High Honor Roll	GPA 85.00 - 89.99 Report Cards		
Honor Roll	GPA 80.00 - 84.99 Report Cards		
Passing Grade	65.00 and above		

# GO GOLD

All students have the ability to excel and become College and Career Ready. Individual can earn a chance at the GO GOLD bulletin board and are provided with many perks throughout the semester including a Gold sweater

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# PARENT-TEACHER CONFERENCES

Parent-teacher conferences will be held virtually four times a year. We will host an afternoon and evening session to accommodate parents and their schedules. Students will have an advisory teacher who will be your point person during these conferences. If you are unable to attend a

parent-teacher conference, please call the school to make an appointment to meet with your child's teacher during Parent Involvement Wednesdays - 7:30am-8:15am virtually.

# Parent involvement is the cornerstone of each child's academic and personal growth.

## **BOOK POLICY**

At the beginning of each school year, students may be issued textbooks marked with book numbers. Students will sign for each book and will be responsible for covering it and keeping it in good condition.

At the end of each school year, the books will be collected and signed off. Book numbers must match the original book number received. If books are returned in poor condition or are lost, penalties will apply.

# BAGS AND BACKPACKS STUDENTS

Students are expected to come to school prepared each day. Students should carry their notebooks, folders, and any other necessary school supplies in a backpack or backpack. Students arriving at school without necessary school supplies are considered unprepared and parents may be notified.

#### DRESS CODE

To ensure the safety and reputation of our students, ALL students must adhere to the FDA CodeVI dress

- with our logo sewn on or any light blue/blackk collared shirt or t-shirt without the school logo.
  - o No sleeves or crop tops are prohibited including exposure of skin
  - Blue or black hoodies are allowed; however, students are not allowed to have the "hood" portion of the sweater on their heads.
  - o Du-rags, hats, caps, bandanas, and beanies are not permitted.
  - o Seniors will be allowed to wear special senior gear
- Shoes/sneakers Flip
  - o Flops and slippers are prohibited, however crocs are allowed except in PE

Although there is no specific pants policy, pants must not sag below the waist. If you have any questions or concerns regarding the FDA VI Dress Code, please feel free to contact Tonie Roberts, our Parent Coordinator.

# **STUDENT ACTIVITIES**

- -Art Competition
- -Movie Night
- -Video Game Competition
- -Basketball Tournaments

- -Spirit weeks
- -Holiday celebrations
- -Writing contests to celebrate diversity
- -Talent Show

- -College Decision Day
- -Staff vs. Student sporting events
- -College and incentive field trips (pending COVID Health and Safety guidelines)



# **PSAL** Activities

Due to current guidance from the New York State Department of Health, which states that interscholastic sports are currently not permitted and additional information on athletic activities is forthcoming, the PSAL Fall season which historically begins in mid-August must be delayed/postponed. PSAL will continue to monitor city, state, and health expert guidelines to determine the appropriate return date. Visit psal.org and see Mr. Wilkerson or Mr. Falzone for all sports information.

# **Senior Activities**



This year we are at a great place to make this senior year amazing! We ask that our seniors and families keep an open mind and help us to try to make the most of an uncontrollable situation. We will provide more information as it becomes available regarding seniors dues, senior events, prom and graduation. Please reach out to our wonderful Coordinator of Student Activities or speak to AP Ahoklui at dahoklu@schools.nyc.gov for more information.

# **FAFSA**

FAFSA is an acronym that stands for the Free Application for Federal Student Aid. Colleges and universities use this form to determine your eligibility for federal, state, and college-sponsored financial aid, including grants, educational loans, and work-study programs

Link: https://studentaid.gov/h/apply-for-aid/fafsa

### SAT Exam

The SAT is a multiple-choice, pencil-and-paper test created and administered by the College Board. The purpose of the SAT is to measure a high school student's readiness for college and provide colleges with one common data point that can be used to compare all applicants. Please visit the College Board website for important information and updates.

Link: https://collegereadiness.collegeboard.org/sat

## Academics

Academic support services such as tutoring will be available to students in need. Parents should consult with their child's teacher to learn more about available services.



#### Metrocards

Metro cards are issued twice a year in September and February. If you lose your Metro card you must fill out a Metro-card request form. It may take up to two weeks or even longer to get a replacement, so be sure to be responsible and take care of your belongings. You must also bring enough money to get to and from school until a replacement card is issued. Please contact our Parent Coordinator, Mr. Roberts for more information.

# School Safety Agents

School Safety Agents are stationed at various locations throughout the building. The Safety Agents are here for your protection and safety. You are asked to give them the respect you give any member of our community. If you are scanning and they ask you to step back in and go through the machine, please adhere to their policies and



procedures. The DOE requires all school visitors to sign the visitors' log and to show photo identification to the School Safety Agent.

### PARENTS' BILL OF RIGHTS

You can find a copy of the New York City Department of Education's Parents' Bill of Rights on the DOE's website.

http://schools.nyc.gov/RulesPolicies/ParentBillofRights/default.htm

## STUDENTS BILL OF RIGHTS

A copy of the New York City Department of Education's Student Bill of Rights (Disciplinary Code) can be found on the DOE website.

http://schools.nyc.gov/RulesPolicies/StudentBillofRights/default.htm

If you do not have access to a computer and would like a paper copy of the Parent/Student Bill of Rights, please contact Mrs. Roberts.

Please know that each member of our staff takes their roles and responsibilities as educators very seriously. Every student will be treated with respect and has the right to be in a safe and supportive learning environment.