



# SOMOS MAXWELL

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## Del Escritorio del Director

Robert Crawford, Principal

I hope that you and your family have taken time to enjoy the FCPS Fall Break. As we move into a full week of school we look forward to new instructional learning opportunities.

This Friday students will participate in the Sprout-a-Thon. This learning experience is provided through the PTA and is the culminating activity for the fall fundraiser. We have had a great first week of fundraising through the Sprout initiative! We hope to have a strong finish at the end of the week. Individual students and classes are able to earn prizes as they continue to Sprout. Please see this newsletter and the communication from your child's individual classroom regarding the specific Sprout challenges that are occurring this week.

As we come back fresh from the Fall Break, please take advantage of this time to talk with your child about their goals for learning and how they might apply different strategies and skills to

achieve them. This is also a great time to reflect upon what each child has already learned this year and identify any areas that might still be challenging. Lastly, please continue to encourage your child to share with you their Spanish language skills.

Thank you for your partnership as we continue to strive to provide the best learning opportunities and outcomes for the students of Maxwell!



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### UPCOMING EVENTS

Friday, October 13: Sprout-a-Thon

Tuesday, October 17: PTA Reflections  
Art Contest Deadline

Friday, October 20: SIP Night at Bryan  
Station High School Football Game

Friday, October 27: Weird Science  
Night (6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.)

# Sprout Fundraiser

Hello parents!

Thank you for the continuing support of our fall fundraiser, Sprout! We are doing awesome so far!! There is currently a FALL BREAK challenge going on - any class that raises an additional \$350 by this Tuesday, October 10th (at midnight) will receive a donut party. If the entire school raises 10K during that time, EVERY class will get a donut party! 🍩🍩🍩

The Sprout-a-Thon takes place during school on Friday, October 13th. We need a few supplies and several volunteers for the actual event. Please sign up here: <http://signup.com/go/jZqNkSN>



Please also remember to sign your child's participation waiver and send it to school. This form (in English & Spanish) has been attached.

👉👉 Here is the PayPal link for our fundraiser if you would like to donate or send it to family and friends. Thank you for all that you do! Keep Sprouting!

<https://www.paypal.me/MaxwellElementaryPTA>

Please direct all questions to [ptamaxwell@gmail.com](mailto:ptamaxwell@gmail.com).

Thanks again!

Peggy

Maxwell PTA President

Does your child enjoy art, music and dance or have an interest in writing, producing films and taking photos? Then encourage them to unleash their creativity with PTA Reflections art contest! This year's theme, "Within Reach," calls for each child's unique interpretation through the arts. Students, grades K-5, may submit entries in six categories: literature, musical composition, photography, visual arts, dance choreography, and film production. Reflections entries are judged at the local level, the district level, then at the state level. Kentucky PTA winning entries are sent to National PTA. Kentucky has had National winners for several years. Submission deadline is October 17. Students may turn in entries with application form to their homeroom teacher or drop off on the morning of October 17. Email [allison.moreman@gmail.com](mailto:allison.moreman@gmail.com) for more details.

## MAXWELL'S MISSION

Maxwell Escuela de Inmersión en Español is a learning community committed to: equity, proficiency for all, and Spanish language acquisition empowering students for success in a global society.

Maxwell Elementary, Escuela de Inmersión en Español, es una comunidad de aprendizaje comprometida con la igualdad, la competencia académica para todos y la adquisición de la lengua española con el fin de que sus alumnos tengan éxito en una sociedad global.

## Ayuda a México

Muchísimas Gracias for your support to the "Ayuda a Mexico" relief project. The school raised over \$1,000 for this effort! The students at Maxwell really took this opportunity to show how to be a global citizen using our Cattitudes, to be kind through our actions! We have heard how some students have shown leadership and ownership of this project. If you would like to share how your child learned from this project or how they showed leadership we want to know. Please e-mail [Alejandra Haggard](mailto:AlejandraHaggard) and share the story. We want to recognize them for being outstanding citizens!

Maxwell really is global and kind!  
Somos global  
Somos amables  
Somos Maxwell!