

Mars Hill Elementary School

September Newsletter

What's Happening In...

Kindergarten is off to an incredible start! We are continuing to learn procedures, rules, and routines. We are looking forward to learning more about letters, sounds and numbers.



First grade will be learning about one another with an "All About Me" project. We are researching and studying about community helpers and the importance they have in our society. Students will get to choose their own career for Career Day and we will have some special visitors join us in our classrooms.

A Note From our Principal

Hello Wildcats!!! It has been a great meeting everyone and I'm looking forward to an awesome year. Students and teachers have been hard at work and the learning has begun. Please remember that we all take part in the success of our students and school. If at any time you have any questions, concerns, or just need a little extra support, we are here for you. Feeling Blessed to be here!

James McGregor, Principal MHES

A Peek At What We Are Learning



Second graders are learning about butterflies. Our caterpillars have arrived so that we can begin observing them as they grow and develop throughout their life cycle. This process will take about 10 days, then we will release them.



Third grade is off to a great start! In the coming weeks we are learning about multiplication and division. We are also excited to partner with 4-H for Soil Solutions this fall!



We've had a great start to fourth grade! Students have learned about North Carolina's state symbols and their significance. They have also been working hard memorizing multiplication facts and practicing listening to their inner voice while they read. We will spend some time looking at different forces in science, such as magnetic pulls. We're planning some fun fall field trips to explore North Carolina's rich cultural history, so look for information about that soon!



September is a big month for fifth grade! In science we will be learning about ecosystems. You can help your child by reviewing their vocabulary nightly. In math, we are working on multiplication and division strategies. Knowing the basic multiplication facts is important for success. Each class will be starting a novel study in September too! We continue to practice having a growth mindset, learning from our mistakes, and aiming each week for the three As: Attitude-Attendance-Academics!

