



The faculty and staff of A. Maceo Walker Middle School wishes all of you a prosperous, safe, and blessed Thanksgiving. We know that you have much to be thankful for during this holiday season. If you haven't already done so, take time to reflect on the many gifts you have been blessed with. Your greatest gift attends A. Maceo Walker Middle School each and every day.



Be Warm, in Uniform

As the cold weather approaches, students may need to wear a lightweight jacket during the school day. Please remember that all lightweight jackets must be plain without any manufacturer's logos, brand names, pictures, or insignias visible on the clothing. The only acceptable uniform jacket colors are solid tan, navy blue, white, or black.



SAFETY FIRST

5 Ways to Manage Your Child's Social Media

1. Model a balanced daily schedule yourself. Your teens are watching you very closely, and if you are constantly plugged in electronically then you certainly can't expect your teens to do otherwise. After all, you are their most influential role model.
2. Charge their cell phones outside of their bedrooms so they are not up until the wee hours of the night texting. Most teens are already sleep deprived.
3. Set a limit on the amount of time that they can spend on their computers. Yep, they may get angry at you for setting this limit, but absorbing our teens' anger is what parents are supposed to do. Remember we are their parents not their friends.
4. Get their passwords so that you can monitor their use of Facebook, because lots of conflicts start there. Yes, they will be resistant but hey, you bought the computer, right? And, your goal is to look out for your kids' safety.
5. Consider access to the various forms of social media a privilege, not a right. If they abuse it then they lose it for a specified amount of time. I can assure you that this will be very effective.

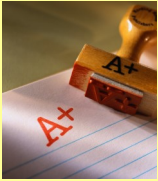


Afterschool tutoring takes place every Tuesday & Thursday from 2:30-4:00, Students must return their consent forms in order to stay for tutoring. A schedule of all tutoring times, locations, and dates will be posted on the Parent Board located outside the main office and in the attendance office.

Are you an A. Maceo Walker H.E.R.O.?

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ATTENDANCE
H.E.R.O.
HERE
EVERYDAY
READY
ON TIME





Parent Tips for a Successful School Year

- Rest up - Make sure your child is getting enough rest each night
- Seek to resolve issues early - Sometimes it is better to have a face to face meeting with your child's teacher rather than a phone call.
- Be prepared - When meeting with your child's teacher, time is precious. Think about important talking points or specific questions you may have prior to the meeting.
- Consider all sides - Try to give the teacher the benefit of the doubt. Remember there are always two side to a story.
- Gather feedback - Ask your child what's going on at school regularly to check up with what's happening.



Happy Thanksgiving

Thanksgiving Break November 22nd -26th



PARENT UNIVERSITY

November 30th @9:00am (Media Center)

Dates to Remember

BASKETBALL GAME VS HAVENVIEW	Nov. 4th
EARTHQUAKE DRILL	Nov. 4th
BASKETBALL GAME VS SNOWDEN	Nov. 9th
VETERANS DAY (SCHOOL OUT)	Nov 11th
BASKETBALL GAME VS AMERICAN WAY	Nov 16th
FAMILY DATA NIGHT	Nov 17th
FIRE DRILL	Nov 18th
BASKETBALL GAME VS SHERWOOD	Nov 18th
THANKSGIVING BREAK	Nov 22nd—26th
BASKETBALL GAME VS GEETER	Nov 29th
DONUTS FOR DADS	Nov 30th
BASKTBALL GAME	Nov 30th

HOOP SEASON IS HERE!!!



Coach Golden and Coach Robertson are excited about kicking off the 2021-2022 basketball season!

The A. Maceo Walker Boys and Girls Jaguars has begun. Please support our young men and ladies as we show off our ballin' skills. We look forward to seeing you there!

Go Mighty Jaguars.....

