



PTA Meeting

May 24, 2024 @ 08:30 am



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AGENDA

- Upcoming Dates
- Perfect Attendance
- Book of the Month
- Townhall Safety Meeting
- PTA Elections/ Title 1/ SLT



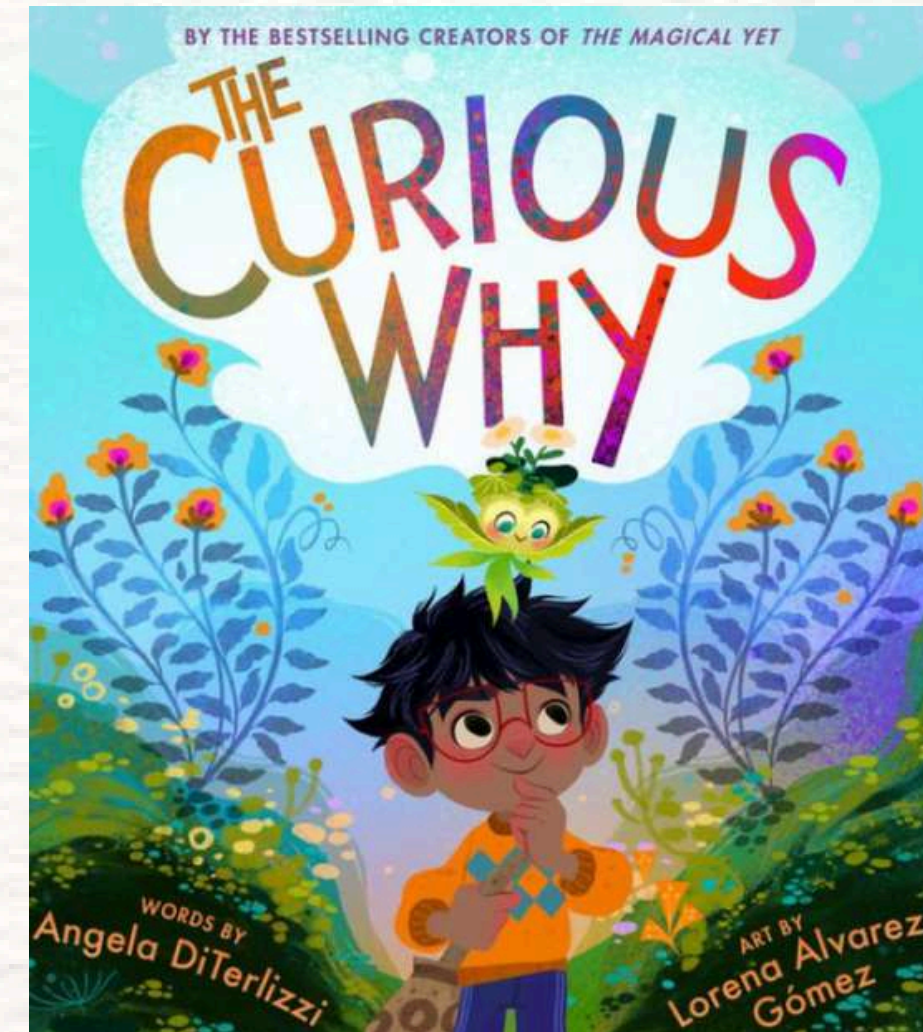
Upcoming Dates to Remember:

- **Schools Closed- June 6,7,17, & 19**
- **Incoming Kindergarten Orientation- June 18, 2024**
- **5th Grade Graduation- June 21, 2024**
- **Kindergarten Stepping up Ceremony- June 24, 2024**
- **Pre-K Stepping Up Ceremony- June 25, 2024**
- **PTA Father's Day Sale - June 13 & 14, 2024**
- **Last Day of School- June 26, 2024**

BOOK OF THE MONTH

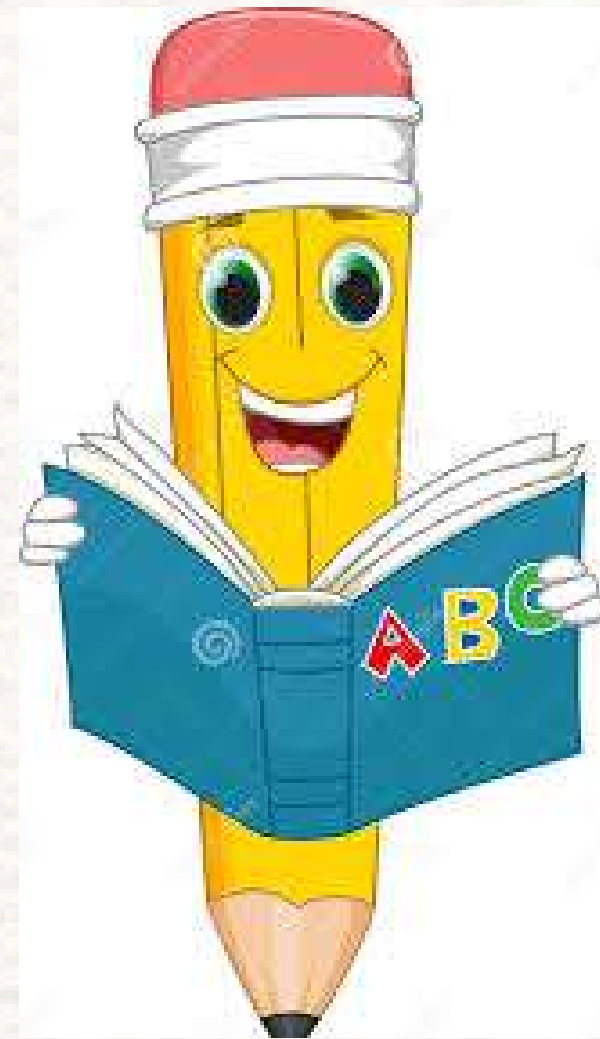
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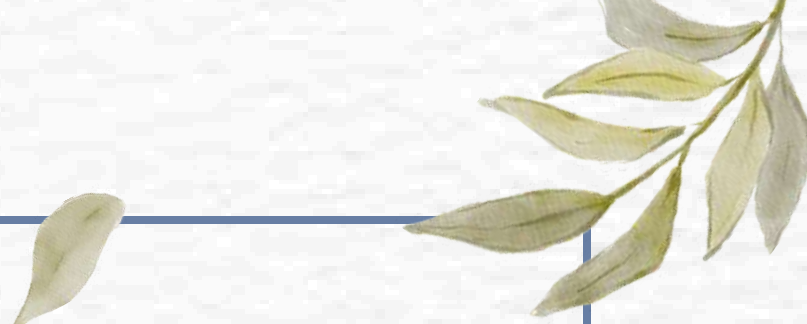
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131 DAYS OF PERFECT ATTENDANCE RECOGNITION



Town Hall Safety Meeting Agenda

- **What is a School Safety Plan?**
- **What is the General Response Protocol? (GRP)**
- **Parent Guide to School Safety and Emergency Preparedness.**
- **School Safety Plan Committee.**
- **School Safety Agents.**
- **Safer Access guidelines for visitors**



What is a School Safety Plan?

At the beginning of each school year, all schools develop a School Safety Plan. The plan outlines the procedures that the school uses every day and in cases of emergency to provide a safe and secure environment in which effective teaching and learning take place. Each plan is approved by the Office of Safety and Youth Development and NYPD. In order to ensure safety for all students and staff, the specific emergency response plans and procedures of the School Safety Plan must remain confidential.



What is the General Response Protocol? (GRP)

Schools train and drill all staff and students in the General Response Protocol, which describes what to do in an Evacuation, Shelter-In, or Lockdown. The training is tailored for different grade levels so that students aren't upset by the information. The General Response Protocol gives schools instructions to follow when an emergency happens. It uses common language to identify the steps to take until first responders arrive.

In every incident, school administrators will first call 911. Then they will look at the unique situation and decide:

- whether to lock down (soft or hard), shelter-in, or evacuate.
 - if any instructions should be changed to fit the specific circumstances.
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School Emergency Drills

All schools are required to conduct twelve Emergency drills throughout the school year

- 8 Evacuation Drills
- 4 Lock Down Drills

Parent Guide to School Safety and Emergency Preparedness.

In the event of an emergency, school personnel will work in collaboration with the Central Department of Education administration, New York City Police Department, the New York City Office of Emergency Management, as well as State and Federal agencies as necessary to ensure the safety and security of students and school staff.

In the event of an emergency, you can obtain information in the following ways:

- o Call 311
- o Check the Department of Education's website at <http://schools.nyc.gov>
- o Receive calls, texts, or emails notifications from the school's automated phone system.
- o Read letters sent home with the students or posted on the school webpage.
 - o Notify NYC – Notify NYC alerts

Who is on the School Safety Plan Committee?

Chancellor's Regulation A-414 requires that the following individuals are required to serve on a school's Safety Committee: The principal, the UFT Chapter leader, the PT/PTA president (or designee), the school's Level III School Safety Agent (or designee), the custodial engineer, the dietician (or designee), the NYPD commanding officer (or designee) of the local precinct, and a student representative.

School Safety Agents

School Safety Agents, who are part of the NYPD, work in conjunction with the school administrators to help maintain order and safety.

School Safety Agents have the following responsibilities:

- Respond to immediate security situations
- Help school personnel maintain discipline and order Follow visitor control procedures
- Patrol areas within and immediately surrounding the school building Prevent intruders from entering the school building
- Report serious incidents to the school administration and School Safety Division

Safer Access Guidelines for Visitors

- The safety and security of all students and staff is a top priority for all New York City Public Schools.
- The Safer Access Door Locking System includes an external doorbell with microphone, speaker, and camera.

1. Visitors will press the doorbell button to indicate that they wish to enter the school building.
2. The person at the main desk will greet the visitor over the telecom by stating, "Good morning or Good afternoon. Please state your name and the purpose of your visit."
3. After the visitor states their business, the person at the main desk will say that:

The door will be unlocked and inform the visitor that they must come to the main desk to present their identification and complete the sign-in process.



Safe Access Guidelines for Visitors

Visitors who do not speak English, or who have hearing, or visual impairments will require additional assistance when entering the building and approaching the main desk. The Language Identification card is posted by our main entrance if translation is needed.



Identification presented at the main desk may include:

Driver License

Passport

Government Document with a photo

NYCID (New York City ID Card)





PTA ELECTIONS/ SLT/ TITLE 1