

Welcome!

Serving Preschool through Grade 12

New Family Orientation

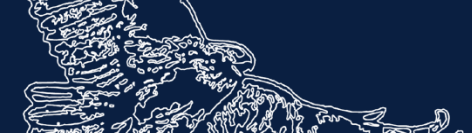




MISSION

We are a diverse learning community dedicated to creative, intellectual and ethical growth. We support our students to become caring, self-aware, discerning and articulate individuals. We believe a fulfilling life includes personal accomplishments, meaningful relationships, and service to society.





ACCREDITATION

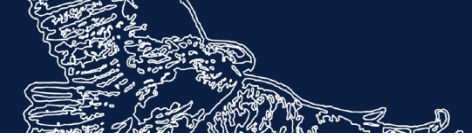


Mount Madonna School has been granted a seven-year accreditation with a mid-cycle visit from the California Association of Independent Schools (CAIS) and the Accrediting Commission for Schools, the Western Association of Schools and Colleges (ACS WASC). We are proud to have earned this accreditation.

Read more at:

<https://www.mountmadonnaschool.org/mount-madonna-school-granted-full-seven-year-accreditation/>





MMS THREE PILLARS

www.mountmadonnaschool.org/about/philosophy/





The PDF can be found in the Hawk Portal

Ways MMS Communicates

WAYS MOUNT MADONNA SCHOOL COMMUNICATES

<p>WEBSITE MOUNTMADONNASCHOOL.ORG</p> <p>EMAILS WEEKLY ENEWS WEEKLY LOWER SCHOOL EMAILS CAMPUS COMMUNICATIONS AND REMINDERS INDIVIDUAL COMMUNICATIONS</p> <p>Email is the primary method by which the school communicates. We use Constant Contact to send weekly eNews and schoolwide communications. Please do not opt out of Constant Contact.</p> <p>BUS NOTIFICATIONS TITAN HST</p> <p>Notifies families via email, phone and text messages about transportation emergencies.</p> <p>EMERGENCY NOTIFICATIONS TITAN HST</p> <p>In the event of a campus-wide emergency, our notification system is used to communicate important information to families via email, phone and text messages.</p>	<p>ONLINE CALENDAR MOUNTMADONNASCHOOL.ORG/EVENTS</p> <p>PORTALS LEARNING MANAGEMENT SYSTEM mountmadonnaschool.schoolology.com Schoology is where teachers may post syllabuses, assignments, quiz and test scores for students.</p> <p>MIDDLE SCHOOL & HIGH SCHOOL STUDENT INFORMATION SYSTEM mountmadonna.powerschool.com/public Powerschool is where the administrative records are maintained including final grades and transcripts.</p> <p>HAWKS LOGIN mountmadonnaschool.org/hawk-login The Hawks login contains pertinent information for current parents that is not shared with the general public.</p> <p>SOCIAL MEDIA FACEBOOK @mountmadonnaschool INSTAGRAM @mountmadonnaschool LINKEDIN linkedin.com/school/mount-madonna-school/mycompany/ YOUTUBE @mountmadonna</p>
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FINDING YOUR WAY AROUND CAMPUS

WEBSITE MOUNTMADONNASCHOOL.ORG

EMAILS
WEEKLY ENEWS
WEEKLY LOWER SCHOOL EMAILS
CAMPUS COMMUNICATIONS AND REMINDERS
INDIVIDUAL COMMUNICATIONS

Email is the primary method by which the school communicates. We use Constant Contact to send weekly eNews and schoolwide communications. Please do not opt out of Constant Contact.

BUS NOTIFICATIONS
TITAN HST

Notifies families via email, phone and text messages about transportation emergencies.

EMERGENCY NOTIFICATIONS
TITAN HST

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IMPORTANT PHONE NUMBERS

School Office	408.947.2717
Attendance	408.947.2717, option 1
Transportation	408.946.4031
Finance	408.946.4021
Registrar	408.946.4024
Head of School	408.946.4041
Director of Preschool	408.946.4074
Director of Lower School	408.946.4029
Director of Upper School	408.946.4053
Dean of Students	408.946.4055
Admissions	408.946.4042
Development	408.946.4032

REPORT ABSENCE/FAMILY BEHAVIORAL VIA EMAIL
attendance@mountmadonnaschool.org

CONNECT TO MMS CAMPUS WiFi
 Guests can access the MMS WiFi around campus. Connect to the network with the following credentials:
 Network: MMS_Guest
 Password: MMS@12345

ONLINE CALENDAR MOUNTMADONNASCHOOL.ORG/EVENTS

PORTALS
LEARNING MANAGEMENT SYSTEM
mountmadonnaschool.schoolology.com
MIDDLE SCHOOL & HIGH SCHOOL STUDENT INFORMATION SYSTEM
mountmadonna.powerschool.com/public
HAWKS LOGIN
mountmadonnaschool.org/hawk-login
 The Hawks login contains pertinent information for current parents that is not shared with the general public.

SOCIAL MEDIA
FACEBOOK [@mountmadonnaschool](https://www.facebook.com/mountmadonnaschool)
INSTAGRAM [@mountmadonnaschool](https://www.instagram.com/mountmadonnaschool)
LINKEDIN [linkedin.com/school/mount-madonna-school/mycompany/](https://www.linkedin.com/company/mount-madonna-school/mycompany/)
YOUTUBE [@mountmadonna](https://www.youtube.com/mountmadonna)

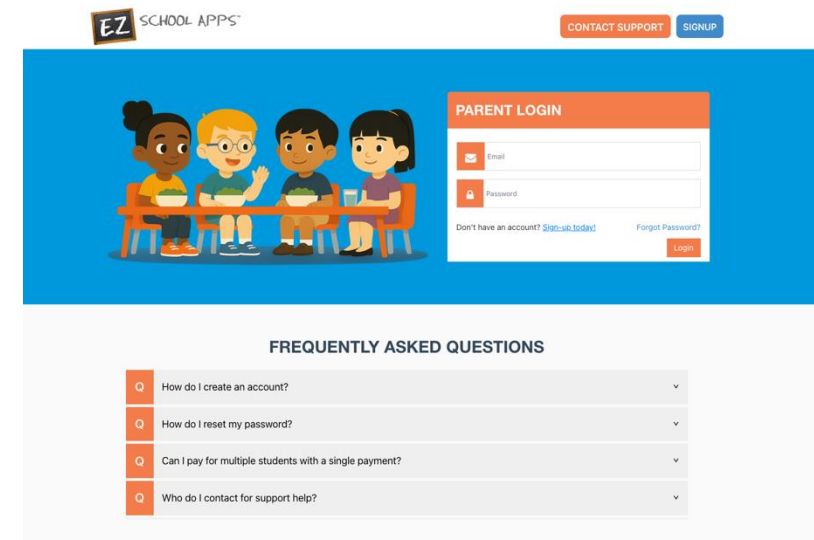
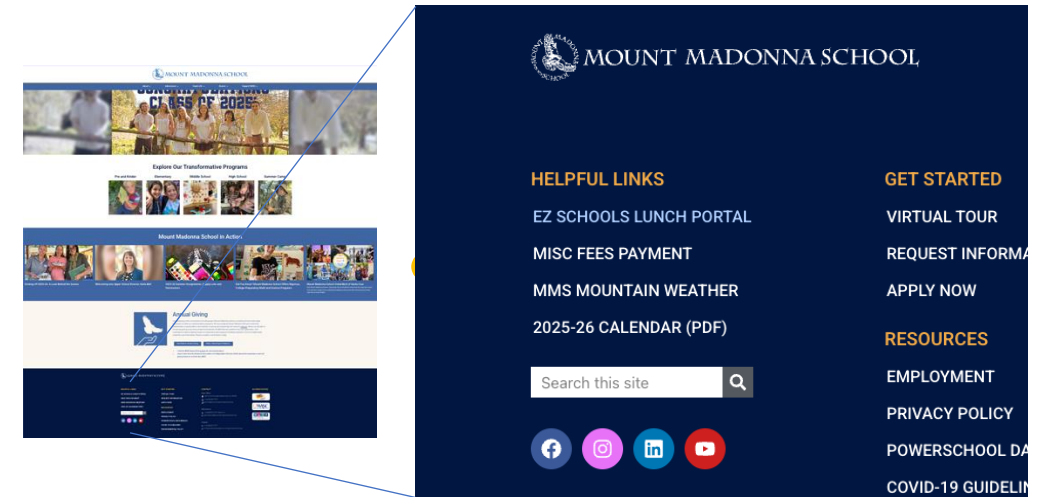




Hot Lunch Program

Mount Madonna School offers vegetarian hot lunches, which are cooked and prepared on-site in our Red Hawk Café located next to the Assembly Room in the Middle School quad.

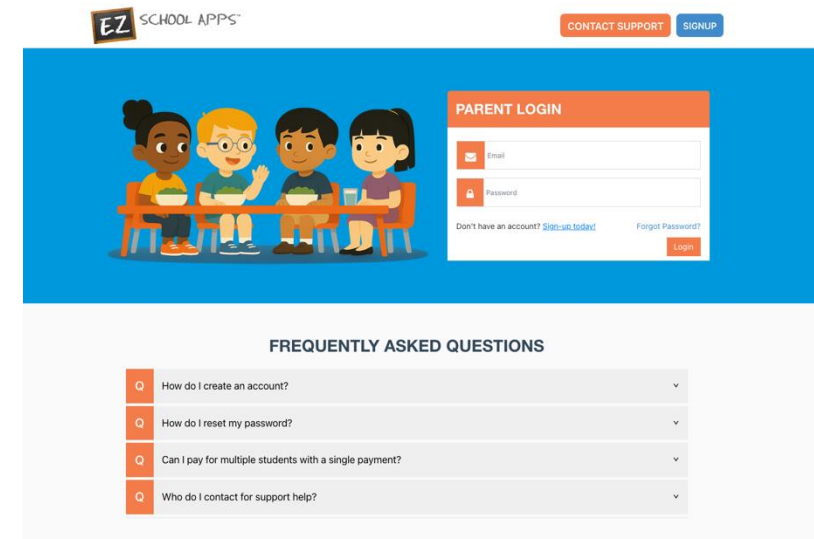
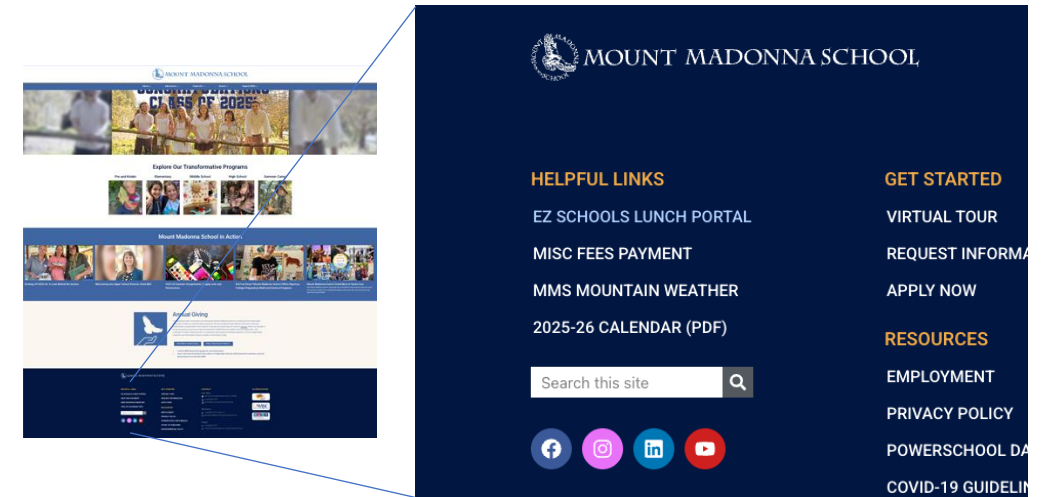
- Hot lunch is available to students in Kindergarten through 12th grade.
- Lunches are \$6 per meal.
- Payment for lunches must be made through the EZ Schools web portal, or app.
- Each student is issued a reloadable account from which the cost of lunches or other Red Hawk Café purchases will be debited. Funds can be reloaded by families at any time through the EZ Schools portal.





Hot Lunch Program

- Upper Campus students have a reloadable account from which the cost of lunches or other Red Hawk Café purchases will be debited. Funds can be reloaded by families at any time through the EZ Schools portal.
- Families of K-5 students must pre-order set lunches. Ordering lunch can be done until 9am the day lunch is requested. Meals are delivered to each class' lunch gathering area on lower campus.
- Hot lunches are not mandatory. Students may bring lunches from home.
- A monthly menu can be found in the EZ Schools portal, on the Mount Madonna School Website calendar and in eNews.

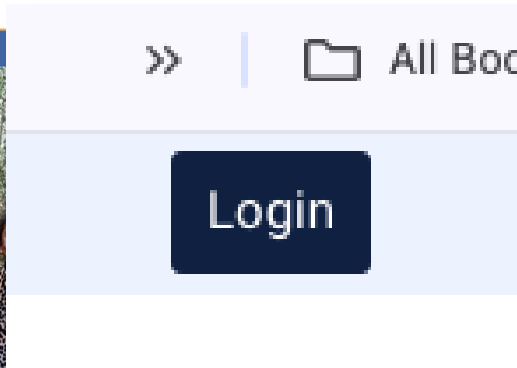
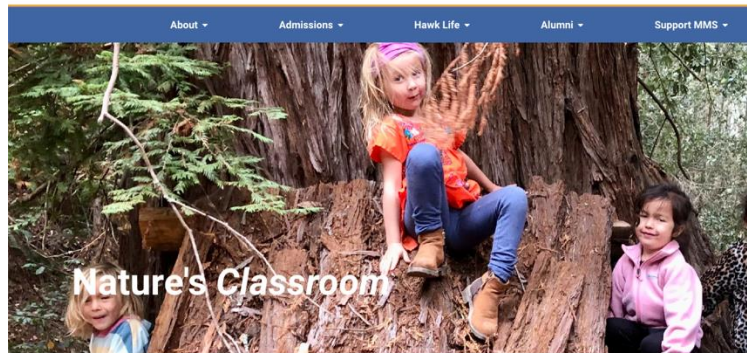




Mount Madonna School Calendar

Hawk Login and Online Calendar

www.mountmadonnaschool.org



Explore Our Transformative Programs

Pre and Kinder

Elementary

Middle School

High School



Search for events [Find Events](#) [List](#) [Month](#)

< > This Month August 2024

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
28	29 Mountain of Fun Su... Mountain of Fun Summer Camp: Mountain Explorers, ages 6-9	30 Mountain of Fun Su... Mountain of Fun Summer Camp: Mountain Explorers, ages 6-9	31 Mountain of Fun Su... Mountain of Fun Summer Camp: Mountain Explorers, ages 6-9	1 Mountain of Fun Su... Mountain of Fun Summer Camp: Mountain Explorers, ages 6-9	2 Mountain of Fun Su... Mountain of Fun Summer Camp: Mountain Explorers, ages 6-9	3 Mountain of Fun Su... Mountain of Fun Summer Camp: Mountain Explorers, ages 6-9
4	5 11:00 am Girls Volleyball - Open Gym	6	7 11:00 am Girls Volleyball - Open Gym	8	9 11:00 am Girls Volleyball - Open Gym	10
11	12 Faculty & Staff Retreat 9:00 am Girls Volleyball - Practice	13 9:00 am Girls Volleyball - Practice 9:00 am Cross Country - Practice	14 9:00 am Girls Volleyball - Practice	15 9:00 am Cross Co Practice 9:00 am Girls Volf Practice	16	17
18	19	20	21	22		

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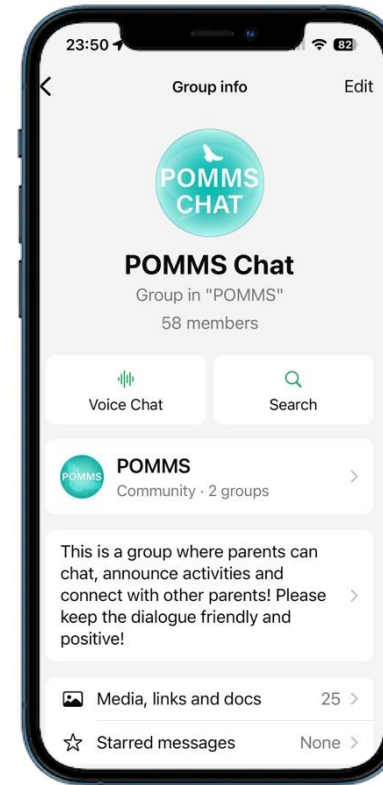
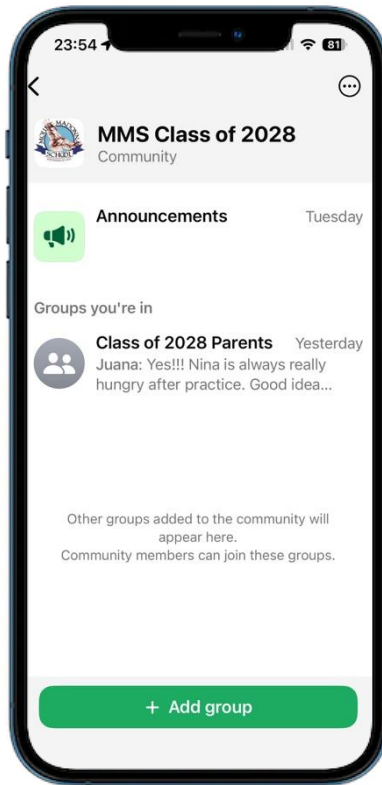


Liaisons ...and POMMS



Liaisons are parent representatives who assist MMS in communicating with class families. A monthly email with class-specific or noteworthy MMS news is typical.

In addition, families are encouraged to join class Communities on WhatsApp. Inquire with your class Liaison about how to join.



POMMS Chat
WhatsApp group



POMMS stands for “Parents Of Mount Madonna Students” and is the parent association designed to facilitate community, dialogue, and social events. Please use the above QR Code to join POMMS

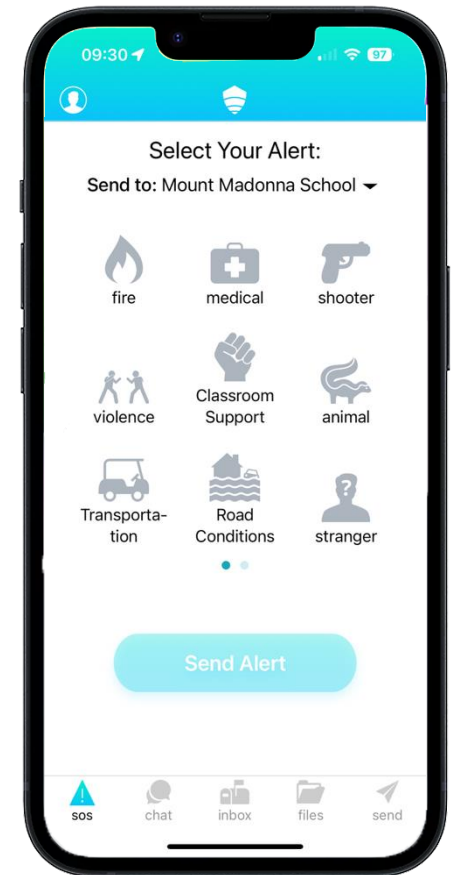




Emergency Notifications

Mount Madonna School (MMS) uses [Titan HST](#) notification system to communicate among administration, faculty, staff and parents regarding emergencies or urgent and time sensitive information.

- In an emergency, messages are sent via text, email and phone. Though Titan HST is app-based, parents and guardians are not required to download the Titan HST app to receive notifications.
- Parent and guardian contact information has been loaded into the Mount Madonna School Titan HST contact list using records from your registration. Please contact registrar@mountmadonnaschool.org if you need to made changes or updates.
- MMS practices emergency drills monthly
- For more information about Titan HST, please visit their website at <https://www.titanhst.com/>





Campus Overview

The MMS campus can be thought of as segmented into three elevations:

Upper Campus

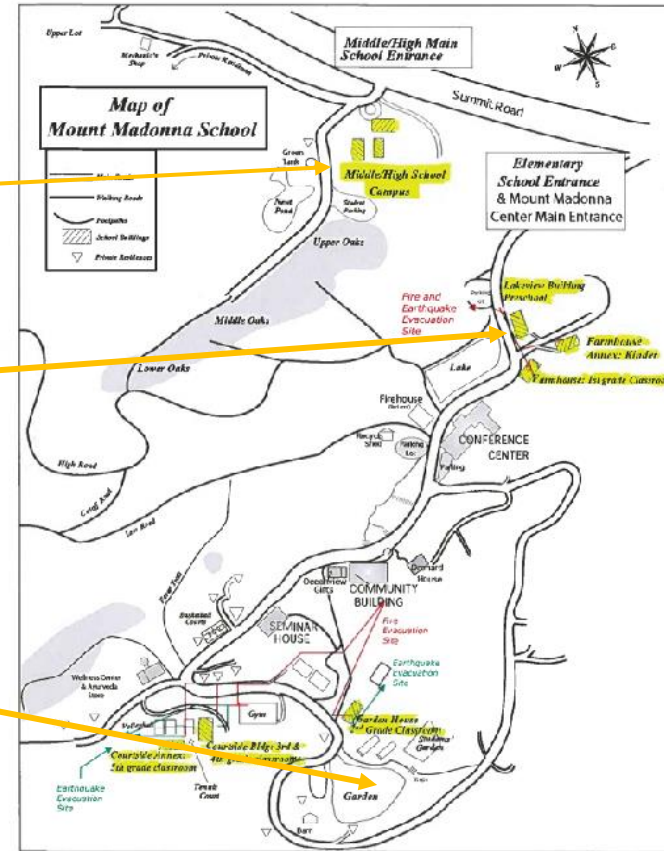
Administrative office, High School, Middle School, Hawks Nest Gym

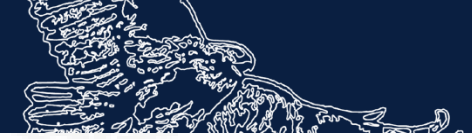
Lakeview Campus

Preschool, Kindergarten, First Grade, Preschool Director's Office

Garden House and Courtside Campus

Second Grade, Third Grade, Fourth Grade, Fifth Grade, Lower Gym








Parking Areas

Upper Campus and Hawk's Nest Gym Parking



-  Visitor
-  Student
-  Employee

Lower Campus: Courtside Parking Areas Garden House Parking



Lakeview Campus Parking





Daily Attendance, Late Arrival, Early Dismissal, Late Pick Up

Preschool – Grade 5

Daily Attendance

Parents should either call in or email attendance@mountmadonnaschool.org to notify the school of all absences and late arrivals prior to 9:30 am.

If a student is marked absent and we have not received advance notification, the office sends an automated call by 10:35 am to parents informing them of the absence.

Late Arrival

Preschool and K-5 students must be escorted by their parent or guardian to their teachers if they arrive late to school.

Please email attendance at attendance@mountmadonnaschool.org or call the MMS office to report when the student arrived on campus and the reason they are late.

Leaving Early

Please contact the core teacher and the MMS office at attendance@mountmadonnaschool.org or call MMS Attendance at 408.847.2717, option 1

Late Pickup

If late for pick up, please call the main office to inform them.

Kindergarten through 5th graders, without Preschool siblings, will be sent on the bus at 3:25 to the upper campus to wait for their parents or guardians in the upper school office.

All Preschool students will be waiting for their drivers at the Lakeview building.





Daily Attendance, Late Arrival, Early Dismissal, Late Pick Up

Middle School and High School

Daily Attendance

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If a student is marked absent and we have not received advance notification, the office sends an automated call by 10:35 am to parents informing them of the absence.

Late Arrival

Parents should contact the upper school office to change an absence to a tardy

Late students must go to the school office to obtain a tardy slip and present the slip to their teacher

Leaving early

Please email attendance@mountmadonnaschool.org or call MMS Attendance at 408.847.2717, option 1

Students will “check out” with their last period teacher before they come to the School Office.

Late Pickup

If late for pick up, please call the main office to inform them.





Cell Phone Policy

Upper Campus

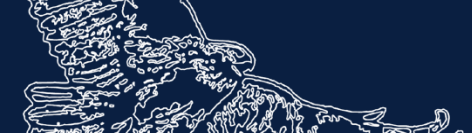
Mount Madonna School is a "no cell phone" campus. Devices will be collected each morning upon student arrival and returned at dismissal on the way to pickup.

If a student must access their device during the school day, they may go to the front office to let our office staff know.

Lower Campus

We recommend that students in Lower School leave mobile devices at home. If they are brought to school, their teacher will collect them during the day.





Athletics

Students in 4th grade through 8th grade are eligible to participate in Middle School (MS) athletics.

Athletics Staff:

PK McDonald, Athletic Director, Coach
 Jessica Cambell, Coach

Fall 2025	Winter 2025/26	Spring 2026
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • MS Cross Country • MS Girls Basketball • MS Coed Flag Football 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • MS Girls Volleyball • MS Boys Basketball 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • MS Track & Field • MS Boys Volleyball
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • HS Cross Country • Junior Varsity & Varsity Girls Volleyball 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • HS Boys Basketball • HS Coed Soccer 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • HS Track & Field • HS Boys Volleyball • HS Girls Beach Volleyball

Transportation is provided to student athletes for away games via a combination of school vans, faculty, and parent vehicles.





Performing Arts

- Madelene Farias, Performing Arts Director
- Christie Orozco, "Ramayana!" Co-Producer, Inland Bus Driver, Operations Manager, Transportation Co-Coordinator
- Arielle Keller, Choreographer
- Erika Rosendale, Performing Arts Set Design and Build
- Holly Ota, Director and Music Director
- Brianna Marquard, Performing Arts Costumer
- Nicole Tervalon, Director of Technology, High School Faculty, "Ramayana!" Co-Producer

	Winter 2025/26	Spring 2026
Lower School	Winter Concert December 2025	Theme TBD April 2026 Ramayana! June 2026
Upper School	Middle School Musical November 2025 High School Musical January 2026	Ramayana! June 2026





Learning Journeys | Elementary

Grades 3 & 4



Sacramento

Grades 3 & 4



Montara

Alternates
Every Other

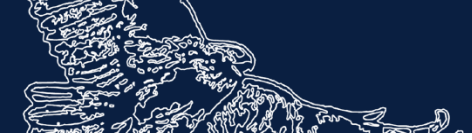
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Grade 5



Outdoor School at Rancho Alegre





Learning Journeys | Middle School

Grades 6 & 7



6/7 MS Retreat

Grade 8



Boston

Grade 8



Rite of Passage





Learning Journeys | High School

Grade 9



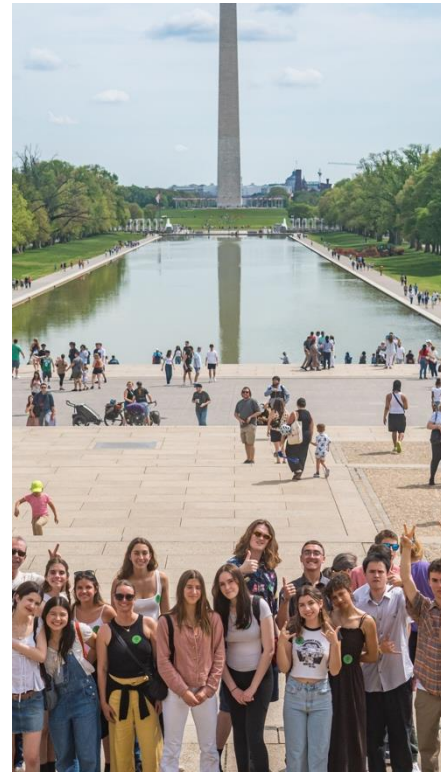
Yosemite

Grade 10



Catalina

Grade 11



Washington D.C.

Grade 12



India





Bonding Experiences



Buddy Program



MIDDLE SCHOOL CAMPING



HIGH SCHOOL RAFTING





Fundraisers and Giving

MMS relies on three annual fundraisers to bridge the gap between tuition and the actual cost of an MMS education. To learn more about giving to MMS, please visit: www.mountmadonnaschool.org/support/



Drive for Schools

Engaging local community



Annual Giving

The cornerstone of giving



Summit for the Planet

Recognition for the Earth





“When we came here, we thought we were joining a community. Then we realized we were helping to create one.”

