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PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

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By the end of the week all F2F students should have received a laptop computer, if they did not receive one in the spring from a school. Going forward, students should bring that laptop computer every day. They'll no longer bring their 3" binder to school, those are to stay at home, to be used as an organizational tool. All laptop computers should be carried in backpack with a laptop sleeve to hold it. Students will also need to bring their interactive composition notebooks and planner daily. Please help your student only bring what they need. Many students are carrying much more than what they need on a daily

basis. For example, on **A Day**, students should only bring **A Day** materials.

The students are doing great with the mask requirements. Please remember to send them in with a reusable water bottle, since the traditional water fountains are turned off.

Sweatshirts and outdoor wear- Please remember if students choose to wear sweatshirts/sweaters/jackets indoors, they must adhere to the uniform standards. For more information, please refer to <https://www.pcsb.org/Page/31146>

September 15th- October 15th- Hispanic Heritage Month. Students in Span-



ish 1 and 2, helped put together a beautiful bulletin board of **Notable Hispanics**. Thank you Mrs. Galan and the Spanish 1 and 2 students.

First Friday- The first Friday of every month is college shirt day. This Friday, October 4th is the day to wear a college shirt! Don't miss it!

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OCTOBER 2020						
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1 B	2 A	3
4	5 B	6 A SAC (Virtual) 8AM	7 B	8 A	9 B	10
11	12 A	13 B	14 A	15 B	16 A	17
18	19 B	20 A	21 B	22 A	23 B End of 1 st Quarter	24
25	26 No School	27 A 9:30-12:30 PSAT Testing (8 th Grade)	28 B	29 A	30 B	31

FAMILY RESOURCES

Amira Ray rayam@pcsb.org

Office of Strategic Partnership,
Family and Community Relations

www.pcsb.org/Page/415

You can find many resources on the PCSB website.

- Learning @ Home Family Resources
- Parent Academy POWER HOUR webinars
- Teacher to Teacher: Resources & Tips to Help Educators Engage Families
- Family Engagement
- Mentor/Tutor Information

New virtual forum for parents & guardians

www.pcsb.org/parentadvocacy

The Parent-Guardian Connection provides a virtual forum where parents and guardians can connect to share resources and ideas. The next session will help parents learn how to manage stress and better handle issues related to the pandemic. The [Zoom session](#) titled Managing Parental Stress will take place 5:30 p.m., Tuesday, Oct. 6.. There are specific tools and techniques that can help parents gain better control of their thoughts and emotions and help children cope. For information, visit www.pcsb.org/parentadvocacy or contact: Keosha Simmons, Parent Advocate-Pinellas County Schools, at simmonskeo@pcsb.org.

Printer Help

<http://tiny.cc/sidysz>

Do you have school computer at home and need to add a printer?

Need a tutor? Email Ms. Wisdom for a list of available Pinellas County teachers. wisdoms@pcsb.org.

Hispanic Heritage Month September 15th– October 15th Notable Hispanics Showcase



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ELMS Great American Teach-In

November 18, 2020

Do you have an interesting career, hobby or life experience? Want to share how you got into your career field, what school you went to, how you serve your community or hiked the K2? Our kids would love to hear about it!

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EAST LAKE MIDDLE SCHOOL ACADEMY OF ENGINEERING **NEEDS** SCHOOL ADVISORY COUNCIL MEMBERS!

- Do you support academic achievement, improving school climate & strengthening family engagement?
- Would you like to partner with the principal to brainstorm solutions for ELMS?
- Are you interested in collaborating with faculty, community members & fellow parents to develop strategies for strengthening our school academic achievements?

If the answer is yes, join our virtual SAC meeting on Tuesday, **Oct 6th at 8AM!**
Contact Amira Ray at rayam@pcsb.org for the virtual meeting link.

The **School Advisory Council** is a collective of stakeholders tasked with assisting the principal in developing & evaluating the results of the school improvement plan & the annual school budget. It's the responsibility of the SAC to help increase student success.

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