



Family Connections December 2025



2017 National Blue Ribbon School

Tis the season to be jolly! We celebrated another awesome Family Night in November. Students created owls, turkeys and festive trees using pine cones. Thank you Ms. Elaine for your great ideas and your creative spirit! Looking forward to what we do next!

A big **THANK YOU** to everyone who participated in our food drive. It's always a great feeling when we can pay it forward and support those families in our community who are in need. The **PTA K-Pop Demon Hunter Coin Race** was a great success. The students had a blast and all funds raised go directly back to the school. Congratulations to 5th grade for winning! All grades will get an ice cream party for their efforts and 5th grade will also receive a pizza party for winning.

We are looking forward to our **in-person parent teacher conferences** on **December 11th**. We are so thrilled to have our families back in the building for these conferences. Please make every effort to ensure that you schedule a time to meet with your child's teacher, as this communication is vital in ensuring that your child has a successful school year. We can't wait to see you!

Please be reminded that **December 3rd** is the last day to **opt-out** of the **NYC Kids Rise Save for College Scholarship Program**. Information packets and opt-out forms were sent home for students who are eligible to participate in this program. If you **DO NOT** want to participate, please fill out the form and return it to the main office. If you would like to participate, do nothing now and activate your child's scholarship account in January.

Thank you to all of our families who completed the **Parent/Guardian Interest Survey**. We will continue to plan workshops/events based on that feedback. As always, please reach out to me if you have any questions or need assistance accessing parent or learning platforms.

Wishing all who celebrate a wonderful holiday and a Happy and Healthy New Year!!

Sincerely,
Ms. Salerno
Parent Coordinator



Save the Date

12/4
Family Night K-5 6:00 pm

12/8-12/12
Computer Science Spirit Week

12/11
In-Person Parent Teacher Conferences
& PTA Meeting @3:30 pm

12/15-12/19
Holiday Season Spirit Week

12/22
Kindergarten Open House 8:30 am
& Bucket Filler Assembly
3-5 9:15 am & K-2 1:00 pm

12/23
Holiday Concert
K-2 8:15 am
3-5 9:30 am



There will be **NO** afterschool programs on **12/11** and **12/23**



If you require translation assistance with documents sent home, feel free to contact the school so we may assist you. You may also consider the free app, **Microsoft Translator**. We always do our best to have all documents translated, however turn over time does not always permit this with time sensitive documents. We also have access to over the phone interpretation and **"Pocket Talk"** hand held translation devices to help meet communication needs of our families. Language Line has numerous languages and dialects available to us. Please feel free to take an "I speak" card from our lobby and hand it to our safety agent. We will call an interpreter for you!

Don't forget to log into your child's **HMH Ed Platform**

This is where parents and students can go to, to interact, engage and explore the **HMH Into Reading** which is your child's reading program.

Go to the NYC Public Schools website and click on **TeachHub**.

You will be taken to a sign in page, enter your child's DOE email address _____@nycstudents.net and their password.

Go to the dashboard where you will find assignments and resources. You can explore and also find support.

I encourage you to visit this dashboard often, as it will also assist you in supporting your child at home.

