



BridgePrep Academy of Riverview September Newsletter

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A Note from Administration

Welcome back, BPA Riverview families! As we begin our **DREAM** this year, and believe in it, all things become **ACHIEVEABLE!** Here are a few things you should know thus far:

Our theme this year is ***Dream It, Believe It, Achieve It*** and our teachers have a few dreams for the school year that they believe they can achieve! 🐾

Let's talk safety and procedures for a moment.

1. We are in a new "normal" and in order to keep everyone safe, it must be understood that all students, staff, teachers, guests, and otherwise, must always wear a mask (except when eating).
2. It is imperative that the mask fits snugly yet be comfortable for the student to wear all day. It must cover the nose, mouth, and cleft of chin. We know it is difficult to find a child's sized mask, but if it cannot fit, try twisting the ear straps a little. It will help make a solid seal around their face.
3. Everyone must follow social distancing guidelines; in our case, we will ensure student groupings are kept to a minimum, markers on the floor serve to help with traffic flow. There is hand sanitizer in every room, teachers are demonstrating proper hand-washing to their students, and breakfast and lunch are now individually packaged and served in class.
4. As well as these in-building procedures, dismissal takes place systematically. Please ensure you have your child's car tag or an ID before picking them up.
5. Dress Code: BRIDGEPREP has a school uniform policy. It is very important your child comes to school wearing their complete uniform. You can purchase them from these links:
 1. Elementary: <https://tinyurl.com/BPARiverviewElemUniforms>
 2. Middle: <https://tinyurl.com/BPARiverviewMiddleUniforms>
6. Attendance: Remember, daily attendance helps improve student grades and your students' chance of success! Communicate with their teachers through Dojo, agenda, or a phone call to let them know if your child will be late or absent. Call the school as well because this helps us keep accurate attendance records. Make attendance a ***Dream*** you ***Believe*** you can ***Achieve!***

Dates to Remember

- 9/3: \$2 No Uniform Day
Book Issue Drive-Thru for
Online/Hybrid students
10:00 AM - 2 PM & 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM
- 9/7: No School/Labor Day
- 9/10: \$2 No Uniform Day
- 9/14: Spirit Shirt Day/Early Release
- 9/15: Hispanic Heritage Month Begins
- 9/17: \$2 No Uniform Day
- 9/21: Spirit Shirt Day/Early Release
Wear Orange to Pledge Against
Bullying
- 9/24: \$2 No Uniform Day
- 9/25: Student of the Month
- 9/28: Spirit Shirt Day/Early Release
- 9/30: Cookie Dough Fundraiser Kick-off
- 9/31: \$2 No Uniform Day

Purchase your agendas, Spirit Wear,
and more from our online store!
www.bridgeprepriverview.com/

Value of the Month! RESPECT

Being
Respectful
means you
treat others with
Kindness and show that
you care about their
feelings.



Hispanic
Heritage Month
September 15-October 15





Just a few of the important Hispanic Figures of our time:

Sonia Sotomayor - Associate Justice of the Supreme Court of the United States



Sylvia Mendez - Paved the way for school desegregation in the US perquisite to Brown vs. Education



Franklin Chang - Díaz–Astronaut

Alfred Velazquez-Rascon – Medal of Honor recipient and the 10th director of the Selective Service System



Washington, D.C., April 17, 2019 - The National Council of Hispanic Employment Program Managers (NCHPEM), announced the 2019 Hispanic Heritage Month theme: **“Hispanic Americans: A History of Serving Our Nation.”** The theme invites us to reflect on Hispanic American’s service and contributions to the history of our Nation.

Each year, Americans observe National Hispanic Heritage Month from September 15 to October 15, by celebrating the contributions of American citizens whose ancestors came from Spain, Mexico, the Caribbean , Central America , and South America.

The Hispanic Heritage observance began in 1968 as Hispanic Heritage Week under President Lyndon Johnson and was expanded by President Ronald Reagan in 1988 to cover a 30-day period starting on September 15 and ending on October 15. It was enacted into law on August 17, 1988, on the approval of Public Law 100-402.

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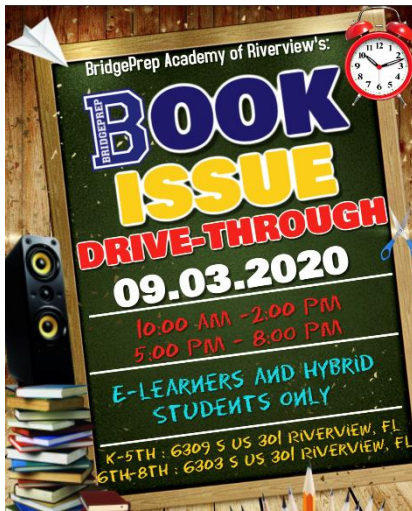




BRIDGEPREP ACADEMY

"Where learning is a journey!"

Upcoming Events



Bullying Prevention Week Sept 21-25th

Monday 9/21: Wear
orange to pledge
against bullying



REMINDER MONDAY'S ARE EARLY RELEASE DAYS



DISMISSAL TIMES:

KINDER-2ND	1:30
3RD-5TH	2:00
6TH-8TH	2:46

KINDER- GARTEN



Students of the Month

Ms. Miller-

Ms. Entzminger -

Ms. Vann-

Ms. Simon-

Mrs. Figueroa -

Ms. Lyons -

Ms. King-

Mrs. Jiminez -

What are we learning?

ELA: Main topic, Key details

Math: Represent, count, and compare numbers 0-5

Science: Five senses (taste, see, smell, hear, touch)

Social Studies: American heroes, characteristics of a good citizen

FIRST GRADE



Students of the Month

Sherman-

Rodriguez-

Stealey-

Santiago-

Osorio-

Cubino-Wilson-

McGucken-

What are we learning?

Math - Addition Concepts

Science - Five Senses as Tools

Social Studies - Welcome to First Grade

ELA: Main topic/key details

SECOND GRADE



Students of the Month

K. Figueroa-

M. Rodriguez-

C. Bridgewater-

L. Ortiz-

S. Duncan-

E. Morales-

What are we learning?

Math: Number Concepts and place value to 1,000

Science: Force and Motion

Social Studies: How to be a good citizen

ELA: We will be analyzing literature and informational texts to identify characters, setting, key details and main idea.

THIRD GRADE



Students of the Month

Anderson-

Dodson-

Cook-

Lewis-

Diaz –

What are we learning?

Math- Properties of Addition.

ELA- Incorrect sentences through edits; characteristics of various genres

Science- Using inquiry and experiments to test data

Social Studies- During social studies students will be able to identify and analyze primary and secondary sources.

FOURTH GRADE



Students of the Month

Peterson-

Brown-

Wilkey-

Monteiro-

Malinowski-

What are we learning?

ELA-

Character Traits, Character Actions, Characters influence on a story

Math- Factors and Multiples, and Place Value

Science- Forms of Energy

Social Studies- Branches of Government and Government functions

FIFTH GRADE



Students of the Month

Bromen-

Wynter-

Bumpus Johnson-

Anderson-

What are we learning?

Math: Multiplying & Dividing multi-digit numbers

Science: Nature of Science & Energy Creates Motion

Social Studies: Geography, Florida's History, US States & Regions, American Indians

ELA: Determining two or more main ideas of a text and explain how they are supported by key details

SIXTH GRADE



Students of the Month

Alvin-

Colquitt-

Palmer-

Rivera-

Francois –

What are we learning?

Math: Ratios

Science: Nature of Science

ELA: Establishing a Literacy Classroom

Social Studies:
Characteristics of a Civilization/GRAPES and Egypt

Intensive Reading:
Making inferences, citing text evidence

SEVENTH GRADE



Students of the Month

Keener –

Krupa-

Sica-

Gunn-

Francois-

What are we learning?

Math: Introducing Numbers

Science: Nature of Science and Scientific Method

ELA: Settings, Characters, Character Traits, and their interactions

Civics: What is Civics, citizenship, enlightenment, types of Government

Intensive Reading: Making Inferences

EIGHTH GRADE



Students of the Month

Buenviaje-Duddy-

Chandler-

Johnson-

McCaleb-

Francois-

What are we learning?

Science: Scientific method

History: Early explorers and
Geography

Math: Identifying Rational
and irrational numbers

Intensive reading: Making
inferences and citing sources

ELA: Demonstrating
command of the conventions
of standard English grammar



Elementary PE Teacher:

Coach McFarland: Healthy Habits/Fitness

Coach Torres: Basic movement skills focused on balance and coordination

Middle PE Teacher:

Coach Lebrun: Cardiovascular, Endurance Training

Coach Hernandez: Components of Physical Fitness, physical assessments





Elementary Spanish Teachers:

O'Neill (K): Days of the week, colors

Arroyo and S. Diaz (1st): greetings, days of the week, colors,
Hispanic Month

V. Diaz (2): days of the week, seasons, months, family, parts
of the body

Prado (3,4): Verbs, Useful expressions

Viani (5): Months of the year, days of the week, seasons,
vocabulary, grammar, and culture

Spanish Middle School Teachers:

Cuellar – Grammar, Spanish around the world

Roque - Spanish-Speaking Countries

Lorenzo- Grammar





Art Teachers:

Perez: Kinder: Covering the basics in Elementary Art
1st Gr: Elements of Art, Line, Color, and shape
5th: Principals of Design, Understanding Movement in 2D art
Kirkland: Van Gogh



Music Teacher: Cline (Elementary): Music Rules, Rhythm notes and values, rhythm pattern charts
Ortiz (Middle School): Musical notes



SEPTEMBER



calendar

2020



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	
<p><u>Our Mission Statement</u></p> <p>BridgePrep Academy believes every child learns best in a safe, nurturing and stimulating environment where high academic expectations, self-esteem, good character and an appreciation for the arts are promoted. BridgePrep Academy's mission is to provide a challenging academic curriculum that will encompass an enriched Spanish language program, technology and experiences that will enable students to develop in all areas. BridgePrep Academy's goal is to educate well rounded individuals and enable students to reach their maximum potential.</p>	1	2	3 \$2 No Uniform Day	4	5		
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