

Montgomery Village Middle School  
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*After School Activities Program*  
**2009-2010**



Teaching and reaching Every student, every day At MVMS

**Proud To Be In The Middle**

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## General Information



After-School activities are held on **Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday** every week throughout the school year, except where indicated on the attached activity schedule. No activities are held on early release days or school holidays. All activities, except for interscholastic games, **start at 2:45 p.m.** and **end at 4:10 p.m.** Activity buses are available for students to ride home, but the runs are somewhat different than regular bus routes; please check the activity bus schedule at the bottom of this page.

The activity bus leaves the school at **4:15 p.m.** each day it runs. Students must obtain an activity bus pass from the sponsor of the activity and present it to the bus driver upon boarding the bus. **Students will not be allowed to take the activity bus without this pass.** In addition, *students who are absent the day of an after school or evening activity may not participate in the activity.* Children who don't ride the activity bus must be picked up by their parent/guardian no later than 4:15 p.m.

## Academic Eligibility



The MCPS policy establishing eligibility standards for participation in extracurricular activities is very clear (Policy IQD, Regulation IQR-RD for Middle School Students). In summary, it reads: The policy will not apply to 1st quarter for 6<sup>th</sup> grade students or any student entering MCPS schools for the first time. It also does not apply to students engaged in activities which are extensions of a graded course. Students in grade 6-12 must maintain a 2.0 grade point average with no more than one “E” in the previous marking period to be eligible to participate in the listed activities.

## Extracurricular Activities Fee



Montgomery County Public Schools (MCPS) requires a fee for all middle school and high school students interested in participating in extracurricular activities. This yearly fee covers all activities that a student may choose to participate in during the school year.

An extracurricular activity is defined as any activity for which there is an adult supervising students beyond the instructional day in a school-sponsored activity. A fee is not required for students receiving academic assistance such as homework club and math help.

Pre-printed [Extracurricular Activity Fee \(ECA\)](http://www.montgomeryschoolsmd.org/departments/forms/pdf/280-37.pdf) forms are available in the main office or on the MCPS website (<http://www.montgomeryschoolsmd.org/departments/forms/pdf/280-37.pdf>). Payment should be sent directly to the address listed on the form (please, do NOT send payment to the school).

There is a sliding fee based on household income. It is as follows:

- Household income greater than \$35,000 - \$30
- Household income below \$35,000 - \$15

## Activity Bus Information



The activity bus runs on **Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursdays**. The activity bus leaves MV at 4:15 p.m. and drops off at the following stops:

- Game Preserve Rd and Arrowsmith at Service Road
- Christopher Ave and Gallop Hill Rd
- Arrowhead and Rothbury Dr
- Goshen Rd from Wightman Rd to Stewartown Rd
- Goshen Rd and Sandy Lake Dr to Emory Grove Rd
- Emory Grove and Grover Rd
- Frostburg Way and Arrowhead Circle
- Stewartown Rd and Merust Lane

**Any student who lives outside the Montgomery Village district should see or call Ms. Dina Hagins @ 301-840-4660.**

***MONTGOMERY VILLAGE MS***  
***AFTER SCHOOL ACTIVITIES DAYS***  
***2009-2010***

After School Activities Days

<u><b>September</b></u> Tues Wed 29 30	<u><b>October</b></u> Tues Wed Thurs 1 6 7 8 13 14 15 20 21 22 27 28 29	<u><b>November</b></u> Tues Wed Thurs 3 4 5 10 X X 17 18 19 24 X X
<u><b>December</b></u> Tues Wed Thurs  1 2 3 8 9 10 15 16 17 22 23 X	<u><b>January</b></u> Tues Wed Thurs 5 6 7 12 13 14 19 20 21 26 27 28	<u><b>February</b></u> Tues Wed Thurs 2 3 4 9 10 11 16 17 18 23 24 25
<u><b>March</b></u> Tues Wed Thurs 2 3 4 9 10 11 16 17 18 23 24 25	<u><b>April</b></u> Tues Wed Thurs X 7 8 13 14 15 20 21 22 27 28 29	<u><b>May</b></u> Tues Wed Thurs 4 5 6 11 12 <b><i>Last day of activity buses:            May 12, 2010</i></b>

# ACTIVITIES

**Name of Club:** **Hip-Hop Educational Literacy Program (HELP)**  
**Sponsor:** Ms. Jen Shapiro  
**Meeting Day(s):** Wednesday, 3:00-4:00  
**Meeting Place:** Room 174  
**Description:** This is a creative reading program combining the power of hip-hop with proven reading instruction. The reading will come alive by using lyrics from popular hip-hop songs that form the foundation of the curriculum in this program.

**Name of Club:** **The National Junior Honor Society**  
**Sponsor:** Kim Sidorick and Melissa Besso  
**Meeting Day(s):** Tuesday, 3:00-4:00  
**Meeting Place:** Room 186  
**Description:** This group will work to promote civic duty, pride in community and high academic standards through tutoring at the elementary school, volunteering in activities to help beautify the community and building relationships with the elderly in the community.

**Name of Club:** **Gentlemen in Training Ambassadors**  
**Sponsor:** Mr. Glenn Malone  
**Meeting Day(s):** Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, 3:00-4:00  
**Meeting Place:** Room 45  
**Description:** This group will provide an atmosphere that promotes the social growth of our young men by exposing them to the social norms of successful men in the community.

**Name of Club:** **International Language and Culture Club**  
**Sponsor:** Molly Elmore and Susan Gross  
**Meeting Day(s):** Tuesday and Thursday, 3:00-4:00  
**Meeting Place:** Room 180  
**Description:** Students will enhance literacy skills at our language lab and will also develop pride in their culture as well as respect for other cultures; ultimately enhancing the sense of “community” at MVMS.

**Name of Club:** **Environmental Club**  
**Sponsor:** Susan Gross  
**Meeting Day(s):** Wednesday, 3:00-4:00  
**Meeting Place:** Room 146  
**Description:** The Green Team will stimulate student interest in relevant scientific issues as well as contribute to the beauty and climate of the school.

**Name of Club:**

Sponsor:

Meeting Day(s):

Meeting Place:

Description:

**Homework Club**

Team Leaders will oversee

Wednesday, 3:00-4:00

Media Center

**Name of Club:**

Sponsor:

Meeting Day(s):

Meeting Place:

Description:

**Drama Productions**

Mr. Luparello

Mon.-Thurs., 3:00-5:00pm

Room 128 or onstage

**Name of Club:**

Sponsor:

Meeting Day(s):

Meeting Place:

Description:

**Jazz Band**

Mr. Goba

2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Monday each month

Room 130

Jazz band is a course designed to offer all students the opportunity to learn and play jazz music from the past century and pop music of today in a small ensemble setting of 15 to 20 students. This group is by audition only and performs at least twice a year at our school Winter and Spring concerts.

**This list contains the activities available at this point. Additional activities will be added as sponsors and schedules are finalized. Please listen on the morning announcements**