



September 1st -
September 5th Family Newsletter

IRON EAGLE PRESS:



Hello MIT Iron Eagle Families, Happy Friday!

I hope you are doing well and staying healthy. At MIT High School, your well-being remains our top priority, and we sincerely appreciate your continued support and partnership in our mission to prepare students for college and career readiness.

We're pleased to inform you that Progress Report Grades are now available for viewing in the StudentVUE and ParentVUE. These reports are a valuable tool in guiding students toward academic improvement and success. They offer insight into current performance and help identify areas where additional focus or support may be needed.

Please take time to review the progress reports with your student. These grades are not final but serve as a checkpoint to ensure students are on the right path as they continue their learning journey.

Thank you again for your trust and collaboration. Wishing you and your family a safe, restful, and joyful weekend!

Mr. Gandhi
Headmaster, MIT





MIT IMPORTANT UPCOMING DATES

- September 9th : Picture Day
- September 26th : All Day STEM2 PD – No School for Students.

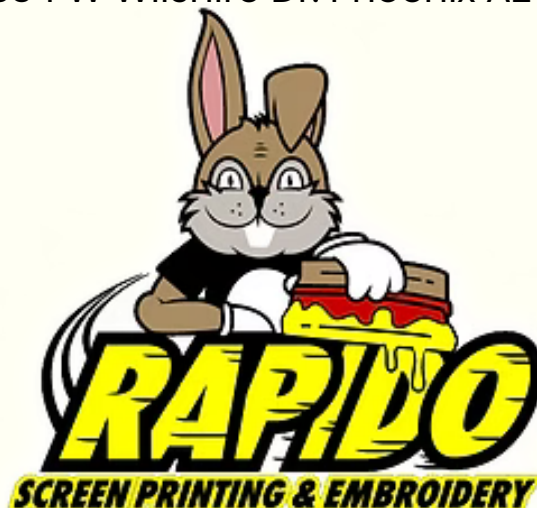
UNIFORM INFORMATION

At MIT, we require our students to wear uniforms. All students are required to have:

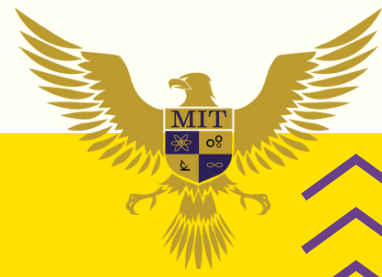
- a solid white button-up shirt with the MIT coat of arms and a tie/bow tie.
- Purple polos with the MIT coat of arms are only permitted on Fridays.
- Pants must be either black or khaki. No jeans!
- Students may only wear jackets or sweaters with the MIT coat of arms.

If you have any questions, please review our dress code policy in our [student handbook](#) found on our website.

You may purchase your student's uniform over the phone at Rapido AZ (602)689-9592 or visit 3334 W Wilshire Dr. Phoenix AZ 85009 STE# 42.



MIT – SENIOR PROJECT STUDENT ASSEMBLY



Dear MIT Families,

Last Wednesday, our senior students participated in an important assembly focused on the Senior Project, a key graduation requirement at MIT High School. During the session, seniors received detailed guidance on expectations, timelines, and support resources.

The Senior Project is a unique opportunity for students to engage with real-life challenges aligned with their career interests, allowing them to explore, research, and present solutions that reflect their future aspirations. It's a meaningful step in preparing them for life beyond high school. We want to thank MIT School counselors, Dr. Angulo and Ms. Genene, for providing this vital information to our students.

We encourage families to talk with their seniors about their project ideas and support them throughout this journey.

Thank you for your continued partnership!



WEEKLY IRON EAGLE BEHAVIOR AWARDS



CONGRATULATIONS!!

Congratulations to the students who won this week's Iron Eagle Behavior Award. This honor is given to students who embody the spirit and values of an MIT Iron Eagle, demonstrating outstanding character, integrity, and leadership in all they do. These exceptional students have set the bar high with their dedication to academic excellence, community spirit, and personal growth. Join us in congratulating these remarkable students for their commitment to making our MIT community stronger and more inspiring. Your exemplary behavior truly makes you shine as Iron Eagles!



Keila DeLeon



Gabriela Barrios



Viktor Cabral



Lizandro Munoz



James Perez

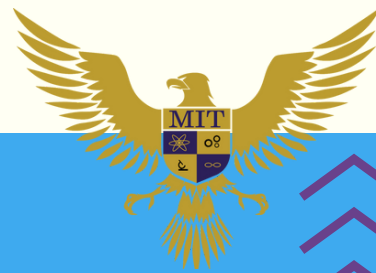


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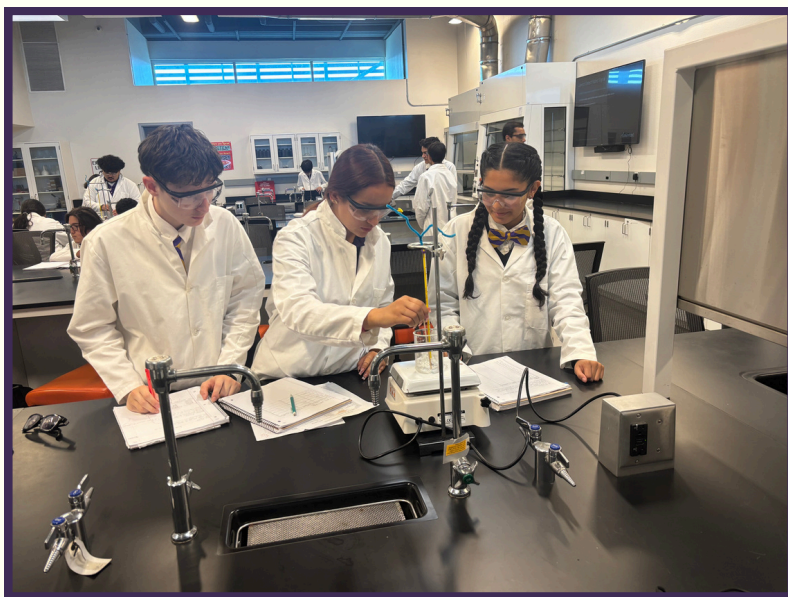


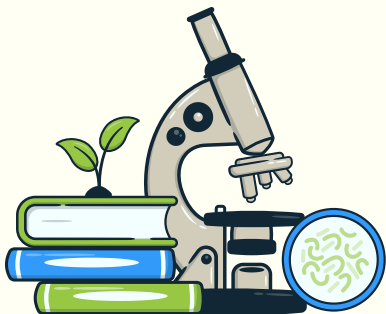
CLASSROOM SPOTLIGHTS

Our chemistry students had a blast in the Phase Change Lab this week!

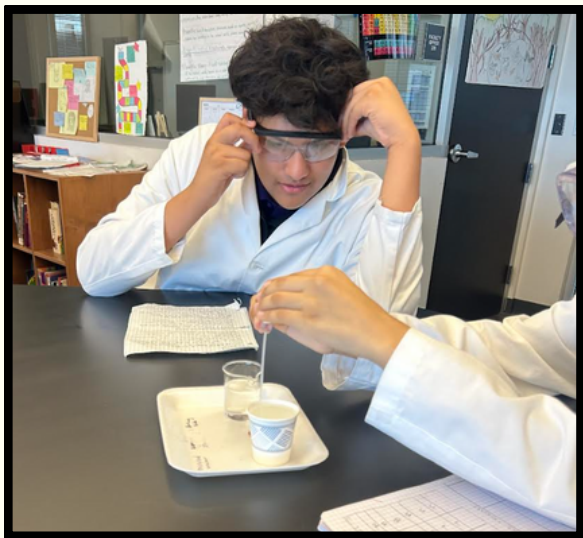
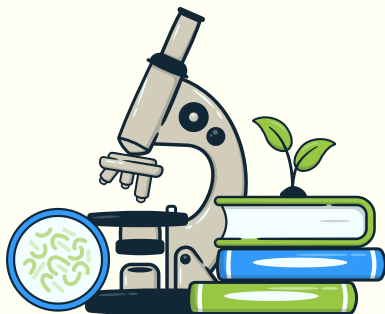
They got to see science in action as ice melted, water bubbled into steam, and temperatures shifted in exciting ways. The room was filled with curiosity as students tracked data, created graphs, and uncovered the “mystery” of how matter changes form. This hands-on experiment turned abstract ideas into real, memorable moments, making chemistry not just educational, but a lot of fun!

Thank you,
Manish Bhardwaj
Chemistry Teacher





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Lab Work



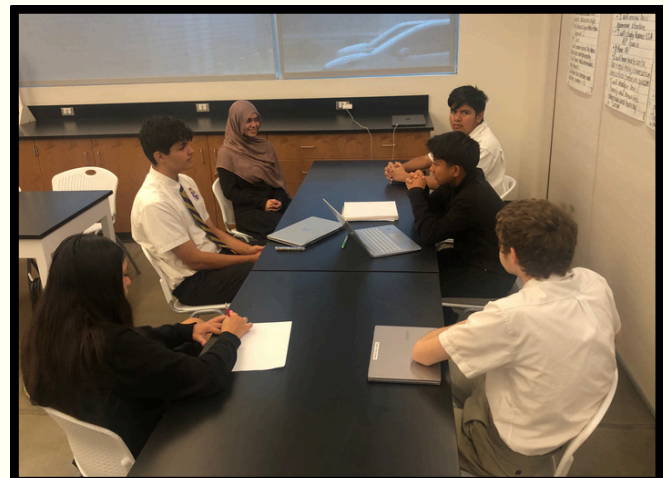
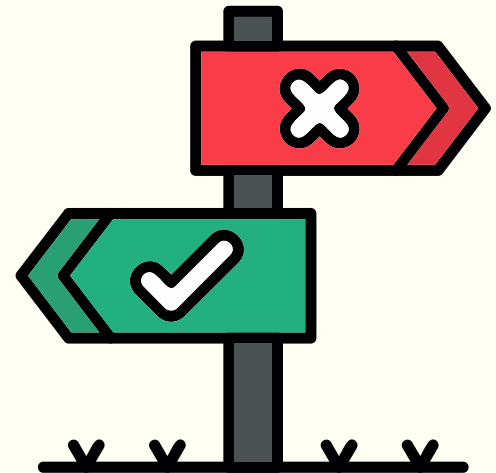
CLASSROOM SPOTLIGHTS



The Science Ethics class has been learning about skills and techniques to produce constructive, enriching, and in-depth conversations.

They have been participating in seminar-style classes, discussing and analyzing the documentary *The Social Dilemma*, directed and written by Jeff Orlowsky. The film addresses the issue of how social media's design, if not used properly, can promote addiction and manipulation of people's ideas, as it can also affect mental health in teens.

The students previously reviewed what a Socratic dialogue is, what the characteristics of good and valid arguments are, how to avoid typical fallacies, and actively listen to each other when participating in a discussion. Our class will finish our analysis with a screen detox challenge.





MIT ATHLETICS

[Game Calendar](#)



This Week's Games & Events

Monday, September 8th

⚽ Boys Soccer @ Adobe Mountain School – 4:30 PM

Reminder: Anyone 18 or older attending must have completed a background check.

Wednesday, September 10th

⚽ Boys Soccer (Home) vs. Phoenix College Prep – 6:00 PM – Military, Police, First Responders Night (Show your military ID and get in free to the game)

Thursday, September 11th

🏐 Varsity Girls Volleyball (Home) vs. BASIS Phoenix – 5:30 PM – Show your MIT Spirit!! Wear a Purple MIT Shirt and Get in for Free!!!

Location: Kings Ridge Gymnasium

Friday, September 12th

⚽ Boys Soccer (Home) vs. Empower College Prep – 6:00 PM – 📸 Fan/Student Section Challenge – loudest/most spirited group gets featured on social media, school's athletic page. (Wear MIT Shirts/Jersey, paint your faces)

🏐 Varsity Girls Volleyball – Varsity Spike It Tournament

Game 1: 5:00 PM vs. Glenview College Prep (@ Glenview College Prep)

Saturday, September 13th

🏐 Varsity Girls Volleyball – Varsity Spike It Tournament

Game 2: 9:00 AM vs. Tri-City College Prep (@ Moon Valley High School)

Game 3: 11:00 AM vs. Trinity Christian (@ Moon Valley High School)

🏈 Football @ Sequoia Charter Schools – 7:00 PM



MIT ATHLETICS




Fan Promotion – Win Prizes at MIT Games!

This season, every time you attend an MIT home game, you'll have a chance to win prizes! Here's how it works:

- When you enter, grab a ticket.
- Write your name and phone number on the back.
- Drop it off at the concession stand or ticket booth.

 Throughout the season, we'll draw tickets for:

- Free food at the concession stand
- Free entrance to the next game
- MIT clothing & gear

 At the end of the season, there will be a huge drawing for gifts and prizes!

So don't forget, get your ticket every time you come to support the Iron Eagles!





MIT ATHLETICS


[Game Calendar](#)



Upcoming Sports Registration

Registration opens next week for the following sports:

- Basketball (Boys & Girls)
- Chess (Co-Ed)
- Cornhole (Co-Ed)
- Esports (Co-Ed)
- Tennis (Boys and Girls)
- Baseball
- Softball
- Track & Field (Boys and Girls)

 Registration packets will be available at the front desk starting Monday, September 8th.

 **17** Deadline to submit completed packets: Friday, October 10th.


All athletes must be registered and cleared in order to participate in tryouts or practices.

Stay Connected

Continue to follow MIT Athletics on our official website, where you can find:
Practice and game schedules

- Scores and results
- News and announcements
- Athlete of the Week spotlights
- ...and much more!

Thank you for your continued support of MIT Athletics. We look forward to seeing you at our games this week!

Go Iron Eagles! 

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¡Ya llega el Día de la Foto!

Tuesday, September 09, 2025
Maricopa Institute of Technology



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2025–2026 BEST US HIGH SCHOOLS – US NEWS Ranking

Thank you, everyone, for making MIT High School #11 in the Phoenix, AZ Metro Area High School and #16 in Arizona High Schools.

Maricopa Institute of Technology 2025-2026 Rankings

Maricopa Institute of Technology is ranked #720 in the [National Rankings](#). Schools are ranked on their performance on state-required tests, graduation and how well they prepare students for college. Read more about [how we rank the Best High Schools](#).

All Rankings

- 🏆 #720 in National Rankings
- 🏆 #16 in Arizona High Schools
- 🏆 #11 in Phoenix, AZ Metro Area High Schools
- 🏆 #132 in Charter High Schools

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Took at Least One AP® Exam	97%
Passed at Least One AP® Exam	63%
Mathematics Proficiency	33%
Graduation Rate	98%



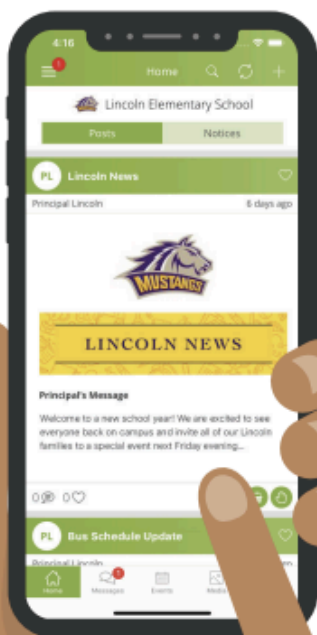


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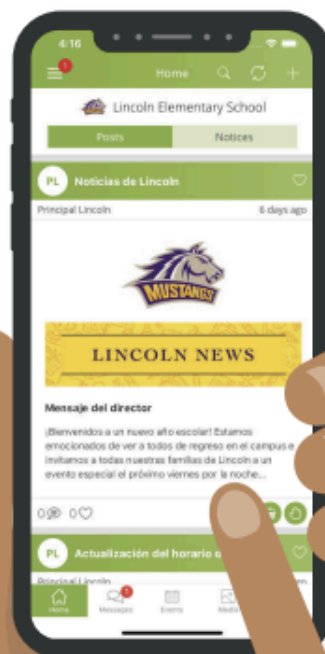


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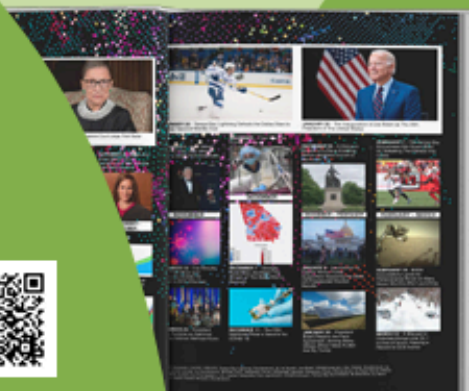
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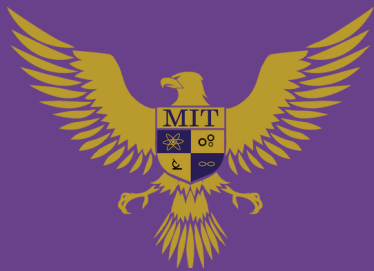
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MARICOPA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY INSTRUCTIONAL CALENDAR 2025-2026



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4	Independence Day Observed				4-8	District-Wide Benchmark Testing				1	Labor Day - No School				3	End of Qtr. 1			
16-18	New Teacher Orientation				8	ADM 10th Day Student Count				3	Mid-QTR Reports Issued				6-10	Fall Break - No School			
21-25	PD - All Teachers Return				22	All Day STEM PD - No School				23	ADM 40th Day Student Count				15-17	Parent Teacher Conferences			
22 & 23	Meet the Teacher Night									26	All Day STEM PD - No School					and Qtr 1 Report Cards			
28	First Day of School																		
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11	Veterans Day - No School				10-12	Sem 1 Finals/End of Semester 1				1-2	Winter Break - No School				9-12	State Testing			
19	Mid Qtr Reports Issued				22-31	Winter Break - No School				7	Semester 1 Report Cards				13	All Day STEM PD - No School			
24-28	Thanksgiving Recess - No School									12-16	Benchmark Testing				16	President's Day - No School			
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MIT MISSION AND VISION STATEMENT

Hello Iron Eagle Families, thank you for your continued support to achieve MIT's mission and vision. Our Mission and Vision are always available on our school website at <https://www.mitglobalonline.org/Our-School> and I would also like to take this opportunity to share them with you all here.

Vision:

MIT will provide a science, technology, engineering, and math program to students within a state-of-the-art research facility with the goal of preparing our students for collegiate success and successful STEM² careers.

Mission:

Maricopa Institute of Technology (MIT) is a college preparatory high school providing an advanced science, technology, engineering, and mathematics (STEM) education while challenging students to pursue personal excellence in character in order to serve and lead others. MIT will provide a comprehensive and rigorous (STEM) curriculum through interdisciplinary work, independent learning, projects, internships, and college credits earned by graduation through Advanced Placement (AP) or dual enrollment classes.

