



Mesa Alta Junior High School

October 3, 2017

Dear Students and Families,

Thank you, for a fantastic start to this school year!

Our First Quarter ends on 10-17. Report cards will be sent home with students the week of Oct. 23. Please join us from 5-8 p.m. on November 2nd or 8.am-12pm on November 3rd for Parent Teacher Conferences.

If you have any questions or concerns we welcome you to call the school at 632-4350 or stop by any time.

Elvira Crockett
Principal

Wesley Rogers
Assistant Principal



90 Day Plan—Quick Wins

Mesa Alta's 90 day plan will be to address, based on our 2016-17 PARRC results; Standard Alignment—writing and Tier One Core Instruction- Academic Background Knowledge. We will be addressing these areas of concerns with our teachers and students. Our ELA team is working diligently in developing a MAJH writing rubric to be used across the curriculum. As a team we hope to make achievements in this area. If you have any questions please see us.

30 Day Plan

The last thirty days have been exciting on the Mesa Alta campus. We have welcomed a new Vice Principal and with that, change has come. The campus has evolved in a positive way. The classrooms have more academic rigor and classroom management. The halls are peaceful and we are not total drama island anymore. I am truly proud of how the students have started to conform to the new rules on campus. The staff has also been wonderful during this transition. There is a dance and a movie on October 27th. We will only be allowing students without referrals this month to attend.

Student Pick-ups and Drop-Offs are allowed only in the pick-line in the back of the school. Any student picked up/dropped off in other areas will be given lunch detention. Students are reminded daily of this policy.

Student of the Month

Congratulations to our October Student of the Month: Marc Armenta.

Marc is an exceptional student who is always a positive influence in the classroom. He is a proven leader on the 8th Grade Football team. He plans on playing Basketball and Baseball this year. He is an active participant in MAJH Student Council and he holds the position as the Vice President. He is very interested in going to college to major in Engineering.

Thank you Marc for being an awesome example and a great student!

Oct. 20th—Homecoming—EARLY RELEASE

All students get a **Quick Lookup** with all of their grades every Monday morning. They also get **Progress Reports** for all failing classes. Check with your students each Monday to see their current grades. If you are concerned your student is not getting these please check with your student's fourth hour teacher. Grades can also be viewed through Powerschool on the Bloomfield School District web-site.

Student Report Cards will be handed out the week of October 23rd



OCTOBER



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1 Responsibility	2	3 Powerlunch	4	5	6 Cross Country Bloomfield Invitational @ 3pm	7
8 Trustworthy	9	10	11 MAJH Staff Flu Shot Clinic 2-4	12 CFA - Modified Schedule Home Football vs. Mesa View @ BHS	13	14
15 Respect	16	17 End of 1st Quarter	18	19 MESA STEM Exploration Field Trip 8:30-2:30 Girls Basketball @ MAJH vs. Shiprock	20 Homecoming! 2 Hr. Early Release	21
22 Fairness	23	24 Girls Basketball @ MAJH vs Aztec	25	26 Girls Basketball @MAJH vs Hermosa	27 Fall Dance / Movie 1:40-3:40	28
29 Caring	30 October 31- Girls Basketball@M AJH vs Mesa View	31 Powerlunch 				