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Welcome to Maryland School, home of the Roadrunners!
Maryland is a school of great traditions and great diversity. The student body hails from 25 different countries, and our students speak many different languages. We pride ourselves on our

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MISSION STATEMENT/ PHILOSOPHY

The mission of Maryland School is to develop lifelong learners who become productive and responsible members of society. We believe that social, emotional, physical and intellectual abilities are developed while individual strengths are nurtured to achieve success.

GENERAL SCHOOL INFO

School Address: 6503 N. 21st Avenue, Phoenix, AZ 85015

School Web Site: <http://maryland.wedschools.org>

Important Telephone Numbers:

Office	602-347-2300
Health Office	602-347-2310
Attendance	602-347-2321
Head Start	602-347-2365

Office Hours

During the school year, the front office is open Monday through Friday from 7:00 a.m. until 3:30 p.m. The office is open from 7:00 a.m. until 2:30 p.m. on Wednesdays.

Arrival/Dismissal for Kindergarten - Grade 8

- 7:10 a.m.** Students may arrive on campus no earlier than 7:10 (there is no supervision before that time).
- 7:25 a.m.** First bell - students meet teachers on playground or wing, then proceed to classrooms for breakfast.
- 7:30 a.m.** School starts
- 7:30**

be disciplined accordingly. (see dress code violations) Students will not be allowed on the bus if an ID is not present in the afternoon. Progressive warnings and/or consequences will occur if temporary z-passes are consistently allocated. Parents may be called to come in to the office to replace a student ID if loss of temporary IDs is continual.

IDs are required at athletic events, getting on the bus, and entering campus from the buses. If students deface, destroy, render their ID unreadable or lose their ID, they will be required to purchase a replacement ID card for \$2. Lanyards are 50 cents each.

General School Rules

Follow instructions of all staff members the first time they are given. Students must have a pass if not under the direct supervision of a teacher. All students will keep their hands, feet and objects to themselves. Students are expected to follow the Be Responsible, Be Respectful, Be Safe, Be Awesome expectations for all school areas. Expectations are posted throughout the campus and are taught within the classroom. Students are celebrated for following the 4

Bullying

Maryland is a BULLY FREE SCHOOL. Administration seriously deals with all bullying reports (according to WESD Parent/Student Handbook). The Maryland staff promote the following student expectations regarding bullying:

- We will not bully others.
- We will try to help students who are bullied.
- We will include students who are left out.
- When we know someone is being bullied, we will tell an adult at school and/or home.

Students at Maryland also have the opportunity to report bullying incidents anonymously through the following process:

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- timely fashion according to WESD policy.
- The target of the incident(s) is supported, the incident is investigated and consequences are given by the BSA, social worker, assistant principal or principal.
- Classroom teachers may, at any time, refer specific student behavior related to bullying directly to the social worker.

In order to effectively deal with bullying, students, school staff and parents MUST be involved in addressing this serious issue. For further information about the issue of bullying, please see the brochure in the Maryland Office.

Promotion Requirements

This criterion applies to all end-of-year activities and the promotion ceremony.

- Must earn a minimum D (1.0) average in each of the academic classes: Math, English, Social Studies and Science;
- Receive no more than 10 discipline referrals during the school year;
- Accumulate no more