What's New:

Greetings to the Northeast School Community! Thank you for a fantastic week and an amazing Back-to-School Night!

Picture Day is October 21

- Picture day forms have been sent home in backpacks. Here is a digital copy.
- Parents/Guardians are encouraged to pre-order and pay online prior to picture day-directions are on order form.
- We will be doing class photographs this year.
- If you do not pre-order and pay online, children should bring the form with payment on the 21st.
- All students will get photographed, but a package will not be produced if payment is not received before or on picture day.

Start Strong Testing for 4th and 5th graders will be 10/18 and 10/19.

MFEE: There's no better way to meet Montclair's newest residents than through tasting their beloved food. On October 29th, you can reserve a delicious home-cooked tasting plate as part of a fundraiser from the Montclair Fund for Educational Excellence (MFEE). Sabor Montclair celebrates the unique "sabor" that our Latinx community members bring to Montclair. Familias in MFEE's Navegadores Escolares program have helped design this event which features delicious take-out meals highlighting their culture, while also sharing recipes and family stories. In just one year, MFEE's Navegadores Escolares program has expanded to support 60 families and over 105 MontclairPublic School students – and it continues to grow quickly! Donate and reserve your delicious dinner here: https://givebutter.com/sabormontclair2022.

Northeast will be planning a Halloween Parade; details to follow!

Reminders:

- Early Dismissal on Thursday October 20, 2022 AT 1:10 pm.
- Schools Closed on Monday October 24, 2022.
- SATp (School Action Team for Partnership)-please send an email to Dr. Somerville <u>tsomerville@montclair.k12.nj.us</u> if you are interested in joining.

District-Wide Updates:

- Digital Backpack: Please click here to view community and organization events in town.
- Housekeeping: Please check the district website (https://www.montclair.k12.nj.us/) for district policies and school procedures (In our Parent Handbook on our website).

General Housekeeping:

- Student Safety: Please remember to adhere to Northeast Arrival and Dismissal procedures Northeast Arrival Procedures
- Please wait with our children until we see an adult from the building present to ensure a warm, safe hand-off.
- Food Policy: Although Halloween is fast approaching we have to continue to adhere to the district policy. Please
 check the district website (https://www.montclair.k12.nj.us/) for district policies and school procedures (In our
 Parent Handbook on our website).

Celebrations:

- Thank you to all of our Northeast Community for a wonderful Back-to-School Night!
- Thank you to Ms. Jennifer Lademar for going the extra mile for supporting our families at Back-to-School Night!
- Thank you to Dr. Chang and her team for providing translation services for our families at Northeast during Back-to-School Night!

Upcoming Dates:

10/18 & 19/22 Start Strong Testing Gr. 4&5 10/20/22 Curriculum Thursday 1:10 Dismissal 10/21/22 School Picture Day 10/24/22 Schools Closed-DiWali 10/31/22 Halloween Activities TBD