



## **UPCOMING EVENTS:**

10/19: PTA Fundraiser - <u>Chiptole</u>
10/20: National Unity Day - wear Orange
10/22: MAP Testing
10/25: MAP Testing
10/27: School Store Opens
11/03: End of marking period
11/04: School Closed for students
11/10: Report Cards Issued
11/12: Picture Make-up day
11/17: PTA Meeting, 7PM

Refer to the <u>Patapsco Calendar</u> to stay up-to-date with all the events at Patapsco Middle School.

#### **Important Phone Numbers**

School Office: 410-313-2848 Student Services: 410-313-2850 Health Room: 410-313-2574



Patapsco- a place where everyone is valued and important!

Reminder-Parents/Guardians must have your ID with you every time you enter the school building.

### **MAP Testing**

Measures of Academic Progress (MAP), the adaptive assessment in math and reading, will be administered on Friday, October 22nd and Monday, October 25th during the first two periods of

the day. Please have students bring charged Chromebooks and wired headphones if possible. MAP make-ups will start on Tuesday, October 26th.

Exempt from Reading MAP: students in ELA-8GT

Exempt from Math MAP: students in 7 Algebra I GT; 8 Algebra I; 8 Geometry GT; 8 Algebra II GT

Students who are exempt from MAP testing should bring wired earbuds or wired headphones for the alternate activities that they will complete during the testing periods.

#### **UNITY DAY THIS WEDNESDAY**



Every October, schools across the country join the nationwide campaign, STOMP Out Bullying<sup>™</sup> in observing National Bullying Prevention Month.

This month students will participate in two Social/Emotional Lessons during Knight Time. These lessons will focus on being kind and spreading kindness in our school.

We will continue on Wednesday, Oct. 20th, National Unity Day, wear and share ORANGE to show unity for kindness, acceptance, and inclusion and to send a visible message that no child should ever experience bullying. <u>https://youtu.be/8gKBQEQUW5g</u>

# When our message is united, with each person feeling valued and important, we become a united community standing against bullying and cyberbullying.

"Too often we underestimate the power of a touch, a smile, a kind word, a listening ear, an honest compliment, or the smallest act of caring, all of which have the potential to turn a life around." - Leo Buscaglia

# **PTA Fundraiser at Chipotle**

We look forward to seeing you at our Chipotle restaurant night on October 19<sup>th</sup>, from 4 PM to 8 PM at 9120 Baltimore National Pike. Ordering online is also available for pickup. Use code **T8QB6W6** before checkout in "promo" field. <u>Bring this Flier with you</u>.