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*January 1st-7th*

*Tallahassee School of Math and Science*

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New Year!



TSMS would like to welcome back all of our families, we hope you had a relaxing fun filled break!

PVO 1/10/2017



# 1/10/2017 PVO MEETING

## Parent Volunteer Organization

Come join us for our first Parent Volunteer Organization meeting

The meeting will be held in the cafeteria (Media Center)

from 6-6:45pm

\*Supervision provided for students during meeting



Come learn  
about...

School Events

Volunteer  
Opportunities

Family Events

Fundraising

### TSMS

3434 North Monroe Street  
Tallahassee, FL 32303

<http://schoolofmathandscience.org>

## TSMS Staff Appreciation Breakfast 1/13/17



Happy New Year!! Let's celebrate back to school with our monthly teacher appreciation breakfast on Friday, January 13th 2017!

If you can participate in bringing in one of the following items, this would make it a successful event.

Breakfast starts at 7:30am, please have all items brought to the front office by 7:15am on the 13th.

We currently have 35 staff members at TSMS.

Date: 01/13/2017 (Fri.)

Time: 7:30am - 9:00am EST

Location: TSMS Staff Lounge

<http://www.signupgenius.com/go/4090844aaa722aafd0-tsms2>

## TSMS MAKES THE LOCAL NEWS – TWICE!



















To celebrate the excellent crop of kale in the TSMS garden, planted by students in October, and the completion of the 4 projects funded by the Lowe's Toolbox for Education Grant, Coach Vance and Mr Froemke organized two events that made the 5 o'clock news on WTXL ABC 27 and the Chronicle Section of the Tallahassee Democrat!

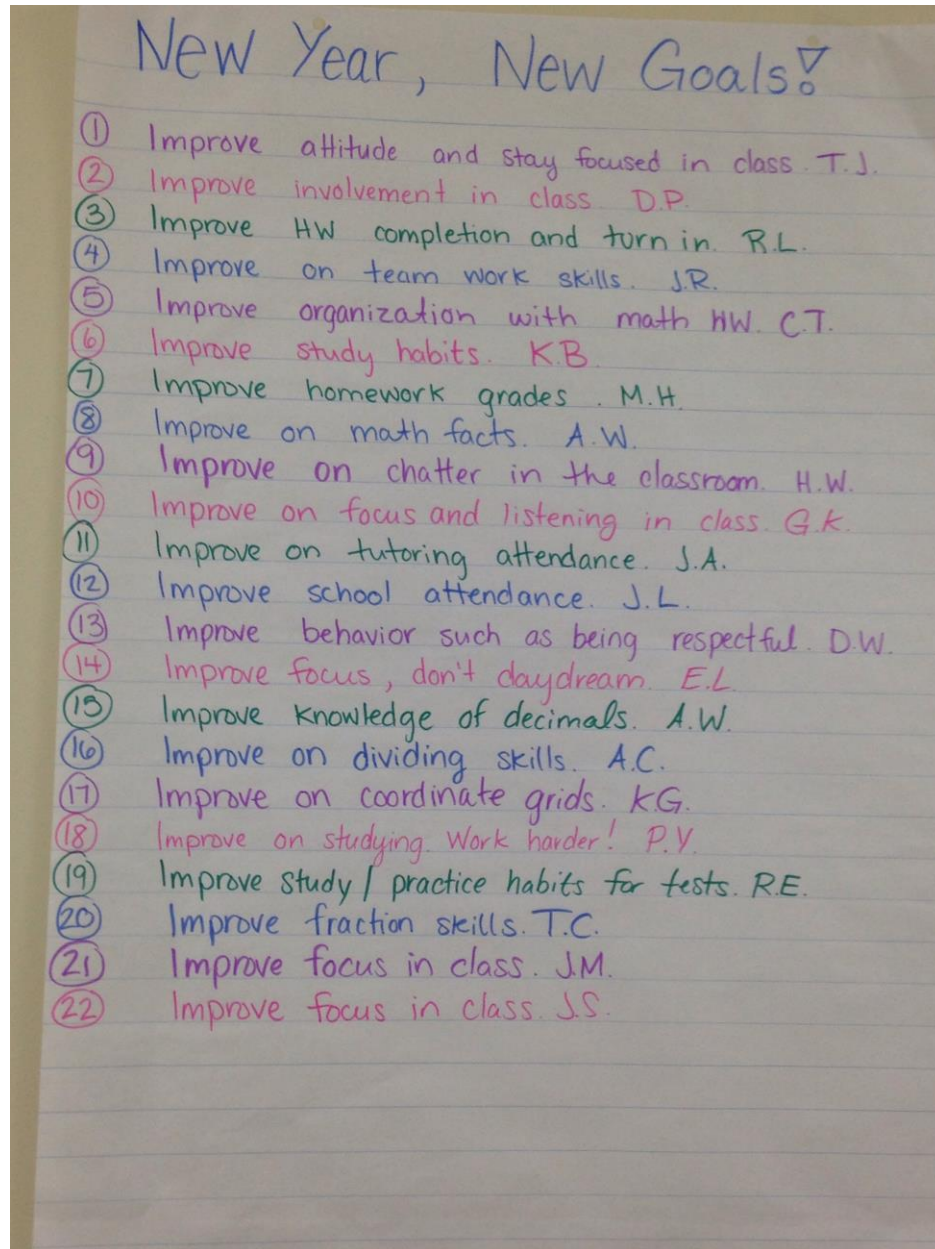
Partnering with Tiffany Torres from the UF/IFAS Leon County Extension Office, a Kale Taste Test was held on December 6th after harvesting the kale the day before. The kale was prepared 3 ways: Dehydrated with seasonings (i.e. chips), massaged with carrots and apples, and plain). Students were pleasantly surprised to find such a nutritious leafy green could be so tasty. Some of their comments were:

- "Can we do this every month?"

- “Honestly I thought this wasn’t going to be good, but it exceeded my expectations.”
- “This taste test made me like vegetables more.”
- “It tastes really fresh, it tastes really good.”
- “It’s pretty good, honestly.”
- “I need more of all three!”

Ms Torres invited Blake Canter from Owen River Farm, who spoke to the students about what it’s like to be a local Urban Farmer. On the following day, Managers from the two local Lowe’s stores were invited for a Thank You, Lowe’s! photo op. This was the big finish to the grant, which has provided TSMS with an edible vegetable and butterfly garden, an outdoor classroom with cedar benches, and some general landscaping in the front of the main building. Once again: Thank you, Lowe’s!

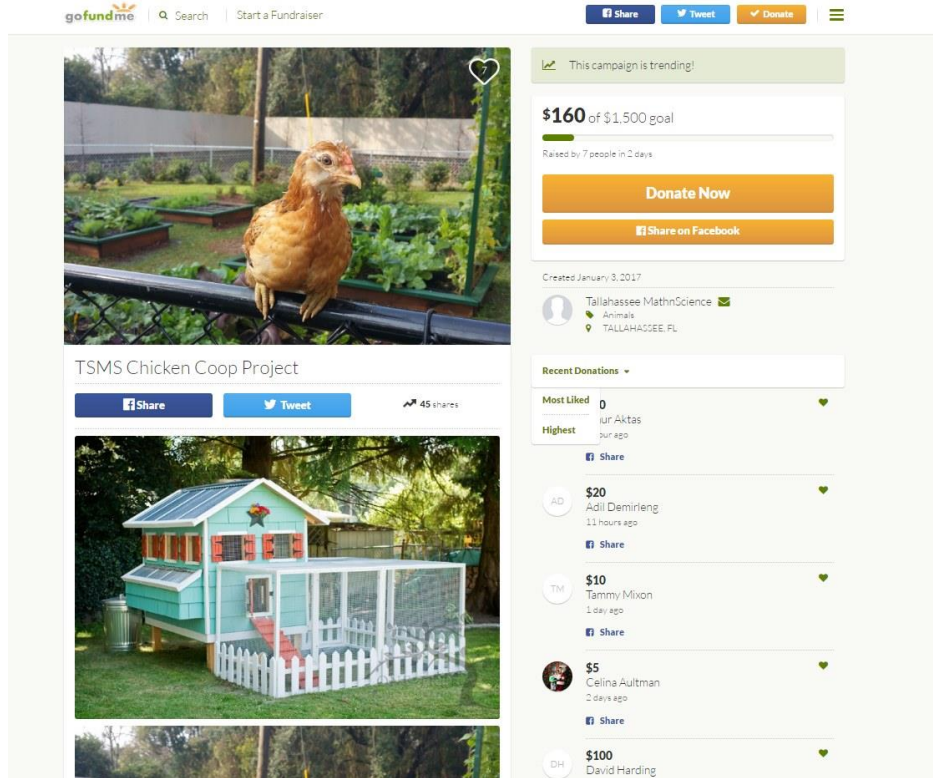
## "New Year, New Goals!"



4th and 5th grade math classes started the new year off ready to focus! With it being the new year you hear so many people say, "New year, new me". Instead, Ms. Priore decided that it's time for the classes to reflect on the first half of the year and identify goals for the second half of the year to finish the year strong and successfully. Each student chose a goal for "New Year, New Goals"! Throughout the second semester we will revisit the goals we set for ourselves and continue to strive for success!



# TSMS Chicken Coop Project!



*Please help support and share!! Follow the link to our schools GoFundMe account and donate today!*

<https://www.gofundme.com/6m-tsms-chicken-coop-project>

## TSMS 2017-2018 Applications



**Applications for  
2017-2018 academic  
year begin on  
Feb 1st and end on March 1st.**

Applications for 2017-2018 will begin on Feb. 1st. Remember!! Space is limited, apply to secure your spot. Mark Your calendars!!

## Get Your Winter Gear!



Winter is coming! Get over to ALL UNIFORM WEAR to purchase the Dress Code approved pieces. Make sure your students stay warm with the TSMS pull-over sweater, cardigan, and the zip-up fleece jacket.

ALL UNIFORM WEAR is located on 1989 Capital Circle Northeast, Tallahassee, FL 32308. For more information you can contact them at (850) 629-4144.

## TSMS Uniforms



1 - Shoes on the left are in the appropriate colors-- Black, White, Navy, and Brown; they do not have flashy colors or logos that stand out. Shoes on the right are not in the appropriate colors, they have logos that stand out, and boots/Uggs are not permitted.



2 - All Uniform Wear 1989 Capital Circle NE

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[www.alluniformwear.com](http://www.alluniformwear.com)

[store28@alluniformwear.com](mailto:store28@alluniformwear.com)

\*Please refer to pages 25-29 in the Student Handbook for more information.



## Dismissal: Parent Pick-up Cards



To help combat heavy traffic, please park in the parking lot and walk up to pick up your student.

Dismissal is from 2:45-3:00pm, after 3:00pm students will be sent to EDP.

Please displayed Pick-up card clearly on the dashboard for car pickup. If you do not have a Pick-up card, you will be directed to park your car and show your photo ID to the front office to release your student. EDP also requires Pick-up card for dismissing a student through the front office.

Transportation change or any afternoon change will need to be submitted in writing via letter or email to the secretary Ms. Meriweather

Parents MUST notify front office by 2:30pm– at the latest if there is an emergency and transportation needs to be changed for the day. –If after 2:30pm student will go home as arranged.

## Contact Us

### TSMS

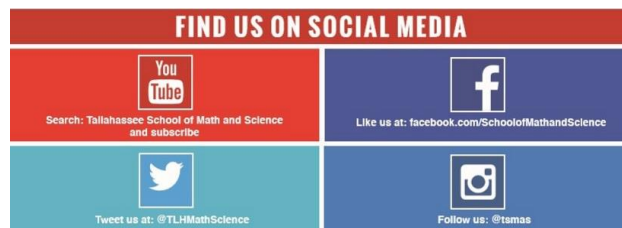
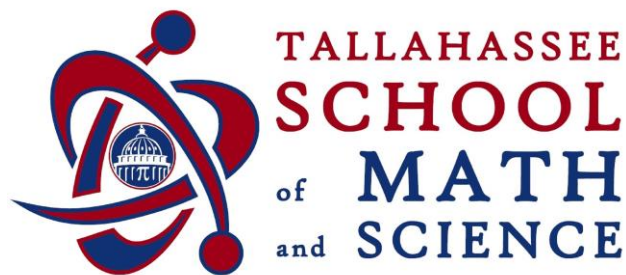
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