



## Principal Message for March, 10, 2025

Greetings Carroll Families,

I want to thank everyone for the warm welcome to Carroll Middle school last week. I look forward to working collaboratively with our school community to create an environment that elevates Carroll Magnet Middle School as a school of excellence for all students. The following are a list of information and activities for this week.

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### **Campus safety**

The following will be implemented to ensure all our students and staff are safe. All visitors must have a valid form of ID. Visitors will also need a phone to access the QR code on the door to check students out. This is a reminder carpool parents are asked to use the carpool lanes for drop-off and pickup, please refrain from using E. Rowan, Six Forks Road or the parking lot across the school.

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### **Schoolwide Expectations**

As we work to create a safe environment for all students to learn, the following expectations are being implemented to ensure all students have a wonderful experience while attending Carroll. All students must place cellphones, earbuds, headphones, smart communication devices etc., hats and pocketbooks in their lockers. All hats and hoodies must be removed upon entering the building. Sagging pants are prohibited. Students not in their assigned grade level hallway are subject to consequences, students who leave their classrooms without teacher permission are subject to consequences. Parents I am asking parents for you to speak with your child about these expectations to ensure all students have a pleasant experience at Carroll

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### **Academic Focus**

Parents please be sure to review weekly information regarding what students are learning based on their grade levels. All students are expected to complete assignments on time and are encouraged to study for at least 45 minutes in preparation for any quiz and exams. As a reminder, parents can request access to PowerSchool here: [bit.ly/PSaccess](https://bit.ly/PSaccess).

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### **Week At A Glance (WAAG)**

Please click [this link](#) to find your student's team/teachers to see the Big Rocks for the upcoming week and to help your child be proactive in their learning.

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### **Yearbook**

All students and parents can visit [bit.ly/CMMSpages](https://bit.ly/CMMSpages) to learn how to create FREE custom yearbook pages that are only printed in your very own personalized yearbook. You must be logged in to view the link. Visit [Treering.com](https://www.treering.com) and enter the purchase code: **1017256627562187**.

Creating an account using a school email and password will work, but will not work with the log in with google option. Contact [mbiddlecome@wcpss.net](mailto:mbiddlecome@wcpss.net) with any questions.

Click on the link below to join PTO for \$10. It only takes a second to join. [Find the link here!](#)

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### School Hours

**School hours are 7:00 a.m. to 2:15 p.m.** The tardy bell rings at **7:30 a.m.** Early check out cutoff is 2:00 p.m. Office hours are from 7:00-3:00 p.m. All visitors must have and show ID to checkout a student. We will post a QR code on the main entrance door for parents to check students out from school. Any visitors accessing the campus must report directly to the main office.

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### School Attendance

We are hoping to reduce the rate of absenteeism! Please ensure you provide your student with a note if they are sick or in the event of a family emergency. Please submit the note to Ms. Rich in Student Services upon their return. The note does not have to be a doctor's note. Students who are experiencing the following symptoms should stay home using the guidance below:

- Fever of 100.4 or higher (24 hrs fever free without fever-reducing medication)
  - Diarrhea (12 hrs free of symptoms)
  - Nausea and Vomiting (12 hrs free of symptoms)
  - Severe headache
  - Red, watery eyes with yellow discharge, Undiagnosed rash
  - Inability to attend learning activities
  - Change in student's typical medical status
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### Attendance Tips

- Have students prepared for school by 7 a.m., car riders need to arrive on campus by 7:30
- Spend time talking to your child about setting one or two goals to accomplish for the day
- Keep students in school for the full day
- Prioritize attendance and avoid unnecessary absences.

Please visit our school website [here](#) for more information.

Thank you for all you do to support our students and our school and enjoy the remainder of your weekend.

Yours

Mr. G. Major

Principal