

Blanchard Elementary School

Columbus, GA

August 25, 2019

PBIS

At Blanchard Elementary School:
We are Respectful.
We are Responsible.
We are Safe.

Principal Message

Dear Parents,
Thank you for supporting us with a wonderful start to this school year. I have enjoyed building a relationship with your child since the first day of school. I look forward to an amazing year full of high student achievement and fun!!!!

Marco's Pizza (5120 Warm Springs Road) invited us to participate in a family night at their establishment on the 3rd Thursday of each month. We will receive a profit from the total sales during the hours of 3:00 p.m. - until the close of the business. Please support (To go or Dine- In) our school in this endeavor.

Warmest Regards,
Principal Dalton

Upcoming Events

- Monday, September 2nd
Labor Day
- Tuesday, September 3rd
Chick-fila Night: 5 pm- 8 pm
- Thursday, September 5th
Picture Day
- Wednesday, September 4th- Tuesday, September 10th
Scholastic Book Fair
- Friday, September 6th
PTO Grandparents' Breakfast
- Friday, September 9th
Progress Reports
- Tuesday, September 17th
Marco's Pizza Night 3:00 pm- 8:00 pm



Welcome to our 2019-2020 School Year

"Soaring to New Heights"



Weekly Announcements

Message from MCSD Nutrition Department: As a lunch option, students may bring a lunch from home; however, if the student will not be eating lunch, documentation stating this, signed by parents, must be on file with the homeroom teacher. All extra foods must be purchased with cash. **Competitive food may not be brought for students per Georgia law.** Carbonated drinks, chewing gum, and candy are not to be brought to school. (Blanchard Student Handbook: See page 12 under the School Nutrition Program Section) Please contact Susan Schlader, Director of School Nutrition at (706) 748-3219, if you have any concerns or questions about this policy.

Computer Applications

Dear Parents,
Please allow your child to utilize the following computer programs at home. These programs will reinforce concepts taught at school. Your child should know their login information for each one.

- Reading: Achieve 3000 (3rd- 5th grade students)
- Reading: Lexia (Pre-K - 2nd grade students)
- Math: IXL (KDG- 5th grade students)



PTO Notes

Our School PTO will be hosting a Grandparents' Day Breakfast on Friday, September 6th. I will include details about this event in next week's parent newsletter.

Blanchard Yearbook Photo Submission Information!

This year we are offering a *new* opportunity for Blanchard Elementary! Submit pictures for yearbook consideration using one of the options below.

Save this information for future reference!

Option 1 – blanchardyearbook19@gmail.com Submit your photos with clear information about *who*, *what* and *when*. A Blanchard yearbook committee member will upload it to the yearbook site.

Option 2 – link.entourageyearbooks.com Search for our school Blanchard Elementary Yearbook. Create an account. Upload the pictures to include *who*, *what*, *when* and put it directly in the proper event folder.