THE BOLT

WEEKLY FAMILY NEWSLETTER

Ongoing Summer Communication

All students now have Bridge Prep email accounts. Over the summer we will begin to send school communications and information to families through student Bridge Prep emails and the Remind app.

Please make sure you have access to both platforms. We will use these platforms to share:

- Summer resources to support ongoing summer learning
- Information about how to collect any personal items left in the school building
- Summer newsletters with realtime updates and pertinent information.

Please note, Bridge Prep email accounts may only be used to communicate between school staff and families with a Bridge Prep email address.



We want to hear from you!

We are working with the NYC Department of Education and State Education Department on planning for re-opening. While we are guardedly optimistic that there will be some flexibility to respond creatively to family needs, we are going to be restricted by DOE and State guidelines on some major factors. As more information becomes available over the next few weeks, into the summer, we will continue to reassess our options.

While we are still unsure if our school building will be permitted to open in September, it is extremely important for us to have your input, which along with guidelines from the State, DOE and Department of Health, will guide us in our planning. As such, we are asking that you complete this survey by **Friday June 19: BPCS Return to School Family Survey.**



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Building Bridges Kindness Challenge

June 15 - Be Social

Post a compliment on your Google classroom.

June 16 - Practice Self Care

Take time to take care of yourself. Practice positive thinking.

June 17 - Make Someone's Day

Go out of your way to do something nice for someone else.

June 18 - Smile!

Smile at someone you know, or someone you don't.

June 19 - Act of Kindness Day

Choose your own act of kindness!

Visit Ms. G's Social Emotional Learning Google Classroom for more information and resources.

Dates to Remember

End of Year Family Meetings

June 16th - Incoming Family Meeting at 6:30pm

June 17th - First Grade Family Meeting at 5:00pm

June 18th - Second Grade Family Meeting at 5:00pm.

Use this link to join us on Zoom: **End of Year Family Meeting**.

June 17 - Virtual Field Day

Please check Mrs. Bifalco's Gym Google Classroom on Monday to see the fun activities she has planned for our Virtual Field Day!

June 19 - Report Cards Emailed Home

Trimester 3 report cards will be emailed to you from your classroom teachers. Emails will be sent to both your personal and your student Bridge Prep email address.

June 22 - Last Day of School Family Teacher Conferences

There will be no live teaching sessions on June 22nd. Teachers will be available for conferences to discuss your Bridge Builder's progress. You will receive an email to schedule conferences from both your classroom and Orton-Gillingham teachers.

Family to Family

Our new signs have arrived, and they are BOLD, BRIGHT, and UNIQUE! Any new or existing family that is interested in showing their Bridge Prep pride by placing a sign on your lawn, window, or any other location, please email the Family Association at bpfacharter@gmail.com or send them a message on Remind. Include how many signs you want and an association member will set up a time to drop them off to you!





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