

Dear Parents/Guardians,

Flyers:

Freehold Revolution has registration going on now for its Fall season for Football and Cheer. Events start in July. Details are listed [here](#) and [here](#).

The Freehold Borough Education Association will be holding a Community Workshop Conference on Thursday, April 22nd, assisted by the Latino Institute, to present information on various topics of interest. Registration for the online event is required. Details in English and Spanish [here](#).

The YMCA offers various behavioral health services. Details in English [here](#); in Spanish [here](#).

Contacts:

District Social/Emotional Hotline: 732-810-3146.

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Restart and Reentry for 2020-2021:

At the Board of Education meeting last night the Board approved the district to move to a five-day, half-day in-school schedule starting Monday, May 3rd. This means that those students designated for in-school learning will come to school each morning instead of just four days a week. This change in format moves us closer to full operation, our ultimate goal. It also requires adjustments to the time and length of student instruction, however arrival and dismissal times remain the same. The Principals will be outlining these details in the days to come, both for in-school and virtual students.

The district has 1 individual in isolation due to being COVID positive. 24 other individuals are in quarantine for being exposed to someone who was COVID positive. There have been no cases of in-school transmission of COVID. Our region remains in High Risk Orange.

End-of-Year Planning:

We still have two unused snow days. At the May 3rd BOE meeting we expect to approve a modification to the district calendar moving the last day of school back from Friday, June 18, to Wednesday June 16, to account for these days.

We anticipate holding the 8th grade dance outside in front of FIS on Friday, June 4th with a rain date of June 11th. We anticipate having the 8th grade breakfast outside on the last day of school. We are working to have one unified 8th grade graduation held outdoors on the Freehold High School football field. We are planning along these lines but are looking for confirmation that the event is exempted from the outside event limits currently in place. If we are rained out, or capacity limits are not exempted, then we will do a series of events inside of our gym in the days following the end of school, similar to last year. Mrs. Dougherty will be in close contact with 8th grade parents as this planning develops.

Looking ahead to our summer programs, the 21st Century Academy and Credit Recovery programs will start Monday, June 28th. Credit Recovery will be in-person or virtual; the Academy will be in-person only. The Special Education Extended Year Program will start on Tuesday, July 6th and will be in-person with a virtual option. The Title I and Title III programs will also start Tuesday, July 6th, but will be in-person only. There will be instructional materials posted online so students can work virtually if they do not want to join one of the in-person programs. Sign up information will be on our district website shortly. The Extended Year Program has no sign up as placement is through the Child Study Team.

Upcoming Events:

Tue, Apr 20: Marking Period #3 grades on Genesis Parent Portal

Tue, Apr 20: FIS Baseball away at Barkalow 3:45pm

Wed, Apr 21: Food distribution, virtual students, Freehold Library, 8am-12pm

Thu, Apr 22: FIS Baseball home vs Eisenhower, 3:45pm

Fri, Apr 23: Food distribution, virtual students, Freehold Library, 8am-12pm

Mon, Apr 26: Food distribution, virtual students, Freehold Library, 8am-12pm

Tue, Apr 27: FIS Softball away at Marlboro Middle, 3:45pm

Wed, Apr 28: Food distribution, virtual students, Freehold Library, 8am-12pm

Wed, Apr 28: FIS Baseball away at Manalapan/Englishtown, 3:45pm

Wed, Apr 28: FIS Track hosts Tinton Falls 2 Freehold HS, 3:45pm

Thu, Apr 29: FIS Softball home vs Marlboro Middle, 3:45pm

Thu, Apr 29: FIS Baseball away at Asbury Park, 3:45pm

Thu, Apr 29: Title I Parent Involvement Night (virtual) 6pm-8pm (the theme is Math)

Fri, Apr 30: Food distribution, virtual students, Freehold Library, 8am-12pm

Mon, May 3: Transition to five-day, half-day, in-school schedule

Mon, May 3: Food distribution, virtual students, Freehold Library, 8am-12pm

Mon, May 3: FIS Softball home vs Eisenhower, 3:45pm

Mon, May 3: BOE meeting at PAC (virtual and in person) @ 7pm

Tue, May 4: FIS Baseball home vs Marlboro Middle, 3:45pm

Tue, May 4: FIS Track home vs Barkalow (at Freehold HS), 3:45pm

Wed, May 5: Food distribution, virtual students, Freehold Library, 8am-12pm

Wed, May 5: FIS Softball @ Eisenhower, 3:45pm

Thu, May 6: FIS Baseball home vs Wall MS, 3:45pm

Thu, May 6: FIS Track away @ Asbury Park, 3:45pm

Fri, May 7: Food distribution, virtual students, Freehold Library, 8am-12pm

Sun, May 9: Mothers Day

Thank you.

Rocco Tomazic

Superintendent

