



# CENTRAL BROOKLYN ASCEND LOWER SCHOOL

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## PARENT REMINDERS

August 23, 2021

Dear Central Brooklyn Ascend Lower School Families,

We completed our first orientation week of school last week! We are so proud of our entire school community for a successful return to the school year. We appreciate your flexibility, feedback and patience while we continue to perfect our procedures for arrival and dismissal. You have followed our safety protocols by wearing mask, completing the Passport App, and having your dismissal passes ready every day. Thank you.

**Below are this week's Parent Reminders for your review:**

<p><b>Covid-19 Testing Registration</b></p> 	<p>Complete the Registration for your scholar's Covid-19 on-site Testing <i>if you haven't already done so</i>. Click <a href="#">HERE</a> to create an account for your scholar and send your scholar's 6-digit ID number to our email: <a href="mailto:cbls_ops@ascendlearning.org">cbls_ops@ascendlearning.org</a>. Thank you to the families who have completed this step.</p>
<p><b>School Meals Breakfast and Lunch Application</b></p> 	<p>If you haven't already done so, visit <a href="https://www.myschoolapps.com/">https://www.myschoolapps.com/</a> to submit your scholar(s) meal application online form ASAP, the deadline was July 30th. Please note we are a nut free school - <u>do not send any items with nuts to school with your scholar.</u></p> <p>The <a href="#">August Breakfast-Lunch Menu</a> is posted on our website.</p> <p>Scholars bringing breakfast/lunch from home must bring it with them at arrival, the main office does not accept/deliver breakfast and lunch from parents dropping off after arrival to classrooms.</p>
<p><b>Transportation Survey</b></p> 	<p>If you have completed the transportation survey, we are working on your scholar's eligibility and transportation plan, this will be sent home by Fri. 9/3/21, busing begins on Mon. 9/13/21. If you requested a MetroCard, they will be distributed by Tuesday of this week. The link for the survey is: <a href="https://bit.ly/2UBNv40">https://bit.ly/2UBNv40</a></p>
<p><b>Filled Water Bottles</b></p> 	<p>Don't forget to send a <b>filled WATER BOTTLE</b> every day with your scholar. Write their name on the bottle. They will be able to re-fill their bottle throughout the day.</p>
<p><b>Movement (Gym) Uniforms</b></p> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Every student has yoga OR capoeira once a week</li> <li>• Every student also has recess every Monday-Thursday, which will be outside as much as possible, whether outdoors or indoors, recess will be movement-based</li> <li>• Teachers are also being asked to incorporate frequent movement breaks into their classrooms</li> <li>• Gym uniforms can be worn anytime!</li> </ul>



## UPCOMING CALENDAR EVENTS

<p><b>Wednesday, September 1<sup>st</sup> at 5:30pm</b></p>	<p><b>Back to School Night</b>  <b>Experience a Day in the Life of your CBACS Tiger!</b>  Join your Scholar's Google Classroom RingCentral Link - this will be provided by your scholar's teacher. The translated flier is posted <a href="#">here</a>.</p>
<p><b>Mon. September 6<sup>th</sup></b></p>	<p>No School - Labor Day</p>
<p><b>Fri. September 17<sup>th</sup></b></p>	<p>No students - Professional Development Day</p>

## IMPORTANT NOTES REGARDING ARRIVAL/DISMISSAL:

- **Arrival -**
  - **Today, Mon. 8/23 begins our full-length school day, dismissal Mondays-Thursdays is at 3:15pm, Fridays at 1pm.**
  - **Our doors open at 7:30am, scholars are considered late at 8:01am.** Parents must come inside the building to check scholars in for late arrival, temperature check and Passport App clearance. Please do not send late scholars in alone. Lateness counts, please arrive before 8am!
- **Dismissal -**
  - Tigers dismissal passes must be shown to enter the building to pick up your scholar, this ensures a quick process to enter and exit the building.
  - If the dismissal pass is not presented, the authorized pick-up person will need to show ID and will be issued a temporary pass, this will cause a delay in entering the building.
  - Doors close at 3:30pm (Mon-Thurs) and 1:15pm (Fridays) for late pick-up.
- **When dropping off or picking up by car -**
  - please ensure that you do not block the street from oncoming traffic. You must find a spot that does not block our driveway or the traffic on E. 29<sup>th</sup> street.
  - You may be ticketed this coming week if your car is found to be blocking traffic or the driveway. Circle the block until you can find a space, cars should not be left unattended blocking the street.
- **Early Dismissal -**
  - Please avoid picking up your scholar early during the school day. This causes a disruption for staff and students in preparation for dismissal at the end of the day. For urgent situations, early dismissal should occur prior to 2:30pm Mondays - Thursdays and 12pm on Fridays.
  - Doctor's appointments unless referred by the school nurse, should be scheduled on half day Fridays, professional development days and school breaks.

## ADDITIONAL RESOURCES



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**Don't Miss  
Out!  
Live Music**

**Back to School**

**SUPPLY GIVEAWAY**  
Free Arts and Crafts For the kids  
Free Health Screenings

**WE ARE GIVING AWAY FREE SCHOOL SUPPLIES ON  
TUESDAY AUGUST 24TH AT 11:00AM - 2:00PM**

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