

Middletown Christian Schools



Parent/Student Orientation



Vision Statement:

The vision of Middletown Christian Schools is to produce disciples of Jesus Christ who are spiritually, academically, and physically prepared for lifelong service.

Mission Statement:

Middletown Christian Schools exist to glorify the Lord by serving families, educating students, and encouraging Christlikeness.

MCS Core Values

Prayer is the work of faith that humbly admits the inadequacy of self in accomplishing the mission of the school. Prayer is indispensable, and without prayer this institution is incapable of becoming Christ-like.

Principle speaks of the guiding Word of God. Principles, as set forth in the Word of God, form the foundation for faith and practice in becoming Christ-like.

People are the ones we serve as a result of our primary devotion to the Lord in prayer and principle. People should be served with consideration of brethren and neighbors as outlined in Scripture and modeled by Jesus Christ. People should be served with the ultimate end of Christlikeness for God's glory.



2025-2026 CALENDAR

AUGUST

4-8	New Teacher Orientation
11	Teacher In-Service – No School
12	Teacher Work Day – No School
12	New Parent Orientation
	Teacher Meet & Greet
13	Teacher In-Service – No School
14	School Begins for All Students

SEPTEMBER

1	Labor Day – No School
16	Progress Reports

OCTOBER

9	End of First Quarter (41 days)
10-13	Fall Break (Teacher In-Service/Teacher Record Day) – No School
22	Report Cards

NOVEMBER

1	Open House/Fall Festival
6	Parent-Teacher Conferences 1:30-7:00 p.m. – No School
7	Parent-Teacher Conferences 8:00-12:00 noon – No School
14	Progress Reports
24-28	Thanksgiving Break – No School

DECEMBER

17-19	1 st Semester Exams – Grades 9-12
19	End of the 2 nd Quarter (43 days)
22-31	Christmas Break – No School

JANUARY

1-2	New Year's Break – No School
9	Report Cards
19	Martin Luther King Jr. Day – No School

FEBRUARY

1	Open House
4	Progress Reports
13	Teacher In-Service – No School
16	President's Day – No School

MARCH

4	End of Third Quarter (42 days)
5	Parent-Teacher Conferences 1:30-7:00 p.m./ No School
6	Teacher Work Day – No School
16	Report Cards
30-31	Spring Break – No School

APRIL

1-6	Spring/Easter Break – No School
15	Progress Reports
27-30	IOWA Testing for Grades K-12

MAY

1	IOWA Testing for Grades K-12
18-20	2 nd Semester Exams – Grades 9-12
19	Kindergarten Last Day
19	Kindergarten Graduation–7:00 p.m.
20	End of Fourth Quarter (47 days)
20	Last Day for all students
21	Teacher Record Day
22	HS Graduation – 7:00 p.m.

UNIFORM DRESS CODE

Some campus wear may be purchased at a retailer of your choice. However, not all uniform options/styles that retailers carry are MCS approved uniform wear. **MCS skirts (in the khaki and navy options) and sweatpants for the 25-26 school year MUST be purchased at the MCS school store.** *MCS approved K-5 skorts and jumpers are only available at Shaheen's uniform store in Sharonville, OH.* Shaheen's does offer K-5 boys' shorts and K-12 boys' and girls' pant options, as well; but approved pants and shorts can be found at many local retailers.

MCS Girls Uniform (Approved M-F)

ALL K-12 Girls

- Polo shirt – cotton or polyester/dry-fit – white, light blue, or navy (no pockets or brand logos)
 - *No undergarments may be visible, a camisole or tank may be necessary*
- **MCS Approved spirit wear T-shirt**
- White, button-up, short or long sleeve Oxford shirt (with embroidered MCS Crest unless worn under a jumper or sweater)
- Classic, crewneck, cardigan or pullover sweater – navy
- Sweater vest – navy
- **Navy or khaki two kick-pleat skirt (MUST be purchased at the MCS school store)**
 - *skirt must fall to the knee in both the front and back when standing*
- Plaid, two kick-pleat skirt – blue/gold plaid
 - *skirt must fall to the knee in the front and back when standing*
 - ***plaid skirts will be discontinued for the 26-27 school year***
- Uniform dress pants – khaki or navy – various cuts are permissible
 - *no cargo, jegging style, stretch-knit, or activewear/joggers*

K-5 Girls ONLY

- Drop waist jumper w/two kick-pleat skirt – blue/gold plaid, **khaki**, or **navy**
 - *all colors available only at Shaheen's*
 - ***plaid jumpers will be discontinued for the 26-27 school year***
- Skort – navy or **khaki**
 - *skort must look like a skirt all the way around*
 - *available only at Shaheen's*
- Cartwheel shorts, biker shorts, or leggings **MUST** be worn under skirts and jumpers

6-12 Girls ONLY

- 8-inch privacy shorts or leggings are **REQUIRED** under skirts (*leggings are strongly recommended*)

Fridays ONLY

- MCS Approved Hoodies
- **MCS Branded sweatpants** (*must be purchased in the school store*)

MCS Boys Uniform (Approved M-F)

ALL K-12 Boys

- Polo shirt – cotton or polyester/dry-fit – white, light blue, or navy (no pockets or brand logos)
- White, button-up, long sleeve Oxford shirt (*with* embroidered MCS Crest unless worn under a sweater or quarter-zip)
- **MCS Approved spirit wear T-shirt**
- Uniform dress pants – khaki or navy – various cuts are permissible
 - *no jogger or cargo style; pants must be worn at the normal waist height*

K-5 Boys ONLY

- Uniform shorts – navy or khaki (must be knee length)
- Classic, crewneck, pullover sweater – navy
- Sweater vest – navy

Fridays ONLY

- MCS Approved Hoodies
- **MCS Branded sweatpants** (*must be purchased in the school store*)

Uniform Outerwear (Approved M-F)

ALL K-12 Students

Only the following outerwear may be worn in classrooms during the school day. All items are available at the MCS school store.

- MCS approved dry-fit or knit, quarter-zip pullover in true royal, navy, grey, black, or white
- MCS approved full zip jacket in true royal, navy, dark smoke, black, or white
- MCS approved Crewneck sweatshirt

NOTE: K-5 students *must* wear a Polo or T-Shirt under all outerwear

Footwear

- No flip flops or slippers
- Athletic shoes are required for P.E. class

NOTE: Please consult the handbook for the complete dress code.

**Gently used uniform clothes can be exchanged on the Facebook page: MCS Parents Uniform Sale. The school store also sells gently used uniforms at a discounted price.*



New Cafeteria Software for 25/26 School Year

Dear Families,

WG Grinders Cafeteria Operations partners with Meal Magic for managing our lunch service software and online payments. **Credit Cards are the only form of payment accepted through the online payment portal.** Cash, checks (made payable to WG Grinders), and credit card deposits can be made in the cafeteria. The Family Portal for Meal Magic is very user-friendly and will allow you to transfer funds between siblings, set daily spending limits, and limit the purchase of certain items.

New users will need to set up an account at <https://wggrinders.familyportal.cloud/> to access lunch account information and make payment online. If you currently have an account through Family Portal, you will not need to register for a new account.

To set up a Family Portal Account, access the website and click on "My Account". Then click on "I need to register as a Family Portal user". Enter your email and follow the directions to complete the set up. When asked for ID number, you will need to add the prefix "90" to the beginning of the number to avoid duplication of accounts (Ex. 901201234). After registration, the account will need approval. The account approval process usually takes less than 24 hours.

Note: Any money that was left on your child's account at the end of the school year will show up on your child's account for the next school year automatically. There is nothing that you need to do for this to happen.

Feel free to e-mail me with any questions.

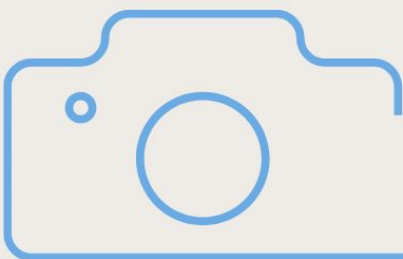
Sincerely,

Mark Jones
IT Director
WG Grinders Catering and Cafeteria Operations
wggrinders@wggrindersdayton.com

FALL *PICTURE* AUGUST 26 DAY

Fall Picture Day is coming on Tuesday, August 26th.

Students are permitted to wear dress clothes to school on picture day. All dress clothing must meet MCS uniform standards for length and modesty. Girls—all shirts must have a modest neckline. Girls must wear a knee-length skirt/dress OR dress pants (similar to the style of school approved school pants for girls) NO jeans or leggings. Girls choosing skirts/dresses, the lengths must measure to the knee, please note that some dresses have a sheer outer layer with an attached slip underneath the garment, the slip must measure to the knee as well. Boys— shirts must have sleeves. Boys grades K–5th may wear shorts similar to dress code shorts/pants (no jeans/denim). Boys 6–12th must wear pants that meet daily dress standards (similar to boys approved school pants) no jeans/denim.



PICTURE DAY:

EL DÍA DE LA FOTO.

Tuesday, August 26, 2025
 \ martes, 26 de agosto, 2025

Middletown Christian School

Bonus items only available in select packages when pre-ordered.
 Artículos de bonificación solo disponibles en paquetes seleccionados cuando se realizan pedidos por adelantado.

Packages Paquetes

A. Most Popular \$34.99

El paquete más popular

PRINTS Impresiones

1 - 8x10, 4 - 5x7,

2 - 3x5, 8 - 2x3

Class Picture Foto de la clase

DIGITAL DOWNLOAD*

Descarga Digital*

SPECIALTY PRODUCTS

Productos de especialidad

4 - Classic Mix Prints

4 impresiones mixtas "Clásicas"

BONUS ITEMS

Only available with

Pre-Picture Day orders

Los productos adicionales solo están disponibles con pedidos previos al Día de la Foto.

1 - 8x10 Fall Border Print

1 Impresión de 8x10 "Borde otoñal"

B. Deluxe \$44.99

Paquete de lujo

PRINTS Impresiones

1 - 8x10, 4 - 5x7,

2 - 3x5, 8 - 2x3

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SPECIALTY PRODUCTS

Productos de especialidad

4 - Classic Mix Prints

4 impresiones mixtas "Clásicas"

"Fall in Love" Social Sharing

Digital Image

Imagen digital para compartir en redes sociales "Enamorarse"

ENHANCEMENTS Relaces

Name & Grade On All Pictures

Añade el nombre y el grado en todas las impresiones

BONUS ITEMS

Only available with

Pre-Picture Day orders

Los productos adicionales solo están disponibles con pedidos previos al Día de la Foto.

1 - 8x10 Fall Border Print

1 Impresión de 8x10 "Borde otoñal"

C. Favorite \$54.99

Favorito

PRINTS Impresiones

2 - 8x10, 6 - 5x7,

2 - 3x5, 8 - 2x3

Class Picture Foto de la clase

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SPECIALTY PRODUCTS

Productos de especialidad

4 - Classic Mix Prints

4 impresiones mixtas "Clásicas"

"Fall in Love" Social Sharing

Digital Image

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ENHANCEMENTS Relaces

Name & Grade On All Pictures

Añade el nombre y el grado en todas las impresiones

Basic Retouching retoque básico

BONUS ITEMS

Only available with

Pre-Picture Day orders

Los productos adicionales solo están disponibles con pedidos previos al Día de la Foto.

1 - 8x10 Fall Border Print

1 Impresión de 8x10 "Borde otoñal"

D. Ultimate \$64.99

Paquete fundamental

PRINTS Impresiones

3 - 8x10, 6 - 5x7,

4 - 3x5, 12 - 2x3

Class Picture Foto de la clase

DIGITAL DOWNLOAD*

Descarga Digital*

SPECIALTY PRODUCTS

Productos de especialidad

6 - Most Popular Magnets

6 imanes "Más populares"

4 - Classic Mix Prints

4 impresiones mixtas "Clásicas"

"Fall in Love" Social Sharing

Digital Image

Imagen digital para compartir en redes sociales "Enamorarse"

ENHANCEMENTS Relaces

Name & Grade On All Pictures

Añade el nombre y el grado en todas las impresiones

Premium Retouching

Reloque Premium

BONUS ITEMS

Only available with

Pre-Picture Day orders

Los productos adicionales solo están disponibles con pedidos previos al Día de la Foto.

1 - 8x10 Fall Border Print

1 Impresión de 8x10 "Borde otoñal"

E. Essential \$29.99
 Paquete esencial
 4 - 5x7, 2 - 3x5, 8 - 2x3
 Class Picture Foto de la clase
 Digital download*
 descarga digital*
 Standard Background Only
 Fondo estándar solamente

F. Basic \$23.99
 Paquete de Básico
 2 - 5x7, 2 - 3x5, 4 - 2x3
 Class Picture Foto de la clase
 Digital download*
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 Standard Background Only
 Fondo estándar solamente

G. Starter \$19.99
 Paquete de inicio
 2 - 3x5, 4 - 2x3
 Standard Background Only
 Fondo estándar solamente



Shop online for more packages, background choices, and product options on mylifetouch.com
 Compre más paquetes en línea, opciones de fondo, y opciones de productos en mylifetouch.com

Order now for early Picture Day pricing!

mylifetouch.com

Create an account or login with your Picture Day ID: EVT7JZ3FR

Haga su pedido ahora para obtener precios anticipados para el día de la fotografía en mylifetouch.com.

Crea una cuenta o inicia sesión con tu identificación del Día de la Foto.

Support school fundraising with your photo purchase!
 ¡Ayude la recaudación de fondos escolares con la compra de su fotografía!



Exclusive discounts online!
 ¡Descuentos en línea exclusivos!

Background Choice

Opción de fondo

Most Popular, Deluxe, Favorite & Ultimate Packages
 Los Paquetes Más Populares, Deluxe, Favorito y Ultimate



Choose from more backgrounds online!
 ¡Elige entre más fondos en línea!

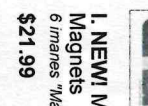
Specialty Products

Included in select packages, and available as Add-Ons.

Productos de especialidad. Incluido en algunos paquetes, y disponible como adicionales.



H. NEW! 1 - 8x10 Fall Border Print
 1 Impresión de 8x10 "Borde otoñal"
 \$21.99



I. NEW! Most Popular Magnets
 6 imanes "Más populares"
 \$21.99



J. 4 - Classic Mix Prints
 4 impresiones mixtas "Clásicas"
 \$21.99

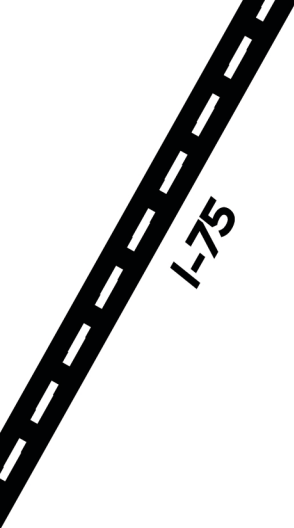


NEW! "Fall in Love" Social Sharing
 1 Imagen digital para compartir en redes sociales "Enamorarse"

Questions? Contact our Help Center at lifetouch.com/support-us. Select K-12 School Photography for assistance.

¿Preguntas? Comunícate con nuestro Centro de Ayuda en lifetouch.com/support-us. Selecciona Fotografía Escolar K-12 para recibir asistencia. Productos entregados en casa o en la escuela. Descarga digital vía imagen de Shutterstock. *La descarga digital se enviará a tu cuenta de Shutterstock. Los usuarios nuevos tendrán que crear una cuenta. When you pay by check, you authorize us to process the payment as a check transaction, or to use information from your check to make a one-time electronic fund transfer from your checking account. A service fee may be charged on returned checks. Post-dated checks are not accepted. By completing and submitting this order form, you are agreeing to all of Lifetouch's terms and conditions located at www.lifetouch.com/terms-conditions and to our privacy policy located at www.lifetouch.com/privacy. Cuando pagues con cheque, nos autorizas a procesar el pago como una transacción mediante cheque o a usar la información de tu cheque para realizar una transferencia electrónica de fondos desde tu cuenta de cheques por única vez. Por cheques rechazados, se podrá aplicar un cargo. No se aceptan cheques de pago diferido. Al completar y enviar este formulario de pedido, aceptas todas las condiciones de Lifetouch ubicadas en www.lifetouch.com/terms-conditions y nuestra política de privacidad ubicada en www.lifetouch.com/privacy

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