

Curriculum Night

Canyon Park Middle School
September 11, 2019

EXCELLENCE

RESPONSIBILITY

COMMUNITY

RESPECT



Pillars of Canyon Park

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We Respect Our Students' ...

- ◆ Challenges of adolescence:
 - ◆ Physical
 - ◆ Social
 - ◆ Emotional
 - ◆ Academic
- ◆ Desire for independence... and need for supports
- ◆ Differences

~Responsibility~ Our Commitment of Support

- ◆ We teach what we expect
- ◆ We operate as a team
- ◆ We use tiered interventions for behavior and academics
- ◆ We support a growth mindset
- ◆ We value the whole child and the developing adult

~Responsibility~ Your Commitment of Support (suggested 😊)

- ◆ Monitor grades and show interest in learning
- ◆ Monitor
 - ◆ Organizational tools like backpack, notebooks, planner
 - ◆ Comments about academics, social, general comfort level
- ◆ Encourage self-advocacy and risk-taking
 - ◆ Start with "processing" problems before fixing for them
 - ◆ Check in with us for clarification or support

Attendance

- ◆ Absences, excused or unexcused, affect learning
- ◆ Being sick vs. being sick of school – use our nurse
- ◆ Students feeling sick go to nurse during the day
- ◆ Students check in/out at attendance office
- ◆ Excuse absences promptly

Grades

- ◆ Grade reports mailed home at end of quarters
- ◆ Parents can check online anytime... but there's a lag
- ◆ Hold your student accountable for first attempts to resolve grade concerns
- ◆ Contact teachers directly with specific concerns
- ◆ Contact counselors for broad concerns

Student Support Team

Administration

- ◆ Principal: Sebastian Ziz
- ◆ Assistant Principal: Amber Pacquer
- ◆ Dean of Students: Eileen Jowell

School Counselors

- ◆ Lizzie Ward (students A-D)
- ◆ Elizabeth Methot (students E-M)
- ◆ Paul Narancic (students N-Z)

Excellence

- ~ Exceeding expectations
- ~ Going above and beyond
- ~ Giving your best effort
- ~ Learning from your mistakes

Canyon Park PTSA

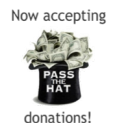
- ◆ First **General Meeting: September 18 at 7pm**
"Tips for Supporting Your Student"
- ◆ President: Theresa Ahdieh
- ◆ Co-VP's: Miriam Juritz & Jenni Hoffer
- ◆ Treasurer: Heather Wozniak
- ◆ Secretary: Laurie Ferriolo

PTSA Membership Its More than Fundraising & Volunteering

- ◆ PTSA in **Middle School** is about **Advocating** for your **Student**, your **School**, & **Community**
- ◆ **Student Members learn** to **Advocate** for themselves & their **Student Community**
- ◆ **Joining CPMS PTSA** you belong to a **Community** who agree **Children, Families, & Education** are a **Priority**.

Pass-the-Hat Fundraiser **GOAL** **\$15,000.00**

- ◆ Suggested donation of \$50 per family
 - ◆ *We take pocket change w/ lint too*
- ◆ PTSA funds amazing things!
 - ◆ Threads & Treads
 - ◆ Community Serve Day
 - ◆ Parent Education (Living w/Middle Schoolers)
 - ◆ Student Recognition Programs AND MORE
- ◆ PTSA is a 501(c)3 nonprofit organization
Ask your employer about matching funds!



PTSA's Communication

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