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June 20, 2022

Dear Parents and Guardians,

As we prepare for our summer vacation and plan for the new school year, I would like to take this opportunity to welcome your children and family to Glades Middle School, "Gator Town". The start of a new school year is always an exciting time, but for our newest Gators, it marks the beginning of their middle school journey. It is my sincerest hope that this journey will be one that you will find educationally enriching, bountiful with extra-curricular activities, and comforting in knowing that your child is in safe and caring hands.

Our Glades family has been working diligently to prepare for the start of this new school year 2022-2023.

Please take the time to review all documents, to prepare for a smooth transition and opening.

- ✓ Dress Code Policy and Ibiley Uniform VIP Sale
- ✓ Summer Reading List
- ✓ How to Access Portal for Test Scores
- ✓ Family Orientation Invitation for New Students
- ✓ Back to School Supplies List
- √ 2022-2023 School Calendar
- ✓ Before & After School Care

School hours are from 9:10 A.M. to 3:50 P.M. Our doors are open at 8:30 A.M. to students who wish to have breakfast in our supervised cafeteria. Should your child require before-school supervision we offer before-school care from 7:00 A.M. until 8:30 A.M., and after-school care from 3:50 P.M.-to 6:30 P.M., we will provide additional information at the Family Orientation. Be reminded that being punctual and in school, every day is essential to students' success. Attendance matters!

Our school is a mandatory uniform school. You have the option to purchase from the Ibiley school fundraiser or any other stores the school color shirt (royal blue or yellow); however, logos must be purchased at Ibiley Store. Please review the flyer for the VIP date.

Throughout the year there will be several opportunities to visit our school and showcase your child's talents and work. The first visit to Glades will be for our 6th Grade or New Student Family Orientation on Wednesday, August 10th, 2022, at 5:00 pm.

Remember, this is your school, and we want you to be a part of this journey. Join our PTSA, sign up to be a school volunteer, and build a lasting relationship with us!

Looking forward to a great year, enjoy your summer!

Regards to all,

Cynthia Valdes-Garcia, Principal

GLADES MIDDLE SCHOOL MANDATORY DRESS CODE POLICY

ITEM	COLOR	COMMENTS
SHIRTS School Logo	Royal Blue or Yellow	 Polo style shirts with school logo/patch Tab collar t-shirts with school logo/patch Long sleeve tab collar t-shirt with school logo/patch School team, club and sport shirts are allowed but must be associated with Glades Middle School or Miami-Dade County Public Schools SCHOOL LOGO/PATCH IS MANDATORY ON ALL SHIRTS ON TEAM & CLUB SHIRTS MAY BE WORN ON FRIDAYS P.E. SHIRTS ARE ONLY TO BE WORN DURING P.E. CLASS NO OVERSIZED SHIRTS ALLOWED
UNDERSHIRTS	Royal Blue, Yellow, or White	Undershirt must not be exposed from the sleeves (unless it is a long sleeve undershirt) Undershirt must not be exposed from the bottom of the uniform shirt (must be tucked in) NO OVERSIZED UNDERSHIRTS ALLOWED
STUDENT SCHOOL ID	By Grade Level	 For safety measures, as per District, always, students will be required to wear school ID around their neck with a lanyard that opens immediately if someone pulls by accident. The first ID will cost \$2.00 includes picture & lanyard with specific safety guidelines. If a student loses their ID, the replacement will cost \$2.00, and student is to inform their homeroom teacher & main office.
PANTS	Khaki	Must fit at waist and go to the ankle Undergarment must not be exposed The following items ARE NOT ALLOWED: NO JEANS, Pajama, sweat and jogging pants, blue/khaki/black jeggings, and leggings OVERSIZED PANTS, CARGO PANTS AND/OR PANTS HANGING BELOW THE WAIST ARE NOT ALLOWED
BERMUDA SHORTS	Khaki	 Must fit at waist Must be a reasonable length (extend below outstretched arms and fingers) The following items ARE NOT ALLOWED: P.E., gym, sweat and jean shorts (NO SKIRTS)
SWEATERS	Royal Blue, Navy Blue, Black	 Zipped at the front (no closed sweaters or long sleeves) No hooded sweaters (will be taken away for pick-up) Plain colors (No Print except school logo, College, or brand)
SHOES		 All shoes must be closed toe No shoes should be open in the back Laces and straps must be tied and secured The following items ARE NOT ALLOWED: High heels, Wedges, Platforms, Sandals, Slippers, or Crocs
JEWELRY		The following items ARE NOT ALLOWED: Thick neck chains, Pocket Chains or Large Hoop Earrings As a safety measure, body piercing is not allowed (except for ears) Anything that is a safety or distraction to the learning environment will be asked to be removed.
GROOMING		Please make sure that make-up or hair coloring does not distract the learning environment. *Please read school board policy 5511 located in the District's website. www.dadeschools.net under the tab "School Board", click on "Board Policies, click on "Adopted Policies", click on "5000 Students", then "5511 Dress Code and School Uniforms". An explanation will be provided.

NOTE: The following items are <u>NOT</u> permitted to be worn hats/scarfs (except for religious purposes), sunglasses, tube tops, see-through blouses, bare backs, bare midriffs, fish net jerseys, halter tops, tank tops and/or clothing which portray any messages, either in writing and/or graphics, related to drugs, alcohol, smoking, sex and/or profanity.



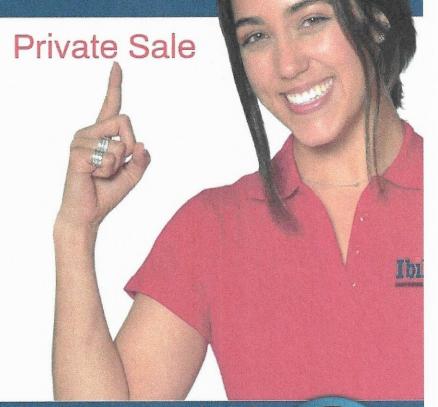
UNIFORMS SHOPPING DAY SAVETHE DATE

Ibiley Uniform Store - Private Sale

10564 SW 8th St, Miami, FL 33174

Date & Time

Thursday, June 23rd 6:00PM to 8:00PM Extended store hours



The store will be open exclusively to our school

www.ibiley.com



Dear Students & Parents:

e are pleased to announce Ibiley's School Uniforms
Give back program with Glades Middle. Our school will
receive 10% back on all online purchases! We encourage
you to support our school.

For FREE shipping select the Store pickup option at checkout!

- **1** Visit www.lbiley.com
- Select "Find your School " to search our school
- Shop our Unique uniform Dress code
- Enter schools give back code GLADES at checkout

https://uniforms.ibiley.com/gladesmiddle

Save the Date! V.I.P uniforms shopping day at the Ibiley retail located at 10564 SW 8th Street, Miami 33174

THURSDAY, JUNE 23

EXTENDED STORE HOURS FOR GLADES MIDDLE SCHOOL

Sincerely, Glades Middle School

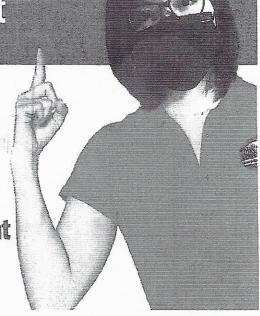




Book an Appointment

(walk-in also accepted)

- **O** Visit www.lbiley.com
- 2 Click "find your school"
- Select Book an appointment in uniform page



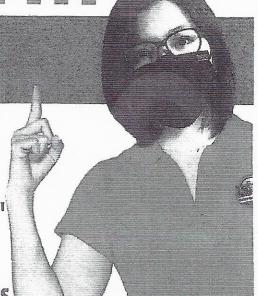
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Reserva una cita

(también puedes venir sin cita previa)

- **1** Visita www.lbiley.com
- 2 Haz dick en "Find your School"
- Seleccione reservar una cita en la página uniformes







UNIFORM SUPPORT

Chat Online: www.lbiley.com

Call: 1 (844) 706 - 5771

Email: Support@ibiley.com





FIU / Sweetwater Store 10564 SW 8th St Miami, FL 33174

Store Tolls

Tuesday to Friday 12:00 PM - 6:00 PM 12:00 PM - 5:00 PM

Saturday

Sunday & Monday Closed



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Use the link https://read.dadeschools.net to find ebooks and audiobooks for all interest & Reading levels. We're sure you'll find something you'll love! Select 1 book or audiobook for your summer reading activities.

Follow these guidelines when selecting your book:

- Make sure it is a middle school book (grades 6-8)
- You can also select an audiobook through Audible.com
- Use the 5-finger rule to guide you
- 2021 FSA L1 and L2 RISING 7th and 8th graders received their novels through their Intensive Reading teachers and may use that book, or another from the site above.

After you select your book or audio book complete two of the following activities:

- Create a Meme for each book that you have read or one Meme that combines all the books.
- Using Office 365 write a one-page "pitch" to a producer explaining why the story would or would not make a great movie.
- Using Office 365 write a paragraph telling about the title. Is it appropriate? Why not? If you feel it is not appropriate, provide an alternate title and explain why this title is better.
- Look through online magazines for words and pictures that describe your book. Use these to create a virtual collage
- Visit the author's official website to conduct research and write your findings in one page (minimum). Include pictures of the author.
- Create and write and advice column giving the author of the book advice on how they should handle the problems/ dilemmas in the text.
- Create a TOP Ten List in which you write and illustrate events or ideas you learned from the book.

How to Access the Family Portal



The new Family Portal provides a central location for your student's assessment results.

The Family Portal can be used to

- access your student's results for the Florida Statewide
 Assessments (FSA & NGSSS);
- print score reports

How can I access the Family Portal?

- At the Florida Statewide Assessments Portal: https://fsassessments.org/
- Or at the direct link: https://fl-familyportal.cambiumast.com/

What information do I need to log in to the Family Portal?

- Your student's unique six-digit access code (available on the MDCPS Student Portal).
- Your student's date of birth.
- Your student's name as it appears on his or her official school record.

What information can I find on the Family Portal?

- Your student's results from the 2020-2021 school year
- Your student's Individual Score Reports with interpretative guides.
- Glossary
- FAQs
- Performance Levels

Where do I get the Access Code?

Your student's access code will be available on the MDCPS Student Portal. For issues with the Access Code or accessing the Family Portal, contact your student's school.









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FREE UNIFORMS, BACKPACKS, SCHOOL SUPPLIES & MORE!

MANA WYNWOOD CONVENTION CENTER
318 NW 23 ST
MIAMI, FL 33127

SATURDAY AUGUST 13TH / SUNDAY AUGUST 14TH 10 AM - 4 PM

STUDENT REGISTRATION: STYLESAVES.ORG

WELCOMING AGES 5 YEARS OLD +

GLADES MIDDLE SCHOOL **Generic Items School Supply List** We are sharing this generic list of items to get a head start on the back-to-school specials so that on the first day of school students are ready with some essentials. Loose paper and (2) Composition Notebook Agenda/Homework Binder/Planner Duo-tang folders (about 3) Pencils with Erasers Blue or Black Pens Red Pen A Jump Drive (USB) A pack of Multi-Color Highlighters Small Pencil Sharpener with Casing (to hold shavings) A pack of Colored Pencils Scissors Glue Stick English/Spanish (or home language) Dictionary *For ESOL only 3-ring binder with a pack of dividers Approved Calculators (7th & 8th Grade ONLY- Casio fx-260soLAR FRACTION *similar to FSA) Small bottle of hand sanitizer (for personal use) Tissue (for personal use) Personal earphones/earbuds (for computer lab-for personal use) Small portable stapler (optional) Device (Laptop, Tablet, or Computer) (Optional)-this can be utilized for assignments and in case it is needed for Distance Learning. Devices can be checked out from school if needed. In addition to these items, some teachers may request other materials for their specific class (such as additional composition notebooks/flexible binders). This will be discussed during the first week of school and shared with you via their class syllabus. Additional time will be provided to families to obtain required items for specific classes.



MIAMI-DADE COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS 2022-2023 SCHOOL CALENDAR ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY

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For information on employee opt days, please refer to back of calendar.

MIAMI-DADE COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS 2022-2023 SCHOOL CALENDAR ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY MIAMI, FLORIDA

August 12, 2022	Teacher planning day; not available to opt; no students in school
August 15	Teacher planning day; District-wide Professional Development Day - not available to opt; no students in school
August 16	Teacher planning day; not available to opt; no students in school
August 17	First Day of School; begin first semester
September 5	Labor Day; holiday for students and employees
September 26 *+#	Teacher planning day; no students in school
October 5*+#	Teacher planning day; no students in school
October 21	End first grading period; first semester
October 24	Begin second grading period; first semester
November 8	Teacher planning day; District-wide Professional Development Day - not available to opt; no students in school
November 11	Observation of Veterans' Day; holiday for students and employees
November 21-23	Fall Recess for 10 month employees
November 24	Thanksgiving; Board-approved holiday for students and employees
November 25	Recess Day
December 23*+#	Teacher planning day; no students in school
December 26-	Winter recess for students and employees with the exception of Fraternal Order of Police
January 6	and select 12 month employees
January 16, 2023	Observance of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.'s Birthday; holiday for students and employees
January 20	End first semester and second grading period
January 23*+#	Teacher planning day; no students in school
January 24	Begin third grading period; second semester
February 20	All Presidents Day; holiday for students and employees
March 20 - 24	Spring recess for students and employees with the exception of Fraternal Order of Police and select
	12 month employees
April 6	End third grading period; second semester
April 7*+#	Teacher planning day; no students in school
April 10	Begin fourth grading period; second semester
May 29	Observance of Memorial Day; holiday for students and employees
June 7	Last Day of School; end fourth grading period; second semester

NOTE: Every Wednesday students in elementary schools (Grades 2-5) and K-8 Centers (Grades 2-8) are released one (1) hour early

Teacher planning day; not available to opt; no students in school

Job Category	Beginning Date	Ending Date
Teachers new to the system	August 5, 2022	June 8, 2023
Assistant Principals and 10-month clerical	August 5, 2022	June 15, 2023
Cafeteria Managers	August 9, 2022	June 8, 2023
Satellite Assistants	August 11, 2022	June 7, 2023
All Instructional Staff, Paraprofessionals & Security	August 12, 2022	June 8, 2023
Assistant to Cafeteria Managers/MAT Specialists	August 15, 2022	June 7, 2023
Cafeteria Workers (part-time)	August 17, 2022	June 7, 2023

June 8

*Teachers/paraprofessionals and school support personnel may opt to work one or two days, August 10, 11, 2022, or June 9, 12, 2023, in lieu of any one or two of the following days: September 26, 2022, October 5, 2022, December 23, 2022, January 23, 2023 and April 7, 2023. August 15, 2022 and November 8, 2022 are District-wide Professional Development Days and are not available to opt.

+Teachers new to Miami-Dade County Public Schools may opt to work one or two days, June 9, 12, 2023, in lieu of any one or two of the following days: September 26, 2022, October 5, 2022, December 23, 2022, January 23, 2023 and April 7, 2023. August 15, 2022 and November 8, 2022 are District-wide Professional Development Days and are not available to opt.

#Ten-month secretarial and clerical employees may opt to work one or two days, August 3, 4, 2022, or June 16, 20, 2023, in lieu of any one or two of the following days: September 26, 2022, October 5, 2022, December 23, 2022, January 23, 2023 and April 7, 2023. August 15, 2022 and November 8, 2022 are District-wide Professional Development Days and are not available to opt.

GLADES MIDDLE SCHOOL BEFORE/AFTER SCHOOL CARE



REGISTER HERE

FEE BASED BEFORE CARE \$4.00 PER DAY

FROM 7:00 AM TO 8:20 AM

FEE BASED AFTER CARE \$8.00 PER DAY

FROM 3:50 PM TO 6:30 PM

ACCIDENT INSURANCE REQUIRED \$16.00 GRADE 6/\$18.00 GRADE 7-8



- ✓ BREAKFAST IS PROVIDED at 8:25 AM in the school's cafeteria and program
- ✓ A SNACK IS PROVIDED at 4:00 PM in the classroom setting
- ✓ COMPUTERS ARE AVAILABLE
- ✓ COMPLETION OF HOMEWORK ASSIGNMENTS
- ✓ FREE TIME PROVIDED IN THE CLASSROOM SETTING

STUDENTS ARE SUPERVISED BY GMS STAFF

KEEP IN MIND THERE IS NO SUPERVISION BEFORE 8:30 AM AND AFTER 4:30 PM OTHER THAN BEFORE/AFTER SCHOOL CARE

PLEASE PLAN ACCORDINGLY FOR YOUR CHILD'S SAFETY

Registration for Before/After School Care will begin on <u>Wednesday</u>, <u>August 10th</u> during Family Orientation. After this date you may email Ms. Ciano, Before/After School Care Manager for further information or visit the GMS Main Office to speak to an administrator.



School Address: 9451 SW 64 ST Main Office Phone Number: 305-271-3342 Office Hours: 8:00am-4:00pm

Instructional Hours: 9:10am-3:50pm

Morning Areas of Supervision begin at 8:30 am

- ✓ Front/Main Entrance of Building-doors to Main Lobby open at 8:30 am
- ✓ Cafeteria
- ✓ Spill Out Area (directly behind the school)
- ✓ Science Wing
 - If you drop off your child prior to this time, you are being reminded there is no supervision provided.
- During Instructional time, the entire perimeter of the school will be locked by 9:15 am, and the front (left side) will be open for visitors, staff, and students until 9:25 am then will be locked and visitors will need to call Main Office for assistance.
- ❖ <u>During lunchtime</u>, all students must remain in the cafeteria. Students will be called by class/teacher name to line up in specific areas of the cafeteria and must remain seated. Unless visitor/parent has permission from the administration to enter restricted areas, under no circumstances will anyone be allowed in the dining room, especially during lunchtime.

Dismissal Procedures and Specific Area of Supervision end at 4:20 pm

- During dismissal students will exit via the front/main entrance and the back exit of the school. The back will be cleared immediately after dismissal, any student remaining after 4:05 pm will be directed to the front/main entrance of the school for parent pick-up.
- ✓ MDCPS School Buses are parked in front/main entrance of the building; students are responsible to board the correct bus. If a student misses the bus, he/she must report to the office to contact the parent for pick-up and notify an administrator/staff member. If there is an emergency and a parent cannot make it before 4:30 pm, please contact the school before 3:30 pm to notify the student and if needed, the student will be placed in After-Care room 5001.
- ✓ Private Buses are parked in the back area of the school for pick-up, if buses arrive after 4:05 pm, they will be directed to the front/main entrance of the building. Please discuss with company area of pick-p.
- Parent Pick-Up areas aligned around the school campus, after 4:05 pm all students are routed to the front/main entrance of the school building. Parents do not allow your child to cross over into traffic/street without supervision. Please park your vehicle in the correct way of traffic and beside the sidewalk.

Pease adhere to these procedures in order to ensure the safety of all students. Dismissal can be very hectic, and your patience is necessary during this transition. Traffic usually begins about 3:45 pm and ends about 4:10 pm.

- After-School Activities/Athletic Events are supervised by a club sponsor, or/and coach/administrator in different locations of the campus. Please communicate with your child prior to them staying after-school at their location and time the of event.
- ❖ After-Care Students, the front of the building will be closed at 4:30 pm and parents will need to enter the building utilizing the side entrance gate to pick up their child in room 5001.



EDUCATIONAL RESOURCES FOR ALL!

KEEP ON PRACTICING DURING THE SUMMER MONTHS

➤ M-DCPS K-12 Summer Reading Program

https://read.dadeschools.net

Find a story you love this summer! Resources located in the above website.



> CPALMS Florida Students-educational resources for learning are located on the student portal application.

https://www.floridastudents.org

Let's get started! 6



