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March/April Newsletter

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Dear Families & Caregivers,

The spring season, we are excited for all the learning and growth happening at PS42! March and April bring new opportunities for our students to explore, discover and strengthen their skills in all academic areas. Here are some key dates to keep in mind:

- Monday, March 31st – School Closed, Eid al-Fitr
- Wit & Wisdom Success Coach Ms. Katie Maltese will be working with our teachers on Wednesday, April 2nd & Tuesday, April 8th
- In collaboration with Junior Achievement, April 4th will be High School Heroes Day, a program in which high school student volunteers from Dual Language High School come to PS42M to support our students in Grades 3-5 for a day of learning and fun.
- 3rd, 4th, and 5th grade families – You are cordially invited to the Spring 2025 Violin Concert on April 11th at 8:45am in the auditorium. Students will showcase all they've learned during violin instruction with Ms. Katie & Mr. Skye
- Monday, April 14 – Friday, April 18 – Spring Recess, school will be closed
- NYS Test Dates:
 - **3rd, 4th, 5th Grade ELA:** Tuesday, April 29th & Wednesday, April 30th
(3rd Graders will take the Paper Based Test, 4th & 5th Graders will take the Computer Based Test)
 - **3rd, 4th, 5th Grade Math:** Wednesday, May 7th & Thursday, May 8th
(3rd Graders will take the Paper Based Test, 4th & 5th Graders will take the Computer Based Test)
 - **5th Grade Science:** Tuesday, May 13th (Computer Based Test)
 - **K-5 New York State English as a Second Language Achievement Test (NYSESLAT)** given to students who are identified as English Language Learners: Testing Window – April 14 – May 23

**Note that there will be slight adjustments in scheduling, schoolwide from grades 3K – 5 to support testing

- Save the Date: Our 23rd Annual Family Day will be on Saturday, May 3rd from 10am – 2pm, rain or shine!



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三月/四月通讯

3月26日2025年

亲爱的家长和监护人,

春天来临了, 42小学充满了学习与成长的活力! 三月和四月为学生们带来了探索, 发现和提升技能的机会。请留意以下重要日期:

- 3月31日(周一): 学校放假(开斋节)
- 4月2日(周三) & 4月8日(周二): Wit & Wisdom 指导老师 Katie Maltese 将与教师团队合作
- 4月4日(周五) 与青年成就组织(Junior Achievement) 合作: 高中英雄日—双语高中生志愿者将来到42小学, 为3-5年级学生带来一天精彩的学习。
- 3-5年级家长邀请函: 2025年春季小提琴音乐会将在4月11日上午8:45, 在礼堂举行。期待您的参与!
- 4月14日(周一) – 4月18日(周五): 春假, 没有上学
- 纽约州考试日期:
 - ELA (英语州考): 4月29日(周二) & 4月30日(周三)
 - 数学州考: 5月7日(周三) & 5月8日(周四)
 - 五年级科学州考: 5月13日(周二)
 - NYSESLAT (英语学习者测验): 幼稚园之5年级学生将在4月14日 之 5月23日考英语学习者测验。

(请注意为了配合州考考试要求, 全校3K之5年级的课程将会有所变动与调整, 请见谅)

- 请标记日期! 42小学的第23届家庭日将在 5月3日(周六) 上午10点 – 下午2点 举行, 风雨无阻, 期待您的参与!

感谢您的支持!