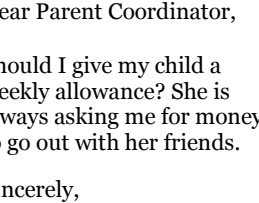


Honor. Excellence. Curiosity. Celebration

January 5, 2017

“Character is the ability to carry out a good resolution long after the excitement of the moment has passed.” - Cavett Robert



Be In The Know

- Tomorrow, January 6th is First Friday. It's a new year. Start it off with a visit into your child's classroom. Let 2017 be the year of parental involvement. We will also give you the opportunity to chat with our principal, Mr. Sherman for Tea and Talk. Immediately following First Friday, Ms. Park our high school guidance counselor and I will facilitate a brief workshop to discuss Regents and transcripts. This is especially important for our 9th grade families, as your children will be taking Regents this year, some for the first time. Learn how to read your child's transcript and discuss the importance of credits in high school.
- Join us on Saturday January 7th for our PTA meeting. The meeting will begin at 10:00 a.m. in room 418.
- EWSIS Basketball game at Frank Sinatra School of the Arts today at 4:30 p.m. Go team East-West.

Dear Parent Coordinator,

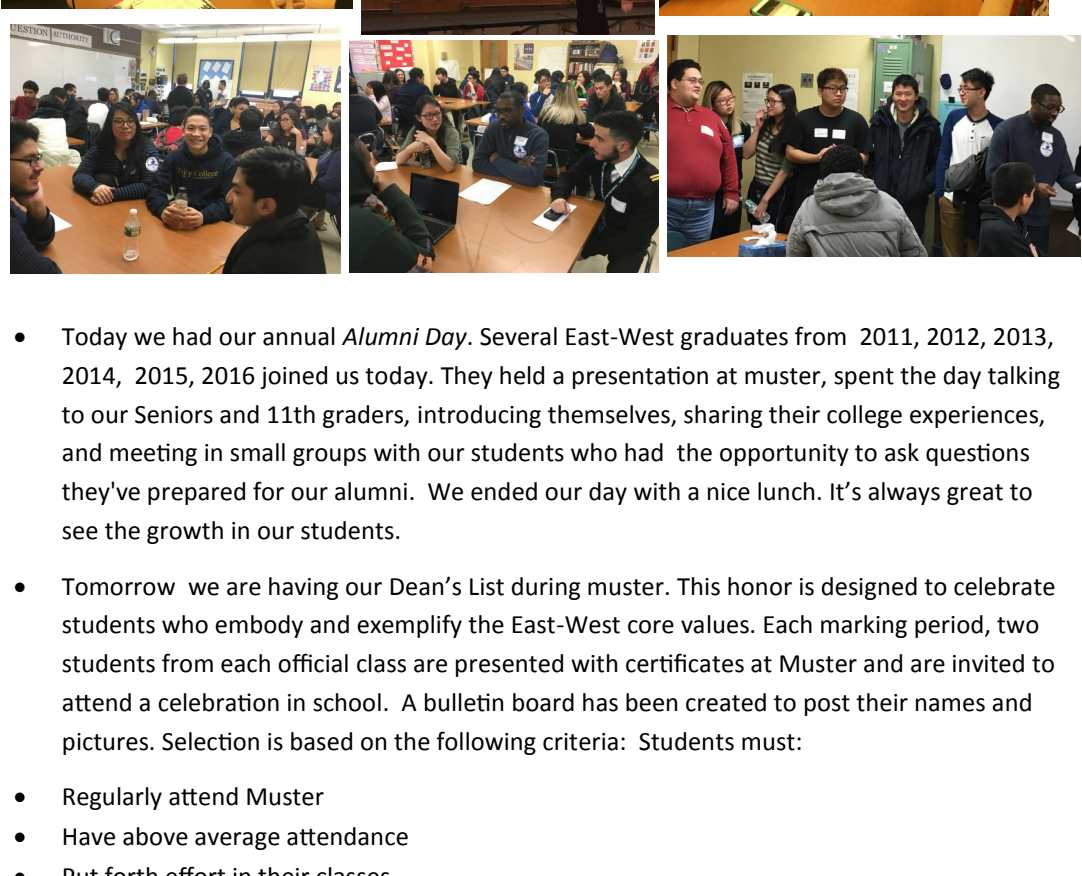
Should I give my child a weekly allowance? She is always asking me for money to go out with her friends.

Sincerely,

Wondering Parent

Dear Wondering Parent,

It's wonderful that your daughter is social and has friends. If you feel uncomfortable just giving her money, make her work for it—good old fashioned chores always does the trick. That will also teach her responsibility and the value of money. Take Care,
PC



- Today we had our annual *Alumni Day*. Several East-West graduates from 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016 joined us today. They held a presentation at muster, spent the day talking to our Seniors and 11th graders, introducing themselves, sharing their college experiences, and meeting in small groups with our students who had the opportunity to ask questions they've prepared for our alumni. We ended our day with a nice lunch. It's always great to see the growth in our students.
- Tomorrow we are having our Dean's List during muster. This honor is designed to celebrate students who embody and exemplify the East-West core values. Each marking period, two students from each official class are presented with certificates at Muster and are invited to attend a celebration in school. A bulletin board has been created to post their names and pictures. Selection is based on the following criteria: Students must:

- Regularly attend Muster
- Have above average attendance
- Put forth effort in their classes
- Consistently wear a uniform or participate in events which exempt them from this requirement (i.e., spirit week)
- Embrace and embody Rachel Scott's values
- Be nominated by the grade level team
- No student may receive the award more than once per year.

- January 24th– 27th is Regents week. Exam invitations were given out this week. Please make sure your child arrives 15 minutes prior to the start of the exam. They should bring their school ID and invitation with them. The schedule is as follows:

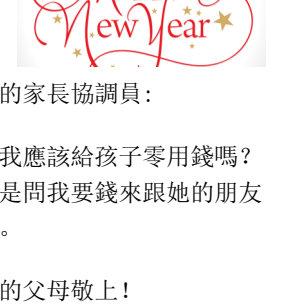
January 24 Tuesday 8:00 a.m.	January 25 Wednesday 8:00 a.m.	January 26 Thursday 8:00 a.m.	January 27 Friday 8:00 a.m.
Global History/ Geography	Living Environment Physical Setting.	U.S. History/ Govern- ment	Algebra II (Common Core)
Physical Setting/ Physics	Chemistry	Geometry (Common Core)	
12:00 p.m.	12:00 p.m.	12:00 p.m.	
English Language Arts (Common Core)	Algebra 2/ Trigonometry	Algebra I (Common Core)	

- High School students ONLY do NOT have school January 24th– 30th. They are to return back to school on Tuesday, January 31st. Tuesday, January 24th– Friday, 27th is Regents week. If your child does not have to take a Regent, they DO NOT have to report to school. Monday, January 30th is Chancellor's Day and High School students ONLY do not report to school. All Middle School students should report to school as usual
- Marking Period 3 ends on January 20th. Please make sure your child is starting off the new year right. Handing in all homework and staying on task.

Have a Wonderful Weekend!!!

Ms. Schnall

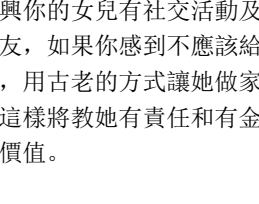
Parent Coordinator



榮譽, 卓越, 好奇心, 慶典

2017年1月5日

“性格是在瞬間的興奮過去之後，長時間執行好的真正分辨能力。” - Cavett Robert



需要知道的:

- 明天1月6日是第一個星期五，這是一個新的一年，開始參觀你孩子的教室，讓2017年成為父母來參與的一年，我們還給你機會與我們的Sherman 校長一邊飲茶和一邊聊天。將來臨的第一個星期五，高中指導顧問Park女士將舉辦一個簡短的研討會討論高中會考和成績單。這對我們的9年級家庭尤其重要，因為你的孩子今年將要會考，有些還是第一次考。學習如何閱讀您孩子的成績單，並討論高中成績的重要性。
- 請參加1月7日星期六的家長會，會議將於上午10時開始在418室舉行。
- 今天下午4點半東西方國際學習學校籃球隊對Frank Sinatra School of the Arts 學校籃球隊。加油東西方學校

親愛的家長協調員:

每週我應該給孩子零用錢嗎? 她總是問我要錢來跟她的朋友出外。

疑問的父母敬上!

親愛的家長:

很高興你的女兒有社交活動及有朋友，如果你感到不應該給她錢，用古老的方式讓她做家务，這樣將教她有責任和有金錢的價值。

請保重，家長協調員敬上



- 今天我們有一年一度的校友日。有幾位從2011年，2012年，2013年，2014年，2015年，2016年的東西方畢業生參加我們的早會。他們在早會上演講，花了一天時間與12年級和11年級學生交流，包括介紹自己和分享他們的大學體驗，另外並與我們的學生小組會面，給他們有機會問他們為校友準備的問題。最後我們一起享用一頓美味的午餐結束了我們的一天，很高興看到我們的學生成長。
- 明天在早會我們頒發我們的院長榮譽名單，這項榮譽是專為慶祝體現和例證了東西方學校的核心價值觀的學生。每個成績審核期間中，每一班有二個學生被頒發證書和被邀請參加在學校的慶祝活動。選擇基於以下標準：學生必須： 選考方法是基於以下條件： 學生必須：

- 參加每次早會
- 有平均以上的出席率
- 上課付出努力
- 穿校服上學或參與不規定要參加的活動（例如：動力週 spirit week）
- 欣賞和體現Rachel Scott的價值觀
- 被他們的班級教師提名
- 學生每年只可以獲得這獎勵一次

- 1月24日至27日是高中學會考週，本週將會派發考試證，請確保您的孩子在考試開始前15分鐘到達，他們必須帶學生證件和考試證。日程安排如下：

1月24日 星期二 上午8時	1月25日 星期三 上午8時	1月26日 星期四 上午8時	1月27日 星期五 上午8時
全球歷史/地理	生活環境	美國歷史/政府	代數II（共同核心）
物理設置/物理	物理設置/化學	幾何（公共核心）	
中午12時	中午12時	中午12時	
英語語言（共同核心）	代數II/三角函數	代數I（共同核心）	

- 只有高中生在1月24日至30日不用上學，他們必須於1月31日星期二回到學校，1月24日星期二至27日星期五是中學會考週，如果你的孩子不需要考高中會考，他們不用到學校上課，1月30日星期一是教育局會議日(Chancellor's Day)只有高中生不用上學，所有初中學生照常上學。
- 第三期成績評估於1月20日結束，請確保您的孩子從新一年新開始，交所有作業和完成任務。

祝您有一個愉快的週末

Schnall 女士

家長協調員