

Dear Parents and Guardians:

Flyers:

The Freehold Borough Library provides homework help throughout the week for students. The flyer with hours of operation is listed [here](#).

Budget Issues:

This Tuesday (2/25) the Governor will give his budget address. Shortly thereafter we will learn how much state aid we will receive for the 2020-2021 school year. We expect that we will continue to see an increase in state aid from our current 62%. When the S2 law was passed, the state committed to fully funding districts by 2024-2024. The money to carry this out is generated mostly from redistributing state aid from over aided districts to underfunded districts like Freehold Borough. We fully supported S2 when it was signed in 2018 and remain supportive of S2 because this is currently the main source of the funds to push us to 100%. It is critical for us is to stay on the trajectory to 100% state aid funding. Any backsliding on that commitment, as reflected in the state aid we actually receive, will be of high concern to us. By the end of next week we should know for sure whether we remain on track in this regard.

Upcoming Events:

Tue, Feb 25: Governor's FY21 budget speech

Fri, Feb 28: FBEA Health Fair (PAC Gym)

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Mon, Mar 2: BOE Meeting (7pm/PAC New Cafeteria)

Wed, Mar 4: End Interim Reporting Period 3

Fri, Mar 6: Early Dismissal - Parent/Teacher Conferences (afternoon)

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Sun, Mar 8: Shift to Daylight Savings Time (spring forward)

Mon, Mar 9: Early Dismissal - Parent/Teacher Conferences (evening)

Tue, Mar 10: Early Dismissal - Parent/Teacher Conferences (evening)

Wed, Mar 11: IR3 reports sent home

Fri, Mar 13: PAE PTO Talent Show

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Mon, Mar 16: BOE Meeting (7pm/PAC New Cafeteria)

Fri, Mar 20: FIS musical Annie Jr

Sat, Mar 21: Future Problem Solver State Bowl at Kean University

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Thu, Mar 26: Title I Parent Involvement Night - District Reading Fair

Sat, Mar 28: PAE PTO Basket Raffle

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Mon, Apr 6: End Marking Period 3

Mon, Apr 6: BOE Meeting (7pm/PAC New Cafeteria)

Wed, Apr 8: Early dismissal, start of spring break

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Mon, Apr 20: Schools reopen

Thank you.

Rocco Tomazic
Superintendent

