



# The Cash Register

Parent Newsletter of M.C. Cash Elementary School • Aug. 2022

Dear Parents and Guardians,

Welcome to the 2022-23 school year! MC Cash Roadrunners are "RACEing" towards Excellence, we are excited to get back to work. We look forward to your continued support this year.

M.C. Cash is a Kids at Hope School. This means that all adults at M.C. Cash believe that all students are capable of success... No Exceptions! Each and every RoadRunner has special talents and abilities and our staff is dedicated to finding and growing those in each and every student.

Parents are encouraged to monitor student progress by logging into our online gradebook through the parent portal on our district website at [www.laveeneld.org](http://www.laveeneld.org). If you are new to ParentVUE, you will need an activation code. The front office can give that to you.

All students will be given a new ID badge, plastic holder, and lanyard on the first days of school. Students are expected to wear their ID each day as part of their school uniform. An ID is required to enter onto campus, eat lunch in the cafeteria, ride the bus, and check-out library books. Students who lose their ID will be required to purchase a new one.

We appreciate your support in ensuring that your student is at school everyday on time. Our teachers are dedicated to ensuring that students grow academically, socially, and emotionally throughout the year. Consistent attendance helps to ensure we are able to reach that goal.

Dismissal numbers were distributed prior to the beginning of school. If you need a new one or do not have your number, please contact the front office.

Thank you for your continued support of your child's education and please contact me or our front office at (602) 237-9120 if we can ever be of any assistance.

## Like us on Facebook



Please take a moment to "like" us on Facebook for reminders, announcements, videos, links, and event pictures

<https://www.facebook.com/MCCashSchool>

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## Important Dates

- August 11 Governing Board Meeting
  - August 23 NWEA Assessments begin
  - August 24 Early Release / \$1.00 Dress Down Day
  - August 26 3-8 NWEA Assessments End
  - August 29 K-2 AimsWeb Assessments Begin
  - September 1 Curriculum Night
  - September 5 Labor Day - No School
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## 2022 Arizona Tax Credit

Arizona allows taxpayers to dedicate dollars to education while reducing the amount you owe on your 2022 taxes through the tax credit program. For every dollar you donate, the amount you owe on your Arizona taxes will be that much less. If you do not owe taxes, the amount you donate may be carried forward to offset future tax liabilities. You can make your donation [online](#) or download the form [here](#).

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## PBIS

We are excited to announce that our school uses PBIS Rewards to help us with our PBIS program. PBIS Rewards is a technology-based PBIS Management System that helps us with our behavior incentive program. Our students can earn rewards throughout the day by meeting our behavior expectations. These rewards can be redeemed for privileges, tangible items, access to events, and other similar things.

PBIS Rewards has a Parent App that will give you some insight into how your child is doing with respect to our PBIS program. The Parent App will run on most smart devices.. You can find it in the iPhone/iPad App Store, Google Play, and the Amazon App Store. Just search for "PBIS Rewards Parent".

You will be receiving a personalized letter with a QR code which will give you access to your child's PBIS Rewards account. Please talk with your child/children about what they can do to be Respectful, Accountable, Committed to a safe school and Engaged both at school and at home.



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## School Uniforms

Please review the Laveen School District's uniform policy with your child(ren)



Shirts/Tops: Short-sleeves or long-sleeves in **solid white, navy blue or light blue**. Polo-style, blouses, or button down with collars. No logos. No t-shirts.

Pants/Skirts/Bottoms: Pants or shorts in **solid black, navy blue or khaki**.

Dresses, jumpers, or skirts in **solid black, navy blue or khaki**. No jeans. No sweatpants. No leggings.

Outerwear/Jackets: Jackets, sweatshirts or sweaters in **solid navy blue, black, white, gray, or light blue**. Outerwear must be worn over an approved uniform shirt. IDs & Lanyards

School-issued IDs and lanyards are considered part of the required school uniform and must be worn daily.

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## Student Support

2 Ninja Sensory paths now line the primary hallways in the D building. These paths help students regain focus and support motor skill development. Students are encouraged to jump, wiggle, and move as they walk down the hallway, but very quiet like a Ninja.





This year, all classrooms are equipped with a calm down space. Calm down spaces are a physical spot in the room where students can go to regulate their emotions. The space has calming tools and signage that encourage calming routines and allow students to continue learning.

MC Cash has instituted an **Off and Away** electronics policy. We want students to be able to come to school and focus on the business of learning. Students turn their electronic devices off and put them away for the day. Students may choose to turn their electronics into the office for safekeeping each day. Parents needing to contact their student during the instructional day may call the front office at (602) 237-9120.