

**FAMILY INFORMATION  
SPECIAL SERVICES and 504 SUPPORT  
MAPLEWOOD MIDDLE SCHOOL 2019-2020**

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**Students with IEPs at MMS-Who should I call?**

CST	School Counselor	Administration	Classroom Teacher
-Amendments to IEP -Specific language on IEP -Program concerns (placement, frequency of services, adding/terminating services) -Evaluations -State testing accommodations	-Scheduling concerns (switching classes)  -Pressing social-emotional concerns	-Lost/stolen items -harassment, intimidation, and bullying (HIB) concerns -Transportation -Student registration (entering/exiting)	-Classroom-related concerns -Implementation of IEP (accommodations/modifications, goals & objectives) -homework concerns -classroom tests/quizzes -grades -progress reports/report cards

\*Case Managers are assigned by the Department of Special Services\*

**Social Workers who provide counseling to students as noted in IEPs**

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**504s at MMS**

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**School Counselors**

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**Students with 504s at MMS-Who should I call?**

<b>Mr. Brown</b>	<b>School Counselors</b>	<b>Classroom Teacher</b>
-Meets annually with families of 504 students to review and update 504 as necessary.  -Amendments to 504  -Specific language on 504	-Scheduling concerns (switching classes)  -504 Concerns  -Pressing social-emotional concerns	-Classroom-related concerns  -Implementation of 504 (accommodations/modifications, goals & objectives)  -homework concerns  -classroom tests/quizzes  -grades/progress reports/report cards

**Additional Notes**-Each administrator at MMS is assigned a grade level that we support. We review and monitor student attendance, academic needs, and supports/interventions. Ms. Gronau keeps 6th grade each year and the assistant principals “loop” with a grade for two years. The 2019-2020 assignments and grade level information are listed below. ***The team structure is critical to supporting all learners at MMS. Your child’s team leader is a wonderful and very important resource if you have questions about meeting your child’s needs at MMS.***

<b>Grade</b>	<b>Administrator Assigned</b>	<b>Team Leaders</b>
<b>6</b>	Ms. Gronau, Principal <a href="mailto:dgronau@somds.k12.nj.us">dgronau@somds.k12.nj.us</a> 973-378-7660 x3001	<b>Wildcats</b> -Ms. O’Sullivan <a href="mailto:mosulliv@somds.k12.nj.us">mosulliv@somds.k12.nj.us</a> x3130 <b>Silver Lions</b> -Mr. Stewart <a href="mailto:estewart@somds.k12.nj.us">estewart@somds.k12.nj.us</a> x3011 <b>Red Tigers</b> -Ms. Varney <a href="mailto:rvarney@somds.k12.nj.us">rvarney@somds.k12.nj.us</a> x3283
<b>7</b>	Mr. Michael Chiles, Interim Asst. Prin. <a href="mailto:mchiles@somds.k12.nj.us">mchiles@somds.k12.nj.us</a> 973-378-7660 x3008	<b>Mountain Screammers</b> -Mr. O’Dell <a href="mailto:rodell@somds.k12.nj.us">rodell@somds.k12.nj.us</a> x3285 <b>Pumas</b> -Ms. Schlatmann <a href="mailto:aschlatm@somds.k12.nj.us">aschlatm@somds.k12.nj.us</a> x3612 <b>King Cats</b> -Mr. Rosefort <a href="mailto:srosefor@somds.k12.nj.us">srosefor@somds.k12.nj.us</a> x3275
<b>8</b>	Mr. Brown, Asst. Principal <a href="mailto:lbrown@somds.k12.nj.us">lbrown@somds.k12.nj.us</a> 973-378-7660 x3007	<b>Mountain Lions</b> <a href="mailto:sudol@somds.k12.nj.us">sudol@somds.k12.nj.us</a> -Ms. Herstatt <a href="mailto:aherstat@somds.k12.nj.us">aherstat@somds.k12.nj.us</a> x3155 <b>Fire Cats</b> -Mr. Palmgren <a href="mailto:rpalmgre@somds.k12.nj.us">rpalmgre@somds.k12.nj.us</a> x3156 <b>Christine Kleinwaks</b> -. Candidate awaiting BOE approval. Contact Mr. Brown

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