

FRMA families,

It gives me great pride to share that Fred Rodgers Magnet Academy was named one of the top middle schools in the **nation** by *US News and World Report*. This prestigious national recognition is based on a variety of measures comparing our schools to others throughout the country. For more information, please visit this [link](#).

One of the key factors of our school's success is our family engagement and support. Thank you so much for your continued care and involvement about our school community.

Here are some important announcements for the week:

Access to Parent Coffees

Our monthly meetings are traditionally held during the day at 10:00 a.m. Leslie Hernandez, our Parent Liaison, and I are asking families to provide feedback on if there are any other opportunities for us to connect with families in addition to these meetings. Please take a moment to respond to [this survey](#) which will help us plan our engagement strategies.

MAP Testing

Our students will take MAP tests in math and reading on Wednesday, January 21st, and Thursday, January 22nd. Please encourage your child to have his or her Chromebook charged and ready for the day and to get a good night of sleep before the test. Test results will be shared later this winter.

No School Monday, January 20th

Our district will be closed on Monday, January 20th, to observe the Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. holiday. Students return to school on a late start Tuesday.

Enjoy your weekend,

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