

Perry Elementary Perry Press

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Matthew C. Perry Elementary School
Mr. Arturo Rivera Jr, Principal
Ms. Jenny Reese, Assistant Principal



M.C. Perry ES Purpose Statement

The purpose of our school is to empower students to achieve excellence in scholarship, character, and citizenship as independent lifelong learners in a global society.

How to Contact Us:

principal.perryes@pac.dodea.edu

Phone: 253-3327

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| ◇ Upcoming Information | ◇ Math Standards Flyer |
| ◇ Principal's Letters | ◇ Spirit Week Flyer |
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- ◆ Friday, April 1st — Professional Development — NO SCHOOL
- ◆ Thursday, April 7th — Last Day of the 3rd Marking Period
- ◆ Friday, April 8th —Teacher Work Day: NO SCHOOL
- ◆ Monday — Friday, April 11th—15th — Spring Break: NO SCHOOL
- ◆ Friday, April 29th — Professional Development & Parent/Teacher Conferences:
* NO SCHOOL *By teacher or parent request only

School Advisory Committee Upcoming Meetings:

April 5th and May 31st @ 1400 in the room 209.

All are welcomed!

Month of the Military Child Spirit Week April 4th—7th, 2016:

- Monday, April 4th — Pajama Day - Wear your Pajamas to school.
- Tuesday, April 5th — Crazy Everything Day - Wear crazy socks, shoes, pants, hair, anything crazy. (Within the school code, of course!)
- Wednesday, April 6th — Grow Up Day - What do you want to be when you grow up?
- Thursday, April 7th — Purple Up Day - It's the color of the Military Child. Wear all things PURPLE!
- Friday, April 8th — No School

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Principal to Parents

Dear Parents,

Summer is fast approaching and with it comes Permanent Change of Station (PCS) season. With this in mind I want to inform you of this school year's early withdrawal policy.

A student approved for an accelerated withdrawal program may not withdraw prior to May 19, 2016 and must attend the full school day prior to the withdrawal date.

An accelerated withdrawal must be approved in advance by the Principal. The parent or sponsor must present verification of the date required for the student to depart from the school (e.g., Permanent Change of Station orders). Students must meet all of the conditions of an accelerated study program outlined by the student's teacher prior to withdrawal in order for final grades to be assigned. Students who withdraw prior to the date given above will receive "grades to date" rather than final grades and will be required to enroll in school at their next duty station. The gaining school is responsible for determining grade level placement for the student.

If you are moving due to PCS and are planning on taking advantage of this policy, please see our school registrar in ample time to coordinate withdrawal of your child(ren).

Thank you,

Arturo Rivera Jr.
Principal
M. C. Perry Elementary School
DSN 253-3327

Assistant Principal's Post to Parents

Dear Parents and Sponsors,

With the advent of spring we have been experiencing cool morning and warm afternoons. That means that students wear coats and jackets to school, but don't need them as the day warms up. This leads to many lost coats ending up in the lost and found.

Our lost and found is overflowing with lost coats, gloves, hats, lunch boxes, and other items. Please drop by and check our lost and found at any time. It is located next to nurse's office.

April 7th - Lost and Found Recovery Rummage

On Thursday April 7th all items in the lost and found will be displayed in the front of the school to allow items and owners to be reunited. Any items remaining on April 8th will be donated to the thrift store.

Sincerely,

Jenny Reese
Assistant Principal
M.C. Perry Elementary School
DSN 315-253-3327

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Registrar's Corner

Re-registration 2016:

Beginning March 28th, 2016, re-registration for returning students for SY 16-17 will begin. Families are required to update mandatory registration forms, make changes when necessary, provide an updated copy of your orders, if the sponsor's tour has been altered. Even if no information has changed parents must come to the school and complete annually renewed forms.

1. The Re-Registration timeline for RETURNING students for School Year 2016-2017:

*March 28th- April 1st-(Kindergarten-2nd grade) (between 1pm-3:30 pm)

*April 4th- 8th (3rd-6th) times are (8 am-12:00) - (1 pm-3:30 pm)

I am aware that your schedule may not afford you the opportunity to fully meet the terms of this time schedule, so please feel free to contact me for an alternate time or date to re-register your child(ren).

2. If your child WILL NOT BE RETURNING to MC Perry ES in August 2016, I am requesting an email to anita.clayton@pac.dodea.edu, so that I can properly prepare for your child's withdrawal.

Please see the attached Withdrawal Request form that will need to be completed and returned to the Main Office at least two weeks prior to your departure.

Please note that the approved Early withdrawal date is May 19, 2016. This date has been set to ensure that your child receives full academic credit for the school year. Please bring web orders, for early withdrawal.

~ Ms. Anita Clayton, Registrar

Anita.Clayton@pac.dodea.edu

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Congratulations
to the following students for receiving the Student of the Month
Award in March for displaying the character trait of:
Trustworthiness!

Sure Start

Audrey Pagute

Kindergarten

Michael Armour
Julian Cancienne
Alistair Rains
Victoria Watson

First Grade

Karlicia Bates
Mathew Rodriguez
Aaron Mondoux
Quincy Brown

Second Grade

Maley Burchett
Ella Fletcher
Deric Shuman
Lana Rogers

Third Grade

Nehemiah Hinds
Stone Billings
Jessica Blackston

Fourth Grade

Arthur Williams
Madison Griffin

Fifth Grade

Kiana Alvarez
Camille Massey
Sierra Conner

Sixth Grade

Alyssa Brickman
Jonah Hoff

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STANDARDS OF MATHEMATICAL PRACTICE

(processes students should engage in during their mathematical education)

Standard of Mathematical Practice #7: Look for and make use of structure.

This standard emphasizes that mathematically proficient students look closely to discern a pattern or structure in a problem. They are often breaking apart numbers in order to identify common patterns that they might see. For example, for younger students it may be recognizing different fact families, while older students may begin to explore the distributive property. Through this standard, mathematically proficient students should be able to look at a problem, and through their mathematical knowledge, infer what kind of an answer they might get.

Standard of Mathematical Practice #8: Look for and express regularity in repeated reasoning.

This standard has students focusing on the big picture while working out the details of a problem. If students notice they're answering the same type of problem repeatedly, they should be able to express a common algorithm to solve it. Along with this, while students are solving a problem, they are constantly looking at the problem as a whole, and evaluating their results for reasonableness. By doing this, they are making sure that what they are doing makes sense to the context of the problem.

*The last two, of our 8, SMP are described above. SMPs 1 to 6 were featured in previous MCPES newsletters. Look at the following page for our "Kid Friendly" SMPs. If you would like more information about SMPs, please talk with your child's teacher or have the school office connect you with a representative of our Math Foundations Committee.



STANDARDS FOR MATHEMATICAL PRACTICE

1. Make sense of problems and persevere in solving them



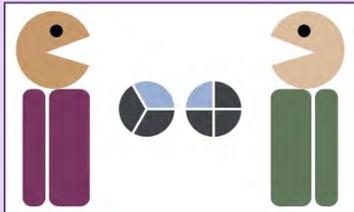
I can solve problems without giving up.

2. Reason abstractly and quantitatively



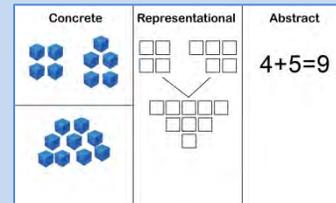
I can think about numbers in many ways.

3. Construct viable arguments and critique the reasoning of others



I can explain my thinking and respond to the mathematical thinking of others.

4. Model with mathematics



I can show my work in many ways.

5. Use appropriate tools strategically



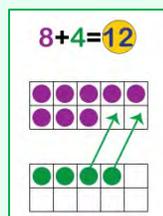
I can use math tools and tell why I choose them.

6. Attend to precision



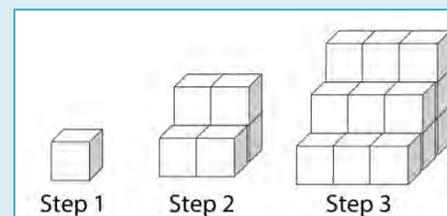
I can work carefully when I solve a problem and am clear when I share my ideas.

7. Look for and make use of structure



I can use what I know to solve new problems.

8. Look for and express regularity in repeated reasoning



I can solve problems by looking for rules and patterns.

MONTH OF THE MILITARY CHILD SPIRIT WEEK

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Lucky you! Stay home get some rest! DO YOUR HOMEWORK!

Remember! School dress code still applies.

7th Grade Orientation Night

**Tuesday April 5, 2016 @ 1700
School Cafeteria**

Information about High School
Questions and Answers
Course Selection for next year
Re-Registration completion



This is mandatory to attend to get a class selection sheet. Contact Mrs. Kehoe in advance at 253-4958 or deb.kehoe@pac.dodea.edu if you will be unable to attend.

**MC PERRY ES 2015-16
YEARBOOK PRE-ORDER FORM**

**It's time to order your 2015-16 YEARBOOK!
There are too many memories to let it slip away.**

**\$30.00 for pre-orders up to May 1, 2016
\$35.00 for orders on or after May 2, 2016**

Don't wait, supplies are limited!

To pre-order your yearbook, please return this portion of the form to your child's teacher or the main office by May 1, 2016. The yearbooks arrive in early June and will be dispersed to your child's classroom. Remaining yearbooks will be on sale in the front office for \$35.00.

Please pay with American dollars or check only.

Make checks payable to: MC Perry ES PTO and Memo: Yearbook

Parent Name: _____ Phone #: _____

Student Name: _____

Teacher: _____ Grade: _____

Student Name: _____

Teacher: _____ Grade: _____

Number of books ordered _____ (at \$30.00 each)

Shipping & Handling fee, this is only to be paid if you are PCSing before June 2016

Cost: \$10 stateside address/\$3 MPS address _____

Total amount enclosed: _____

Please circle your payment Method: Check Cash

**Shipping address if PCSing prior to June 2016 (print clearly): _____

I can't wait to see
my pictures in the
yearbook!



Monday

Tuesday

Wednesday

Thursday

Friday



Did you know...

The earliest known use of the phrase "April Fools" dates back to 1693.

National Garden Month

Earth Day (April 22)

Encourage an activity to plant a fruit or vegetable (Find someone with a "green thumb" that can talk to students about starting a garden)

Keep track of your child's School lunch account by using the online payment and account monitoring service available at mypaymentsplus.com. It is free to create an account! Funding transactions incur a small processing fee.

4
Chicken Drumsticks
Beef Nachos
Veggie-Cheese Burger
Cheese Slice (opt)
Baked Beans
Garden Salad
Dinner Roll
Red Delicious Apple
Milk

5
Breakfast Taco
Beef Quesadilla
Chicken Sausage Patty
Blueberry Pancakes
Deli Roaster Potato
Snap Peas
Fruit Cup
Fresh Banana
Milk

6
Pepperoni Pizza
Cheese Pizza
ABC Salad
Whole Kernal Corn
Celery & Carrot Sticks
Cinnamon Applesauce
Fresh Pears
Milk

7
Pulled Pork Tacos
Beef Toronado
Vegetable Alfredo
Cool Cumber-Tomato Slid
Mixed Salad Greens
Green Peas & Carrots
Pineapple Chunks & Grapes
Fruit Cup
Milk

8
Beef Steak Sub
Citrus Orange Fish Fillet
Spicy Black Bean Salad
Mashed Potatoes
Cherry Tomato & Broccoli
Dinner Roll
Pineapple chunks & Grapes
Farm Fresh Fruit
Milk

NO SCHOOL

Spring Break

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11
Spring Break

12
Spring Break

13
Spring Break

14
Spring Break

15
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18
Chicken Egg Roll
Beef Yakisoba
School Cheese Salad
Vegetable Fried Rice (side)
Mixed Green Side Salad
Steamed Carrots
Cinnamon Applesauce
Fresh Fruit
Milk

19
Hot Dog
Creamy Italian Pasta
Ham & Veggie Salad
Celery & Carrot Sticks
Crinkle Cut Fries
Mandarin Oranges
Fresh Grapes
Milk

20
Taco Bowl
Beef Quesadilla
Garden Salad Bowl
Spanish Rice (side)
Snap Green Peas
Baked Beans
Sliced Peaches
Peach Cobbler
Milk

21
Orange Chicken
Meat Lasagna
Lettuce Wraps
Garden Salad
Green Beans
WG Dinner Roll
Fresh Banana
Oatmeal Raisin Co
Milk

22
Spaghetti & Meatballs
Citrus Orange Fish Fillet
Spicy Black Bean Salad
Cucumber-Tomato Salad
Whole Kernal Corn
Garlic Toast
Pineapple Chunks
Farm Fresh Fruit
Oatmeal Raisin Cookie
Milk

25
Ham & Cheese Sandwich
Chicken Tenders
Asian Chopped Salad
Baby Carrots & Broccoli
Florets
Crinkle Cut Fries
Dinner Roll
Mandarin Oranges
Fresh Fruit in Season
Milk

26
Honey BBQ Pork Riblets
Veggie Burger
Cheese Slices (Opt)
Chef Salad
Tossed Salad
Whole Kernal Corn
Sliced Peaches
Grapes
Apple Cinnamon Bread
Milk

27
Chicken Fryz
Meatball Sub
ABC Salad
Celery & Carrot Sticks
Deli Roaster Potatoes
Dinner Roll
Pineapple chunks & Grapes
Fresh Fruit
Milk

28
Pulled Pork Tacos
Beef Toronado
Italian Pasta Salad
Mixed Salad Greens
Tomato & Cucumber Salad
Peas & Carrots
Bananas
Milk

29
Baja Fish Sticks
Chicken Fried Rice
Golden Cheese Sandwich
Vegetable Rice (side)
Celery & Carrot Sticks
Sugar Snap Peas
WG Bread slice
Farm Fresh Fruit
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