



Desert Wind Middle School
"Home of the Tigers"

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May 3, 2019

Dear 8th Grade Parents/Guardians,

The Promotion Ceremony for our 8th grade students will be held on **Tuesday, May 21, 2019 at 7:00pm on the Maricopa High School Football field. It is open seating for all family and friends.** Students will not be able to come to the ceremony with backpacks, balloons, flowers or any other items. Such items can be given to students after the ceremony.

Students will not be permitted to participate in the Promotion Ceremony for any one of the following reasons:

- *Student is failing 2 or more of their core classes**
- *Student was out of school suspended (OSS) after April 5, 2019 for any infraction in accordance with the MUSD Secondary Student Handbook Code of Conduct or adhering to the Code of Conduct**
- *Outstanding student fees for the cafeteria, library books and/or textbooks, instrumental rental fees and/or sports uniforms**

As we plan for this celebration, please review our dress code expectations with your student. Our female students may wear spaghetti straps or strapless dresses. However, no undergarments should be visible and **NO HIGH HEELS will be permitted on the football field.** Dress length should be knee length or longer. Any color is permissible. For our male students, they should wear dress pants and collared shirts. Please maintain our school and student integrity by adhering to our dress code expectations, this is an opportunity to acknowledge and celebrate their success.

IMPOTRANT DATES

Friday, May 10, 2019 - 8th grade Dance 5:30pm -7:30pm, tickets will be \$5.00

Wednesday, May 15, 2019 - Athletic Uniforms and all outstanding fees for pay to play, instrument rental and library are due

Friday, May 17, 2019 - 8th grade trip to Six Flags Magic Mountain

Tuesday, May 21, 2019

- 9:30 a.m. - Rehearsal here at DWMS**
- 6:30 p.m. - Students report to MHS MPR (Please be on time)**
- 7:00 p.m. - Promotion Ceremony at MHS Football field**

Friday, May 24, 2019 – Last Day of School, 2:10 pm early release

Sincerely,

Mrs. June Celaya
Principal