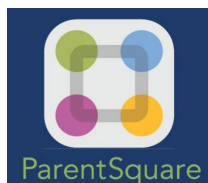


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**ParentSquare** is a messaging platform that will be used to communicate among MCPS schools, teachers, students and parents. Parent Square accounts to enable you to send and/or receive messages using a preferred mode of communication and in your preferred language.

**Parent guides for Parent Square:**  
English Spanish French Korean  
Chinese Vietnamese  
Portuguese Amharic



**ParentVUE** is the parent portal for MCPS. It's your secure window into important information about your child's education—attendance, progress reports, grades, report cards, and more. ParentVUE also links to **MyMCPSClassroom**, where you can see class materials in 5th grade. Available online and as a mobile app, ParentVUE is the Parent Portal that serves as the primary home-to-school communication vehicle.

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| What?                              | When?                                                         | From                              |
|------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| <b>MCPS Communication</b>          | Weekly- Thursday evenings                                     | MCPS, ParentSquare                |
| <b>Mustang Message</b>             | Weekly- Sunday evening                                        | Dr. Taylor-Cox, ParentSquare      |
| <b>Pre-K/PEP Updates</b>           | Weekly- Friday                                                | Classroom Teacher, ParentSquare   |
| <b>Kindergarten Updates</b>        | Weekly, Friday                                                | Classroom Teacher, ParentSquare   |
| <b>Grade 1 Updates</b>             | Weekly, Monday                                                | Classroom Teacher, ParentSquare   |
| <b>Grade 2 Updates</b>             | Weekly, Mondays                                               | Classroom Teacher, ParentSquare   |
| <b>Grade 3 Updates</b>             | Weekly, Fridays                                               | Classroom Teacher, ParentSquare   |
| <b>Grade 4 Updates</b>             | Weekly, Fridays                                               | Classroom Teacher, ParentSquare   |
| <b>Grade 5 Updates</b>             | Weekly, Mondays                                               | Classroom Teacher, ParentSquare   |
| <b>Autism Class Updates</b>        | Weekly - Friday                                               | Classroom Teacher, ParentSquare   |
| <b>Direct messages</b>             | As needed                                                     | Forest Knolls Staff, ParentSquare |
| <b>Grades Posted</b>               | Interim and End of Quarter                                    | ParentVue - documents             |
| <b>Progress Reports Posted K-5</b> | About 30 days after testing window (DIBELS, MAP, mCLASS math) | ParentVue- documents              |