



University Elementary
Monday Minute - January 17, 2023

1. Kindergarten Open House - February 9th
 2. 100th Day of School - Wednesday
 3. UES Spelling Bee - Grades 3-6
 4. 4th Grade Makers Challenge Showcase - Thursday
 5. 2-Hour Delay Days and/or E-Learning Days
 6. Lotus Festival Community Day - April 1st
 7. UES PTO Meeting Tonight @ 6:30
 8. 2022-2023 MCCSC Calendar
 9. January Breakfast/Lunch Menu
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1. MCCSC will conduct their annual Kindergarten Open Houses on Thursday, February 9th. University School invites prospective kindergarteners for the 2023-2024 school year to join us beginning at 6:00 PM to learn about the life of a kindergartener at University School. Families need to attend their HOMESCHOOL Open House on February 9th.
 2. Wednesday is the 100th day of school. We can't wait to see all of our "100 day smarter" students!
 3. Classroom spelling bees are taking place this week for students in grades 3-6. The winners from each class will participate in the school bee on Thursday, January 26th beginning at 9:45 in the cafeteria. Parents/guardians of the classroom winners are invited to view the school-wide bee in-person.
 4. Thursday, January 19th @ 6:00, MCCSC will recognize the building winners from across all the elementaries at Bloomington High School South. Congrats to our UES winners!
 5. In the event of a 2-hour delay, University School will push their schedule back by 2-hours. School will begin at 11:30, but we will keep our regular end time of 4:15. Buses will run on a 2-hour delay in the mornings. We will unload car riders and buses at 11:10 and 11:15, respectively. In the event that weather does not permit us to have school in-person, we will have an e-learning day. Your child will engage with their class on CANVAS and Microsoft TEAMS. When we have an



e-learning day, students will be provided with 3 hours of live instruction in ELA, Math, Specials, and Intervention (ex. Speech, Special Education, ENL, Homeroom). This schedule is available on our UES webpage. Your child's CANVAS page, when it is time, will have the schedule as well.

6. This year's Lotus Blossoms World Bazaar Community Day (free and open to the public) will be on Saturday, April 1 from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m at Fairview Elementary School.
7. We will hold our January PTO Meeting tonight @ 6:30 in the science lab. Please see the separate email with the agenda. Zoom is available if you cannot attend in person:
<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/89571890954?pwd=eDMrK0s3R1JaenE3bU9ubExVNU04Zz09>
8. Please access the [2022-2023 MCCSC Calendar](#) for important district dates including breaks, end of reporting periods, and holidays.
9. Access the January lunch menu [here](#).

UNIVERSITY SCHOOL MISSION

We at University Elementary School work together to encourage our students to become inquiring, reflective learners who value others in an inclusive community and around the world.

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