The ROUNDTABLE

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Change Your Mind, CHANGE YOUR LIFE...

Jeremy Anderson is a leading expert, author, and one of the premier motivational speakers in the educational arena. Jeremy has made it his life's work to help scholars and educators become the best version of themselves. Years ago, Jeremy experienced many challenges such as drug and alcohol abuse and constant failure in school. He was able to transition from that to now being a powerful speaker who inspires and instructs students,

teachers, and leaders on how to take their lives to the next level!

Jeremy is a walking testimony of Next Level Living. He went on to receive his high school diploma as well as obtain

> his bachelor's and master's degrees. Today, Jeremy owns several successful businesses, and he has authored 8 books thus far!



After watching many of his motivational videos during
Morning Mansion Mindset, scholars had the opportunity to
finally digitally connect with this inspirational man. Jeremy
began by acknowledged the importance for scholars know
that they have a purpose. A concept reflected in Mansion's
P.R.I.D.E. framework. Knowing that many scholars today are
plagued with depression and a lack of purpose, Jeremy's
message is one that will assure them that they are "Capable of
Greatness." Jeremy's presentation was also a great way to affirm
educators while helping scholars understand the importance of
those who sacrifice for them daily. Needless to say, it was an
extremely powerful presentation that hopefully
resonated with each individual that attended the
event. Thank you Jeremy!



FEBRUARY 4-5
Report Card
Conferences
1/2 DAY



FEBRUARY 14Valentine's
Day



FEBRUARY 15President's Day
NO SCHOOL!



FEBRUARY 26Black Excellence
Town Hall



The Donors Have Chosen!

Here at The Mansion, we strive to give every scholar high quality music instruction. The time they spend creating and performing helps gives foundational life skills, and enables scholar voice through composition, playing instruments, and writing. This school year, Mansion special education scholars are learning how to play the piano. Needless to say, moving music to the virtual environment has been challenging. Mr. Perkins, SMHS music instructor, believes that our scholars deserve to be playing real instruments as they learn in the virtual environment, in order to increase coordination and auditory skills. As a result, Mr. Perkins turned to

<u>DonorsChoose.org</u> for assistance, and in less than 24 hours, his project was fully funded! DonorsChoose recently granted a 3x match from Townsend Press for donations toward small keyboards and chargers for Perkins' special education scholars to learn piano at home on real equipment. How exciting! "As a neighborhood school, we are accepting and loving of all scholars who come through our doors (or Zoom meetings). We are proud of all of our scholar achievements in music and beyond. To the donors, your contribution to the music program helps us to provide a quality music education where it is truly appreciated, and we thank you!" –Mr. Perkins

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Monday - Thursday	
8:05-8:30	Mansion Morning Mindset (Advisory)
8:40-9:40	1st Period
9:50 - 10:50	2nd Period
11:00-12:00	3rd Period
12:10-1:10	4th Period
1:10 - 2:00	Lunch and Intervention
2:00-3:00	NEEDS Block "Time for what you Need"

Friday	
8:05-8:30	Mansion Morning Mindset (Advisory)
8:35-9:15	1st Period
9:20-10:00	2nd Period
10:05-10:45	3rd Period
10:50-11:30	4th Period
11:30-12:00	Lunch
12:00-3:00	Asynchronous Work

New Schedule Alert!

STARTING FEBRUARY 16, 2021, Strawberry Mansion High School digital learning will following this new schedule as long as we remain virtual.



Return to "In-Person" Play...



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It was hard on athletes when COVID-19 forced sports to shut down last spring, but now they have the opportunity to return to play, with guidelines of course! After many weeks of outdoor socially distanced workouts, starting February 4th, Mansion scholar athletes finally returned to the indoor court. Boy's Varsity basketball had their first mask wearing scrimmage against Constitution High School, while the Lady Knights' first official game is February 19th. Safety requirements include: all athletes are expected to wear a mask at all times, socially distant team benches, and no spectators are permitted. Games will be recorded and made available on our website for later viewing. Currently, Mansion Athletics offers both boys & girls basketball and cheerleading. Contact Athletic Director Knepp at zknepp@philadsd.org if interested in signing up! Let's GO Knights!