



Archimedes Academy
For Math, Science & Technology Applications

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Dear Archimedes Families:

I hope this letter finds you and your family well! We are having a wonderful time meeting and learning about your children during the first days of school. I am pleased to share that we are able to start the 2022-23 school year with a return to most of our pre-pandemic programs and procedures. There will be many exciting and enriching activities and experiences ahead for our students, and we look forward to sharing details on these events with you in the weeks to come.

I would like to take an opportunity to share a couple of important reminders:

- **Website:** Please continue to visit our website often as it contains important information. Archimedesacademy.org
- **Dress Code:** On our website, under the 'Students,' tab you will find information regarding our **dress code**, code of conduct, and expectations. Because we have THREE schools in our building, all schools have specific dress code policies for safety reasons. It also builds a sense of community within our school. Therefore, our dress code indicates that our students wear Archimedes swag (shirt, sweatshirt, jacket, etc.) daily as part of our dress code policy. Students can also wear a royal blue or yellow shirt. If you need support with getting Archimedes swag, then please let me know.
- **Schedule:** Under our 'Parents,' you will find our bell schedule along with other information.
- **Morning Arrival:** All students will enter from Exit 2. Please be aware that instruction begins promptly at 8:20 a.m. Students who arrive after this time will be marked as "late." On time attendance has a positive impact on student performance.
- **Dismissal:** Students dismiss through Exit 2 at 2:36 p.m. 6th graders ONLY will be dismissed from the main entrance of the school. Please contact the school if you are planning to pick up your child.
- **Binders:** During the first few days of school, all students were provided with basic school supplies that they will need for the school year. Students received a binder, folder, paper, dividers, pens/pencils, and a notebook. Please note that we are a **BINDER** school and students must bring their binder in every day.

As a reminder, the wearing of masks in school is optional for this school year at this time. Health screeners are also no longer required to be completed to enter the building. Visitors, however, must show proof of vaccination to enter the building.

Below you will find some important upcoming dates and events for the month of September:

- Meet the Teacher Night- Thursday, September 29th (Virtually)
- School Closed for Rosh Hashanah- 9/26 and 9/27

I look forward to working with you this year to ensure a safe and enriching year for your child. Please don't hesitate to reach out to me at aconnolly@schools.nyc.gov if you have any questions or concerns. You may also call the office at (718)617-5046.

Thank you for your involvement and support in your child's education as we partner together.

Sincerely,

Ms. Audrey