



MPS Scavenger Hunt - FAQ

Do we actually have to go to the secret location?

No. You only need to deduce the secret location. However, the wellness team will be at that location on Friday, February 9 starting at 5:00 p.m., so please feel free to join us there!

How will we receive the clues each day?

Clues will be sent to team captains each day at 7:30 and 12:30. There are nine clues in total. They will also be posted on our [Winter Wellness Week page here](#).

When will the winner be announced?

The winner will be announced on Friday, Feb. 9 at 2:00 p.m.

Do we have to participate in all the additional activities?

No, but each activity will earn you bonus points and increase your chances of winning. Participate in as many or as few as you like.

I saw that one of the activities is snow shoveling – Why?

Schools are neighbors, and we should strive to be a good neighbor to our Minneapolis community. It is also good exercise and can improve safe routes to school/work. Be safe and see resources on the website.



Why is winter wellness important?

Winter wellness is important because many people suffer from seasonal changes in mood or engagement during the winter. The best way to beat the winter blues is to be active, get outside and support each other.

Can you explain more about the wellness prize?

The wellness prize will be Vitality points and chair massages for staff at the winning site. You choose the date and we will send a massage therapist to your school during a record keeping or in-service day.

Can my students help?

Sure! The clues may be a great educational tool, as they will encompass history, geography, and local Minneapolis resources.

What happens if I guess wrong?

Once you make a guess, you cannot guess again. Teamwork will be integral to overall success! It is a balance of guessing early in order to get maximum points, but not guessing too soon so you get it wrong. Remember, you only get ONE guess.

Does my whole school/department have to be in the photo submission for the additional activities?

You do not have to include your whole school or department, but try to engage as many people as you can.