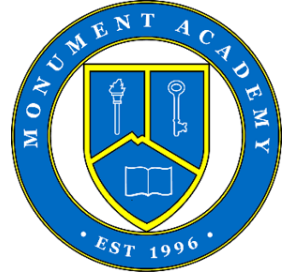


LYNX NEWS

East Campus Edition

November 1, 2022



Upcoming Events:

- Nov 4 – Free Dress Friday
- Nov 6 – Daylight Savings Ends
- Nov 7-11 – Harvest of Love Food Drive
- Nov 11 – Spirit Wear Friday
- Nov 11 – Veteran’s Day Breakfast – RSVP required @ Events@MonumentAcademy.net
- Nov 11 & 12 – MS Drama Performance of *LIGHTER SHADE of NOIR* at 7pm
- Nov 17 – Experience High School, for current 7th & 8th graders, at 6pm
- Nov 18 – Spirit Wear Friday
- Nov 21-25 – Thanksgiving Break – No School
- Dec 2 – Free Dress Friday
- Dec 3 – Monument Tree Lighting Festival, 3-5pm, Strings and Jazz Band performing
- Dec 5 – Strings Concert at 6pm at PRHS
- Dec 6 – Band Concert at 5:30pm
- Dec 9 – Spirit Wear Friday
- Dec 9 & 10 – HS Drama Performance of *CLUE* at 7pm
- Dec 13 – Choir Concert at 7pm at PRHS
- Dec 15 – Ugly Sweater Contest
- Dec 16-Jan 3 – Winter Break – No School

Monument Academy is HIRING!

For more information:

<https://www.monumentacademy.net/quick-links/employment/>



Business Office

Thank you to the MA families that have submitted academic fees for the 2022-23 school year. These fees help Monument Academy provide excellent resources for your children.

The annual required student fees are as follows:

\$150 Preschool

\$125 Kindergarten

\$175 Grades 1-5

\$285 Grades 6-11

Please check your student's account using the Infinite Campus Parent Portal. Please visit www.monumentacademy.net to sign up for an account if you have not already done so. Payments are usually posted within a week. Thank you for your patience.

Payment options at Monument Academy:

For Tuition, Fees and EPDs:

- Credit card - contact businessoffice@monumentacademy.net
- Online Payments - visit <https://www.monumentacademy.net/quick-links/online-payments>
- Checks – made payable to “Monument Academy” w/student’s name in notes (drop off at the front office)

Monument Academy does not accept payments through Infinite Campus or on the PaySchools app.

Financial Assistance: If you need assistance with fees please complete an application at: [Free & Reduced Lunch Application](#)

The best way to contact the business office is email businessoffice@monumentacademy.net or you can call 719-431-8001 x 1010.

Harvest of Love

Food and Money collection will be the week of November 7th. Make checks payable to “Tri Lakes Cares”. Please give to help your neighbors.

Staff Appreciation and Desired Supplies

<https://www.monumentacademy.net/parent-information/teacherstaff-appreciation-ideas/>



MS Principals get a Pie To The Face

East PTO fundraiser – Warrior Games – was a Success!

Josten's Picture Ordering Tips

Monument Academy's Secondary Campus is in Colorado Springs

Event Codes are MS = FE149222 and HS = FE149122

Your student's ID number can be found in Infinite Campus

Yearbooks

Order yours today at <https://www.jostens.com/yearbooks/students-and-parents/about-yearbooks>

Call out for Photos for the Yearbooks

Please send any photos from sports, classrooms, etc that the yearbook might like to use to our yearbook advisor at [Email](#)

Middle School Football by Hill Mancini (10th grader)

The Monument Academy Middle School boys football team went undefeated all season! Head coach Karstens meant a whole lot to the team and to me. He helped the team succeed in each and every game as the season went along, leading our team to average 200 yards rushing and 100 yards passing each game! The team scored 50% more points throughout the season than any other team in our division. All the players, led by our eighth graders, showed great sportsmanship and included their younger teammates to foster a great team spirit. The other coaches were dedicated and led us through an unbelievable season with their strategies and kept on cheering for every one of the players that was out on the field.

To close out an amazing season, the MA boys won the championship game against the CSCS Lions. Quarterback Kennedy Karstens showed up strong all season with some huge passes to the end zone! And running back Drew Japp blew up in the final game with five sacks, including a safety and two tackles. Huge! Thanks to Palmer Ridge High School for hosting the game and allowing our community to come together to show some incredible support! There may have been more fans at the championship game than any other in the history of middle school football! Many thanks to the cheer team who were dedicated in traveling to each of the games and showed great spirit and joy on the sidelines and during their high-energy, exciting halftime performances. Thanks also to the parents who supported the football players, and to the pep band led by Mr. Patterson! He pulled together the MA pep band only a couple of days before the championship game, and it was unbelievable. They were really loud and made a big difference to the game. The drums were on point! Thank you to all the coaches, cheerleaders, parents, and players for an awesome season, one that I will never forget.



EXPERIENCE MONUMENT ACADEMY HIGH-SCHOOL

Lets Taco 'bout High School
Night

6:00 pm
Thursday, November 17, 2022
Monument Academy
East Commons



Current 7th and 8th grade families, let's taco 'bout Monument Academy's EAST campus, high school programs and what to expect for the 2023/24 academic year. We look forward to serving your student in the fall.

Please
RSVP by
11/14

TO RSVP
SCAN THE QR CODE
or email
events@monumentacademy.net



High School ICAP Completion

As an integral piece to success after high school, students at MAHS will create and maintain an Individual Career and Academic Plan (ICAP) to facilitate their postsecondary college and workforce readiness. Development of an ICAP is a multi-year process that intentionally guides students in the exploration of career, academic, and postsecondary opportunities. Find out more at the Colorado Department of Education’s website ([CDE ICAP Information](#)).

Throughout your student’s high school experience, they will be developing their ICAP using the college and career readiness tool, Naviance Student via the Naviance platform. Naviance Student allows your student to:

- Get Involved in the Planning and Advising Process - Build a resume, complete surveys, and manage timelines and deadlines for making decisions about colleges and careers.
- Research Colleges - Compare GPA, standardized test scores, and other statistics relative to what your student would like in their college (i.e., size, location, major/minor, activities, public/private, etc.)
- Research Careers - Research hundreds of careers and career clusters and take career assessments.
- Create Future Plans - Create goals and to-dos, and complete tasks to better prepare for future college and career goals.

MAHS ICAP Task Calendar

| | 9th Grade | 10th Grade | 11th Grade | 12th Grade |
|-----------------|---|---|---|--|
| Fall Semester | Strengths Explorer, SEL SMART Goal, Academic SMART Goal | Achieveworks Learning & Productivity assessment, SEL SMART Goal, Academic SMART Goal | Achieveworks Personality assessment, SuperMatch College Search, Add Colleges to List, SEL SMART Goal, Academic SMART Goal | Apply to Colleges, Apply for Scholarships, SEL SMART Goal, Academic SMART Goal |
| Spring Semester | Career Cluster Finder, Add 3 Career Clusters to List, Career SMART Goal, Resume Builder, PSAT 9 | Career Interest Profiler, Add 3 Careers to List, Career SMART Goal, Resume Builder, PSAT 10 | Game Plan Survey, Scholarship Search, Add Colleges to List, Career SMART goal, Resume Builder, SAT | Complete Graduation Survey |

Students will begin to work in Naviance Student over the next few weeks during Academy Time. First, students will gain an understanding of the Naviance Student platform and its capabilities and then receive their login information to explore Naviance Student and begin their grade-level tasks. Students will be able to access their Naviance Student account at any time from any mobile-friendly device. I encourage you to ask them about their progress and share in their experience.

Mrs. Emily Davis, MAHS Counselor



Monument Academy East Campus



VETERANS = DAY =

CELEBRATION

HONORING ALL WHO SERVED

NOVEMBER 11, 2022

8:15 A.M.

Monument Academy East will be hosting a
Veterans Day breakfast for
MA East Veteran Parents or Veteran Special Family Members

Scan QR to RSVP
or email Events@monumentacademy.net



PTO is running a Fallidays Fundraiser!

Enjoy a lovely set of coordinating soap, bath bomb, and lip balm as a gift for a friend, teacher, loved one... or a spa day for you. This specially customized offering is hand-crafted in small batches to ensure the utmost quality for you!

Each set was designed especially for Monument Academy families and includes: (1) 4oz. Scented Artisan Soap, (2) 4oz. Scented Bath Bombs, and (1) Shea Butter Lip Balm. Choose between Lynx Peppermint Swirl and Winter Lynx.

- Sold: Nov. 1st - Nov. 19th
- Delivered: Nov. 30th
- Cost: \$30 each set

*Limited Qty! Only 30 sets available in each scent. Get yours while supplies last.

These lovely sets were handmade by Sean & Marisa Allen through their beauty & spa store "PrestaGoods". Thank you so much Marisa for sharing your talent with our school.

Happy Shopping,
The MA East PTO

**SPA DAY
GIFT SETS**

BROUGHT TO YOU BY THE EAST PTO

*HANDMADE WITH LOVE BY PRESTAGOODS
A LOCALLY OWNED MA FAMILY SHOP*

CHOOSE BETWEEN:
LYNX PEPPERMINT SWIRL - OR - WINTER LYNX
EACH \$30 SET INCLUDES: 1 ARTISAN SOAP, 2 BATH
BOMBS, & 1 LIP BALM

SOLD: NOV. 1 - NOV. 19 & DELIVERED: NOV. 30
*LIMITED QTY - GET YOURS WHILE SUPPLIES LAST
TO PURCHASE VISIT: WWW.MAEASTPTO.COM