

September 2023



## Welcome back to school!

Dear Parents,

We are off to a great start of a new school year. Students are engaged in learning daily. All routines and procedures are in place and students have met all of their teachers for this quarter. Currently, we are MAP testing for the next couple of weeks, so please encourage your child to make sure their laptops are fully charged.

In addition, we are now signing up students for any extra-curricular activities offered throughout the school year Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday from 2:45 until 4:45. Here is a great opportunity for your child to extend their day with tutoring, sports, and many clubs. If you have a question, feel free to contact our office.

Finally, I look forward to meeting all parents Wednesday, September 6, 2023 for our Open House from 4:30 p.m. until 6:30 p.m. There's a lot of important information to share regarding students' academics and activities for the 2023-2024 school year. Thank you for all you do to support Irving Middle School.

Best,

Keith Mahone Sr.

Principal

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Principal

**Nicole DeLoncker**

Assistant Principal

**MaryRose  
Matheson**

Dean of Students

**Nicholas Girijalva**

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## Upcoming Events

Labor Day 9/4/23 No School

Open House 9/6/23  
4:30 p.m. until 6:30 p.m.  
8th grade Parent Meeting  
6:00 p.m until 6:30 p.m.  
Gymnasium

Tuesday 1:30 p.m. dismissal  
9/5,9/12,9/19,9/26

## Community Resources

### Maywood Library Hours

**Mon. and Wed**

12:00 - 7:00 pm

**Tues. & Thurs.**

12:00 - 5:30 pm

**Saturday**

9:00 - 5:30 pm

**Fri, Sun, and Holidays Closed**

### Maywood Park District Hours

**Mon-Fri**

9 am - 5 pm

**Saturday**

10 am - 4 pm

Sunday

CLOSED

## Communication

Access District 89 Information & the Monthly Newsletter  
<http://www.maywood89.org>

School Facebook <https://www.facebook.com/irvingschool/>

Parent Portal: <https://powerschool.maywood89.org/public/>

## Monthly Expectations/Goals

- 100% Attendance
- Students in Full Uniform
- Students Present and On-Time: 7:55 am
- Completion of All Classwork/Homework Assignments

## ABC's of Student Success

**A B C**s Of Student Success

**A** is for ATTENDANCE.

Attendance is a critical factor in any child's school success. Children should attend school every day, except in cases of illness or emergency. It is impossible to replace the learning that happens on any school day with make-up work. Regular attendance and promptness are good habits that are expected and appreciated at all levels of schooling *and* in the workplace. This year, make school a priority in your household. Commit to excellence in attendance. Your child's future depends on it!

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