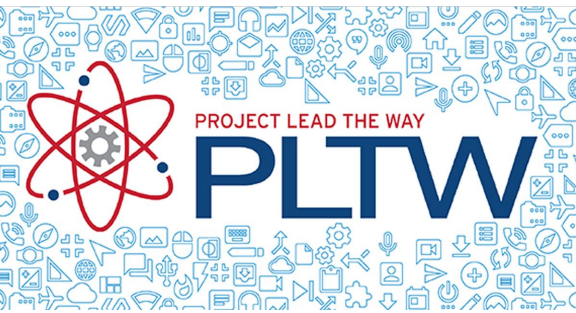




WELCOME TO OUR MERIT FAMILY!
2022-2023



Makerspace

Year One Robotics and Automation

Year Two Design and Modeling
App Creators

Year Three Innovators and Makers



MERIT REQUIREMENTS:



MERIT

MERIT students are REQUIRED to:

- Maintain an **85%** cumulative academic average
- Accumulate **twenty** hours of service learning hours
- Participate in **two** academic competitions
- Become an active member of **one** academic club

STUDENTS WHO MEET THESE REQUIREMENTS WILL BE AWARDED MERIT SCHOLARS OF
DISTINCTION AT MERIT HONORS NIGHT.

LET US HELP YOU...

AVOID MERIT MANIA!



YOUR ROLE AS A MERIT PARENT...



- CREATE AN ENVIRONMENT CONDUCIVE FOR HOMEWORK.
- ALLOW TIME FOR HOMEWORK IN YOUR FAMILY AFTERNOON AND EVENING SCHEDULE.
- STAY CONNECTED TO TEACHER WEBPAGES AND REMIND FEEDS IN ORDER TO BE INFORMED.
- CHECK INFINITE CAMPUS OFTEN SO THAT YOU ARE AWARE OF ANY MISSING ASSIGNMENTS.
- DON'T DO THEIR WORK, JUST AIDE THEM WITH TIME MANAGEMENT AND ORGANIZATION. IT IS OKAY FOR THEM TO WRESTLE WITH AN ASSIGNMENT.
- EMAIL YOUR CHILD'S MERIT TEACHERS IF YOU HAVE CONCERNS. WE ARE HERE FOR YOU!

HAVE REALISTIC EXPECTATIONS

EXPECTATIONS
REALITY

- ANTICIPATE A DIP IN GRADES. DON'T PANIC! THIS IS VARSITY ACADEMICS!
- EXPECT ONE TO TWO HOURS OF HOMEWORK DAILY.
- SOME ASSIGNMENTS MAY REQUIRE COMPUTER USE/TECHNOLOGY AT HOME.
- EXPECT A PROBATION LETTER IF YOUR CHILD'S ACADEMIC AVERAGE DROPS BELOW 85% AT THE END OF THE FIRST SEMESTER. A PLAN WILL BE DEVELOPED TO HELP YOUR CHILD FIND SUCCESS!
- GET READY FOR MANY ACHIEVEMENTS, MANY UNIQUE EXPERIENCES, AND A WHOLE LOT OF FUN!

SPEAKING OF FUN....

- BE SURE TO FOLLOW MERIT ON FACEBOOK!
- ASK ABOUT THOSE SUPER INSPIRING VISION'S SPEAKERS!
- GET EXCITED AND INQUIRE ABOUT MERIT IN MOTION ! (FIELD EXPERIENCES)
- BE ON THE LOOKOUT FOR THE 4TH ANNUAL MERIT MOVIE NIGHT FAMILY EVENT IN MARCH!
- BE SURE TO HAVE YOUR CHILD SIGN UP TO CELEBRATE THEIR ACCOMPLISHMENTS IN THE ROSE PARADE!
- DO NOT MISS THE MERIT SHOWCASE AT THE CONCLUSION OF AN AWESOME YEAR!



JOHN F. KENNEDY



“We go to the moon in this decade and do the other things, not because they are easy but because they are hard!”