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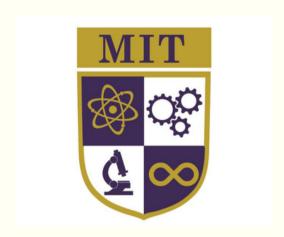
Happy Friday, Iron Eagles!

Congratulations on an amazing first week of school. I feel fortunate to have this opportunity to serve the MIT community as a Headmaster. Being an Iron Eagle for the past four years, I know exactly what I will need to accomplish to continue holding our students to the highest academic standards. Let's make this a great school year!

Please see below for important items and updates. Once again, congratulations, and keep up the good work!

Kind regards,

Mr. Gandhi - Headmaster









The Summer break just flew away and our teachers and team were back in action last week, for planning and preparing for the great start of this school year. MIT Teachers and Admin team participated in professional development where we brainstormed new ideas related to curriculum scope and sequence and best teaching practices.

This year, I personally invited our students to attend the welcome-back assembly in the MIT Lecture Hall. During this assembly, we shared very important information about what MIT has to offer and What MIT expects. Students were excited to learn many new additions this year for both academics and activities. The MIT term "RESPECT" was very easy to understand for students which inspired them to learn to work as a team.





SCHOOL UNIFORMS

It is a pleasure to see our students well-dressed and well-prepared on the school campus. I am very well aware of the situation that some of the students who are still waiting for their uniforms to be shipped. I will allow students to communicate with me if that is the case and excuse them if they are not in complete uniform. At the same time, we would still want our students to wear white color shirts/polo and black/khaki pants/shorts.



COMPUTERS/TECHNOLOGY



Our students are required to bring their own computers to work on their lessons. However, I understand if it is difficult to make such an arrangement quickly. If students need some more time to buy their own computers, we can let them borrow them from the school. They can come to the front office and request the application form to borrow the school computers and we will provide the best support we can.

UPCOMING BENCHMARK TESTING

All MIT students will be participating in Galileo Benchmark tests next week. Please encourage your student to try their hardest on these assessments. These assessments are utilized by both our administration and teachers to drive instruction in achieving academic excellence this school year. Our next round of benchmarks will be in December and will be a great opportunity to measure student growth.





SPORTS

Athletics Department Key Dates & Information

- Boys Soccer Tryouts are on August 7th & 8th starting at 3:30 pm on the MIT Southwest Practice Field
- Girls Volleyball Tryouts are on August 7th & 8th from 6:30pm to 8:00pm at the Kings Ridge Gymnasium
- Cheer Tryouts are on August 10th & 11th from 3:30pm to 5:00pm in the MIT cafeteria.

Students will **NOT** be able to try out for our athletic teams once tryouts have concluded.

All students who are wanting to try out for our sports teams must complete the following tasks to be eligible.

- Use the Register My Athlete link below and complete registration.
- Obtain a CAA physical evaluation from a doctor and upload the form to the Register My Athlete portal.

Register My Athlete - https://www.registermyathlete.com/login/

Help with Register My Athlete - https://sites.google.com/mitglobalonline.org/mitathletics/registration

The MIT Athletics Department has created a new website with lots of information and resources: https://sites.google.com/mitglobalonline.org/mitathletics/home



It may be difficult to schedule an appointment with your child's primary doctor for a sports physical. If that is the case, a local clinic called Concentra Urgent Care accepts walk-ins and the cost is \$35.

Address: 5340 W Buckeye Rd Unit 3 Phoenix, AZ 85043

• Phone: (602) 233-2117

You will need the doctor to complete the approved CAA 2023-2024 physical form. This form can be found on the MIT athletics website under the tab called "Registration".

The MIT Athletics Department is need of several game workers for our fall, winter, & spring home games. The MIT Athletics Department pays all game workers \$25 per game. If you would like to sign up, please go to the athletics website and click on the Game Workers tab.

Our Winter Sports Parent/Athlete meeting is taking place on Monday, September 18th at 6pm in the MIT Lecture Hall. If you are interested in trying out for any of the teams listed below then please join us to learn about our programs and meet our coaches!

- Boys Basketball
- Girls Basketball
- Cornhole
- eSports
- Chess

For the most up to date information, check out the calendar tab on the MIT Athletics website.

If you have any questions, please email our Athletic Director: nbutler@mitglobalonline.org