

October 2026

P.S. 36X The Rising Stars School

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Notes

Safer Access:

Main doors will be locked during the school day. Anyone who wishes to visit P.S. 36 must use the intercom to state their intent to visit. Be prepared to sign in and show ID upon entry. Thank you!

Student Attendance:

Attendance is a critical part of your child's education. Students are expected to arrive on time at 8:20am. Doors open for breakfast for K-5 students from 7:50am-8:10am by Exit 2 (Watson Avenue and Castle Hill Avenue). Dismissal is at **2:40pm**. Please pick up your child **on time**.

Early Student Pick up:

A parent or an adult's picture ID is required for early student pick up. Early pick-up ends at **2:15pm**. After 2:15pm, parents should wait outside in the schoolyard for regular dismissal.

Dress Code:

It is important to adhere to our dress code EVERYDAY. It limits distractions and increases learning.

Cell Phone & Electronic Device Policy:

Upon arrival to school, all internet enabled devices (i.e. cell phone, apple watch, etc.) must be turned off. Devices will be collected and returned at dismissal.

Upcoming Dates

Dates	Events
November 3 rd	Election Day/Students will attend school remotely.
November 5 th	Parent-Teacher Conferences. Students dismissed @11:40am.
November 11 th	Veterans Day/Schools Closed.
November 17 th	Picture Day: Grades PK - 2
November 18 th	Picture Day: Grades 3 - 5
November 26 th -27 th	Thanksgiving Recess/ Schools Closed.
Dec. 24 th - Jan. 1 st	Winter Recess/Schools Closed.
January 18 th	Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Day/Schools Closed
February 15 th -19 th	Midwinter Recess/Schools Closed.
March 3 rd	Parent-Teacher Conferences. Students dismissed @11:40am.
March 9 th	Eid-Al-Fitr/Schools Closed.
March 26 th	Good Friday/Schools closed.
April 22 nd – 30 th	Spring Recess/Schools Closed.
May 17 th	Eid-al-Adha/Schools Closed.
May 26 th	Evening Parent-Teacher Conferences.
May 31 st	Memorial Day/Schools Closed.
June 8 th	Clerical Day/Students do not attend.
June 10 th	Chancellor's Conference Day/Students do not attend.
June 28 th	Last day of school for students.

Easy Access



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View your child's report card, update contact information and more.
(www.schoolsaccount.nyc)



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Homework help line for elementary and middle school students attending NYC public schools.



Contact Ms. Ali, Parent Coordinator

P: (718) 822-5345 Ext. 1630
E: kali12@schools.nyc.gov

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Attendance There are 21 Days of School in October. Will you be an Attendance Champion?	District 8 Events 10/6: DLT Meeting @ 2:30pm Register 10/14: CEC Meeting @ 6:00pm At MS 301, 890 Cauldwell Avenue, or on Zoom 10/17: D8 CAR-Nival at 10:00am At PS 182, 601 Stickball Boulevard	1 Soccer Team Practice 2:40 – 4:00pm	2 Soccer Team Practice 2:40 – 4:00pm	3 P.A. Snack Sale Town Hall Meeting @ 5:00pm
5 SLT Meeting In-Person @ 2:45pm Soccer Game vs. P.S. 119 @ 3:45pm Parque De Los Niños	6 Soccer Team Practice 2:40 – 4:00pm	7 Soccer Game vs. P.S. 152 @ 3:45pm Parque De Los Niños	8 Soccer Game vs. P.S. 152 @ 3:45pm Parque De Los Niños	9 Grade 5 MySchools Workshop In-Person @ 8:45am
12 NO SCHOOL ITALIAN HERITAGE AND INDIGENOUS PEOPLE'S DAY **NYJTL Afterschool OPEN	13 Soccer Team Practice 2:40 – 4:00pm	14 BREAST CANCER AWARENESS MONTH Dress Down Day Wear Pink or White Soccer Team Practice 2:40 – 4:00pm Middle School Applications Open	15 Title 1 Meeting & P.A. Elections In-Person @ 8:45am Soccer Game vs. P.S. 119 @ 3:45pm Parque De Los Niños	16 Sports Day! 1 st day of World Series Wear your favorite sport shirt
19 Dentist Visit Soccer Game vs. P.S. 152 @ 3:45pm Parque De Los Niños	20 Dentist Visit Soccer Team Practice 2:40 – 4:00pm	21 Dentist Visit Soccer Team Practice 2:40 – 4:00pm	22 Dentist Visit Soccer Team Practice 2:40 – 4:00pm 6 th Annual TRUNK or TREAT Family Event 4:00 – 6:00pm (Rain Date: October 23 rd)	23 Dentist Visit Last Day of Soccer Team Practice 2:40 – 4:00pm
26 Dentist Visit Math Parent Workshop In-Person in the Library @ 8:45am	27 Dentist Visit Soccer Team Practice 2:40 – 4:00pm	28 Dentist Visit Soccer Team Practice 2:40 – 4:00pm	29 Dentist Visit Soccer Team Practice 2:40 – 4:00pm	30 Dentist Visit Dress Down Day Wear Orange or Black (Costumes are welcomed) P.A. Bake Sale

