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**Important Dates**

December 21 - January 1: Winter Break, no school, offices closed.

**School Technology Team is Looking for TV Donations**

In setting up our concurrent classrooms, we are now looking for TV donations (for those that are using the holiday sales to upgrade their home TVs). We need flat screen TVs that are in good working order and have an HDMI or VGA output. We also need them at least 40inch in size, but not any larger than 65. Thanks for considering! Any questions or donations, email Jane Dunfee at [PJDunfee@fcps.edu](mailto:PJDunfee@fcps.edu)



**The Book Fair is Here!**

It's time for our annual book fair and we're going virtual! Same great books and games, but now you can shop from the comfort of home. Our amazing librarians have included their recommended reading and be sure to check out the teacher wishlists! This year, our book drive will benefit Berry Creek Elementary in California. The school and most of the families' homes were destroyed in the Paradise fire. Contact Jenn Ros at [bookfair@mantuapta.org](mailto:bookfair@mantuapta.org) with questions.

[https://www.bookwormcentral.com/school-online-store.php?id=00324020-DDCE-4FF5-9541-F78F3A71E167&pro\\_id=160&school\\_code=mantua](https://www.bookwormcentral.com/school-online-store.php?id=00324020-DDCE-4FF5-9541-F78F3A71E167&pro_id=160&school_code=mantua)

**Current 6th Grader Frost Middle School Orientation**

Families of current 6<sup>th</sup> grade students who will be attending Frost Middle School during the 2021-2022 school year are invited to an upcoming transition event. On **January 14<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 PM**, Frost will be hosting a virtual Rising 7<sup>th</sup> Grade Orientation. Students and parents will be provided an overview of Frost, the registration process, class options, and more. More information, including the link to access the event, will be sent later this month. We look forward to seeing you there!

10% OFF

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MONTHLY SPIRITWEAR COUPON FOR December, 2020

Visit our Spiritwear Store the entire month of December to take advantage of this coupon!



ALL ORDERS PLACED AFTER DECEMBER 7<sup>th</sup> MAY NOT ARRIVE BY CHRISTMAS

**Mantua Raccoon Masks Available!**

You asked, we listened! Mantua Raccoon masks are now for sale in youth and adult sizes [on our website](#). You can still get one free with membership too. Pick up instructions will be emailed after purchase.



**Library Curbside Pick Up**

Curbside library pick up is now open! Click this [link](#) (must be logged into an FCPS Google account) in order to get information on curbside library pick up. There are step by step instructions, links to our catalog and how to videos so that your child can participate. <https://sites.google.com/fcpschools.net/mantualibrary/home?authuser=0>



If you are not receiving emails saying holds are ready then have your child check their FCPS Gmail account and/or check your SPAM folder.

Questions, email Katie Marmol ([kgmarmol@fcps.edu](mailto:kgmarmol@fcps.edu)) or Michelle Hawk ([mahawk@fcps.edu](mailto:mahawk@fcps.edu)).

**School Issued Laptop Help**

If you are experiencing difficulties with your child's school issued laptop, please remember to refer to the self-help page and ticketing service.

Self-help page: <https://www.fcps.edu/return-school/technology-support-families>

Parent/Student Ticket Page: <https://itweb.fcps.edu/itsupport/>

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