Campbell



## Come Join "The Nest"

A daily check-in time to talk with Mr. Wells and Mrs. Gorum  
Time each day is: **8:20 am**  
Zoom link to join:

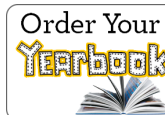
<https://muscogee.zoom.us/j/83528819477>

## Order Your Yearbook

at [Jostensyearbooks.com](http://Jostensyearbooks.com)

Price: **\$55.00**

Recognition Ads will be available to purchase until **February 11**.



## Track Tryouts

### Beginning Monday, February 8

Player Packet must be turned in before **February 8**.

\*Player Packet includes:

- Parent Permission/Assumption of Risk
- Acknowledge Form/COVID Letter
- Physical

The paperwork can be found on the BRMS Website—Student Life Tab; Athletics; scroll down to Forms.



## Tryout Days Breakdown:

**All times: 4:30-6:00 pm**

Monday, February 8	Boys only
Tuesday, February 9	Girls only
Wednesday, February 10	Boys and Girls



## National School Counseling Week

This week we celebrate National School Counseling Week and say a big "thank you" to **Ms. Nina Rubio**, our school counselor. Ms. Rubio does so many things for our students—counseling, planning ILT lessons, helping with academics, and so much more. We appreciate you, **Ms. Rubio**, and we're glad you're such an important part of BRMS.

## Daily Schedule Reminder for Next Week:

Mon, 2/8	Tue, 2/9	Wed, 2/10	Thu, 2/11	Fri, 2/12
A	B	A	B	Eagle Enrichment

## Progress Reports

went out **today, February 5**.

Parents, please check with your students to observe their grades at this halfway point.



### **Congratulations, Achieve Contest Winners**

This past month students have been competing through Achieve 3000 by reading and completing articles. We calculated who read the most articles with scores of 75 or above. Congratulations to the top three winners who will receive Target gift cards for their achievement:

First Place—**Roohe Khan**—195 Articles  
Second Place—**Rutvik Garige**—84 Articles  
Third Place—**Utkarsh Anand**—54 Articles

Great job, eagles! Students, look for our next competition that will begin soon.



### **BRMS Achieves!**

**ACHIEVE3000** believe  
Congratulations to all BRMS eagles on our Achieve 3000 performance for the month of January. We were the #2 middle school in MCSD for activity scores and Lexile gains. Great job, everybody. Keep up the good work.



### **Fellowship of Christian Athletes (FCA)**

Will meet via Zoom  
Thursday, February 18<sup>th</sup>  
8:30 am.

See the BRMS Canvas page for the link.

### **Basketball News Next Week**

#### **Home Games:**

Wednesday (Aaron Cohn) & Friday (Richards)  
Time: **5:15 pm**

**Please Note:** Because of COVID regulations, players are only allowed two guests to attend the game. Any more than two per player will not be allowed in the gym.



### **BRMS Girls' Soccer**



If you are interested in being a part of the BRMS Girls' Soccer team, fill out the interest sign-up sheet at the following link:

<https://forms.gle/6fBzXKp37rJVdP5f8>

or go to the BRMS Soccer Web page and click the link there.

### **BESS Winter Screening**

Wednesday, February 10  
During Fifth Period

### **President's Day**

Monday, February 15

NO SCHOOL



### **Math & ELA Grade Recovery & Remediation**

This week we started our Remediation and Grade Recovery for students who failed Nine Weeks 2. Students must attend the following and pass a proficiency test:

Math In-Person Sessions

**Tuesdays**

**February 2—March 23**

4:00-5:00 pm

ELA In-Person Sessions

**Mondays**

**February 1—March 22**

4:00-5:00 pm

Virtual Math/ELA Sessions—Saturdays

**February 6—March 20**

9:00 AM to 10:00 AM—6<sup>th</sup> grade

10:00 AM to 11:00 AM—7<sup>th</sup> grade

11:00 AM to 12:00 PM—8<sup>th</sup> grade

**Zoom Link for Virtual Recovery Saturday Sessions:**

<https://muscogee.zoom.us/j/89406298381>

### **Chromebook Troubles?**

Students, if you have any issues with your Chromebook malfunctioning, please do the following:



Virtual Students—call the school office—**706-565-2998**

Traditional Students—inform a teacher who will submit a work order for you.

Once this is done, Ms. Hudnall will contact you when a replacement Chromebook is ready for you.

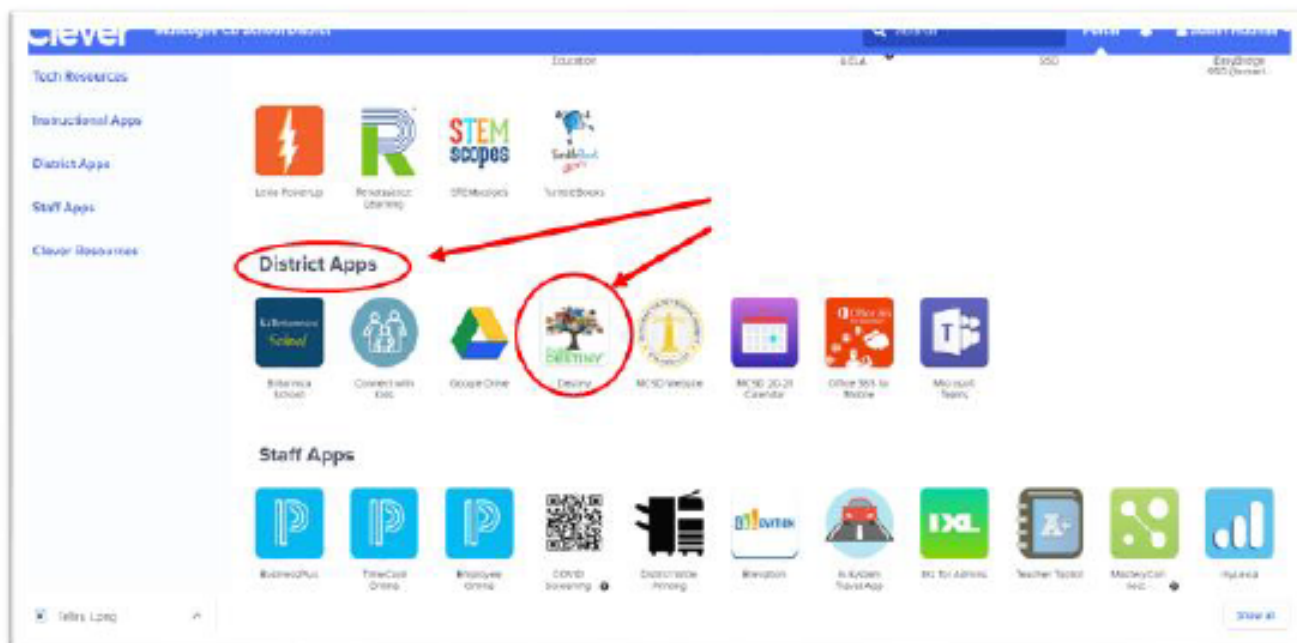
### **News from the Media Center**

Even though school looks different this year and we are all using Chromebooks every period, *we can still read books for fun!* On the next three pages, please find steps to download **eBooks** and **audio books** to read/listen to from your device. There are lots of great choices for you to enjoy!

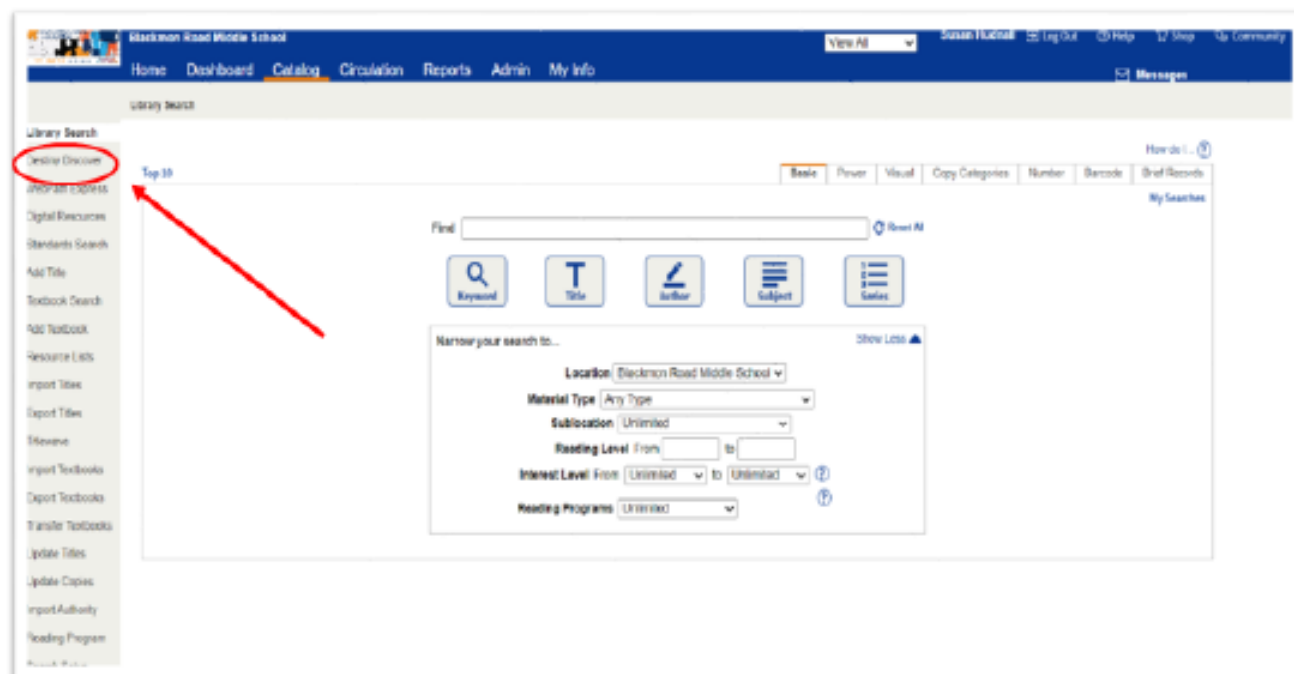


[How to access Destiny online to view eBooks and Audio books.](#)

1. In Clever, find the Destiny icon and click on it. I believe it will be located under the heading District Apps

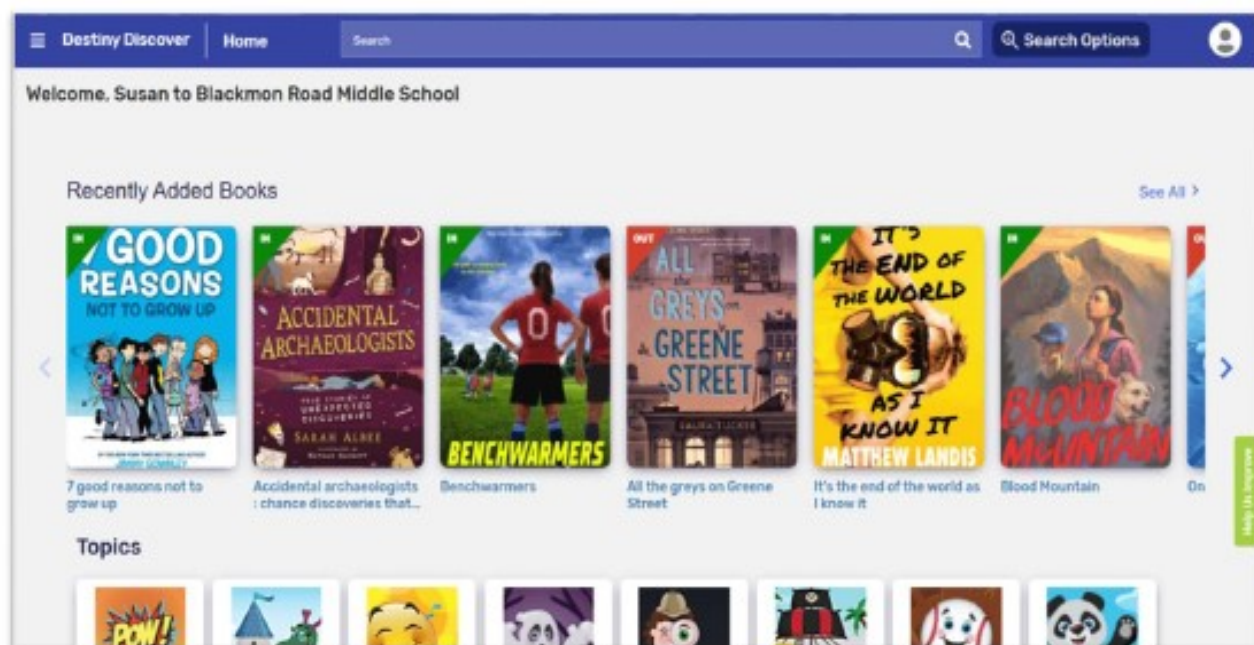


2. After clicking Destiny, the first screen will show all schools in MCSD. Click on Blackmon Road Middle School. On the Destiny Login page for Blackmon Road look to the right to find the Login Button. Students will log in with their GTID number (username) and the same password used to log into their Chromebook.
3. The next screen will be the Destiny Search page. Students can search our library catalog from this page or they can use Destiny Discover. To use Destiny Discover, look at the menu on the left side of the page. Find Destiny Discover and click on that.

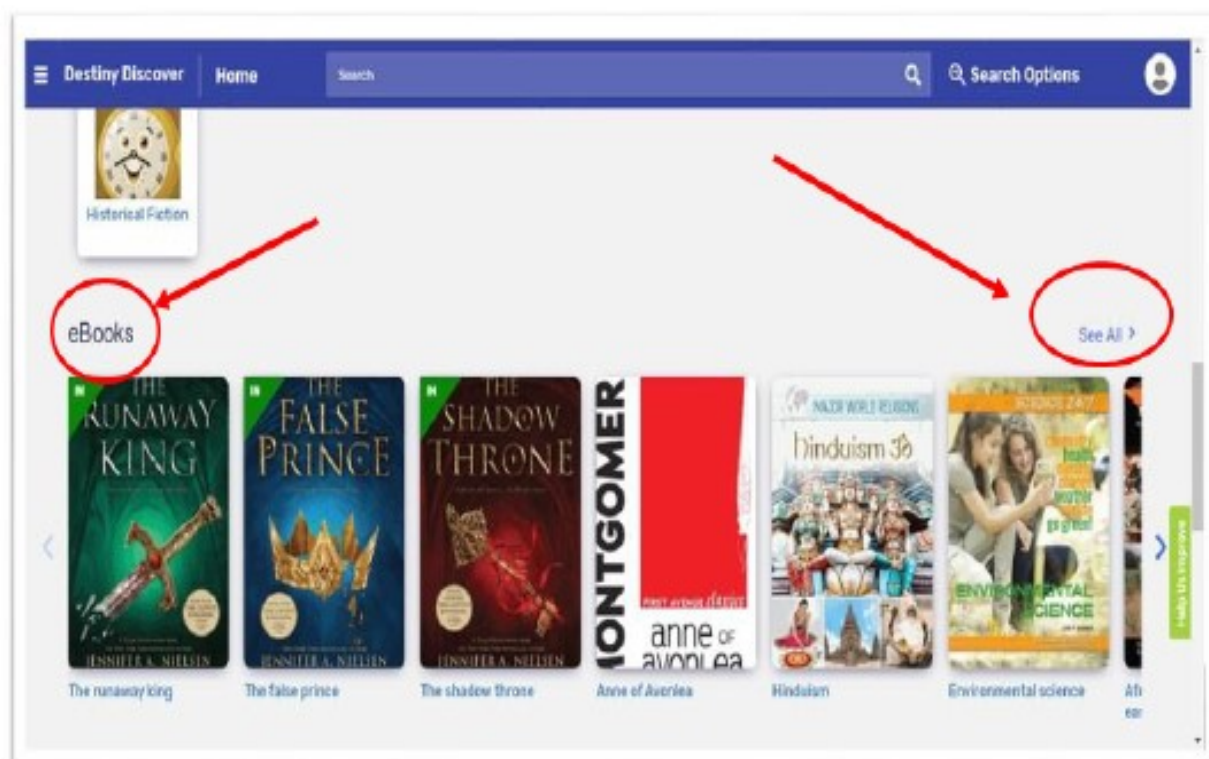




4. This is how the Destiny Discover screen appears. You can search from the search bar at the top or you can scroll down and search by choosing from the following options: Recently Added Books (the newest), by topics, just eBooks, just audio books or interactive books.



5. eBooks and audio books: Scroll down until you see the heading eBooks. Look to the right and click on See All. If you prefer audio books, scroll down until you see that heading and click on See All.



6. On the next screen you have a checkout button, reading level, and lexile information. If you just want to read a little before actually checking it out, click on the Open button. Look at the Call Number to determine if it's Fiction or Non-Fiction. Fiction will have FIC after Call Number and Non-Fiction will have numbers after Call Number. Biography (also non-fiction) will have B after Call Number.

The screenshot displays the eBooks interface with a blue header bar containing a back arrow and the text "eBooks". Below the header, there is a "Sort By" dropdown menu set to "Most Recent". On the left side, there is a "Filters" sidebar with various categories: Availability, Author, Subject, Genre, Format, Accelerated Reader®, Lexile, Interest Level, Reading Level, Series, and Location. The main content area shows three book cards. Each card features a book cover on the left, followed by the title, author, series, publication year, call number, reading level, interest level, and three buttons: Open, Checkout, and Favorite. The books listed are "The runaway king", "The false prince", and "The shadow throne". A green "Help Us Improve" button is located on the right side of the interface.

Book Title	Author	Series	Published	Call Number	Reading Level	Interest Level	Accelerated Reader®	Lexile
The runaway king	Nielsen, Jennifer A.	Series: Ascendance trilogy : bk. 2	2013	[Fic]	5.0	5-8	5.0 / 12.0 pts.	710L
The false prince	Nielsen, Jennifer A.	Series: Ascendance trilogy : bk. 1	2012	[Fic]	5.1	5-8	5.1 / 12.0 pts.	710L
The shadow throne	Nielsen, Jennifer A.	Series: Ascendance trilogy : book three					5.6 / 12.0 pts.	