

Cunningham Connection



From the Principal...

We had an amazing start to the school year. This Connection is my attempt to cover as much as I can in two pages. Pictured above is the newly selected Student Council. After only a few meetings, these 17 students have already started working on our Kindness Assembly, Anti-Bullying Assembly and student paper. The Safety Patrol was also recently chosen by Madame Morton. You will see these students helping out during arrival and dismissal in the near future. Please continue reading to learn about other Cunningham updates.

IMPORTANT LINKS

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NEW WEBSITE

Thanks to Mrs. Butler, we have a new website. Our goal is that it will serve as the one place families can access information.

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MCAS PARENT LETTER

Important information about the Next Generation MCAS

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MONSTER DASH

This Sunday the Race is on! All money raised will go towards Elementary Science.



Flexible Seating Options

All classrooms have different seating options for students.



DONORS CHOOSE

Mrs. McKay's students excited about their new classroom rug.



Caught Being Kind!

Students who are caught doing something kind will receive a coin they can trade for prizes.

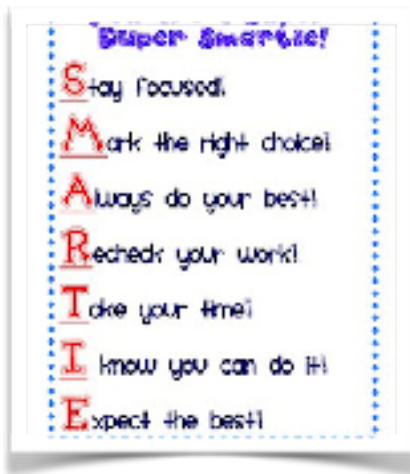
Celebrating Our Differences

Fourth grade students were engaged in many activities that focused on different ways individuals learn. Students experienced first hand how a task they may feel is simple or easy for them may be more difficult for others. A special thank you to all of the parent volunteers for running the stations.



the presentation will include MCAS data. If you have any questions about MCAS, please contact the school. [CUNNINGHAM MCAS SCHEDULE](#)

Next Generation MCAS



This school year, students in grades 3, 4 and 5 will take the next generation MCAS Assessment on a device. On Tuesday, the results of students' MCAS

assessments from 2017 will be mailed out. On November 9th, Cunningham Site Council will present at School Committee at 7 pm. Part of

Curriculum Updates/Events

The Milton Public Schools uses Standards-Based Report Cards. If you'd like to learn more about our Standards-Based Report Cards, you are welcome to join Principal Redden and Assistant Principal Butler on Tuesday, November 21 at 8:00 for a Parent/Guardian Coffee and Report Card Presentation.

Our Cunningham Diversity Committee is excited to welcome any members of the Cunningham community to an evening Diversity Event on November 30. Details will be sent out soon!

ARRIVAL AND TRAFFIC

Thank you for abiding by the new traffic plan put in place this year. I appreciate the feedback. This past Wednesday, I shared this information with the Milton police and Superintendent Gormley. The goal has always been to make sure students are safe when crossing. We have staff volunteers who help with a duty outside everyday to support this effort. However, we recognize that traffic comes to a standstill at times causing understandable frustration and students to arrive after the 8:20 am bell. The Milton police are currently following up with DPW to see what improvements can be made before the winter weather arrives. Again, your feedback has been essential.



