



Brooklyn Charter School Newsflash

Quote of the Week: "Everyone has the potential to give something back." ~ Diana, Princess of Wales, British humanitarian

March 2nd, 2020

Important Information

Vision Testing

Vision Testing will be held on **Tuesday, March 17th, 2020**. Students in **2nd through 5th Grade** will have an opportunity to have their vision tested and receive glasses of their choice. For our school to take advantage of this wonderful opportunity; we need at least **50 students** to participate. Please return all vision forms to Ms. Desiree

NYS ELA Exam

The **NYS ELA Exam** will be administered on **Wednesday, March 25th through Thursday, March 26th, 2020**.

School Spirit Day

Our school spirit day is **Camouflage Day** on **Friday, March 27th, 2020**. Students may come to school in camouflage.

School Surveys

Monday, March 2nd through **Friday, March 6th, 2020** is designated as Survey Week. All students will receive a green Parent Survey envelope on **Monday, March 2nd, 2020**. Please fill out and return to **Ms. Desiree** in rm. 327.

All students who return a completed Parent Survey or have proof of an online submission will receive a individual prize, as well as, qualify for a free raffle ticket to win a **Smart Flat Screen TV**. *Fill yours out now!!!*

Early Dismissal

All students will be dismissed at **12:30pm** on **Thursday, April 2nd, 2020** for **Parent/Teacher Conferences**. Please make arrangements to have your child/ren picked up on time. All school bus-

es will be running as usual.

Parent/Teacher Conferences

Parent/Teacher Conferences will be held on **Thursday, April 2nd, 2020**.

Success Assemblies

Our 3rd semester **Success Assemblies** will be held on **Friday, April 3rd, 2020** for **Grades K-2 @ 9:00a.m.** and **3-5 @ 10:00 a.m.**

School Closed

BCS will be closed for **Spring Recess** beginning **Tuesday, April 9th** through **Friday, April 17th, 2020**.

NYS Math Exam

The **NYS Math Exam** will be administered on **Wednesday, April 22nd**, through **Thursday, April 23rd, 2020**.

Important Information:

School Hours:

The Brooklyn Charter School hours are as follows for the 2019-20 school year:

Monday - Thursday
8:00am - 3:50pm
Friday
8:00am - 2:50 pm

Student Lunch/Recess
K-2: 11:35am - 12:25pm
3-5: 12:05pm - 12:55pm

Breakfast Program 8:00am - 8:25am

Buses

Allied Bus Company is our transportation provider this year. Their phone number is 718-485-8002.



Family Corner: Build a Love of Learning!

Spark your child's passion for discovery. From Kindergarten on, eager learners make eager students!

Your child is ready to learn if he:

- Enjoys exploring new things.
- Asks lots of questions.
- Is confident about speaking up.
- Isn't intimidated by tough tasks.

To boost your child's love of learning:

- Take a new route home. Talk about what you see.
- Play thinking games like "I Spy."
- Celebrate his efforts. Sure, his tower fell. But not before he stacked all six blocks!
- Challenge him. Go ahead, tackle that twenty-piece puzzle together.
- Get excited yourself. "Mommy learned the coolest thing today!"

To preserve rest time:

- Be sure your child gets 10 to 11 hours of sleep each night. That's the amount experts recommend for school-age kids
- Enforce a regular bedtime.
- Adopt a nightly routine that includes quiet activities (no TV).
- Beware of hidden caffeine in things like cocoa.

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