East-West School of International Studies

# Parent Coordinator News

### Honor. Excellence. Curiosity. Celebration

#### March 16, 2018

*"Every stumble is not a fall, and every fall does not mean failure."- Oprah Winfrey* 

## Be In The Know

- SAT Prep class is this Saturday 10:00 a.m.- 2:00 p.m.
- Wednesday March 21st is PSAT/SAT school day for our 10th and 11th graders.
- Spring break will be here before we know it! There will be no school for all students March 30th– April 8th. All students will return on Monday, April 9th. There will be no after-school activities on Thursday, March 29th.
- Our next PTA meeting will be held on Saturday April 14th at 10:00 a.m. in the Cafeteria.



Dear Parent Coordinator,

My daughter is staying out past her curfew. She is having a hard time following the rules. How can I make her listen to me? HELP!

Sincerely,

Strict Dad

Dear Strict Dad,

You should establish a relationship full of trust and respect with your child. Have you tried asking her why she is late? Where is she when she's not at home? Is she dating someone? Try spending some quality time with her, build trust. She will eventually open up and respect your rules.

Take Care, PC





- Our East-West Middle School Table Tennis Team participated in the March 10th New York City Middle School Team Championships tournament at PS 126 in Manhattan. Although we did not medal, we did put up a good fight despite being the underdog and the least experienced team. We were so close to make it to the final four. We are very proud of the team. Thank you to Coach Woody for training the team. Thank you to the parents who helped with the driving and came to cheer and support the team. Last but not least, thank you to the PTA for providing the necessary funding. Way to go East– West!
- Student Government organized a school wide walk out day on Wednesday, March 14th. Participation of national walk out day encouraged our students to use their voice with issues such as the importance of mental health, ending gun violence, the prevention of bullying, school safety, women's rights and black lives matter. We wore orange in solidarity. I'm so proud to be a part of our East-West community. EWSIS Students and Staff you rock!
- It's survey time! Your child has received their parent survey. Every year, all parents, teachers, and students in grades 6-12 complete the NYC School Survey, ranking it among the largest surveys conducted nationally. Through this confidential survey, you can provide your school with valuable feedback and input on how well it is meeting the needs of your child in areas like instruction, safety, and family engagement. This is your school, your voice matters! Please take the time to fill out this survey. Don't miss your opportunity to tell us what you think! Complete the **GREEN PAPER SURVEY** that we provided you or complete the survey online at nycschoolsurvey.org today. **The deadline is Friday, March 23**. To take the survey online, you will need your survey access code located on the bottom right-hand corner of the paper survey. If you cannot find your paper survey, please use the code lookup tool on the survey login screen (accessed via nycschoolsurvey.org) or call the survey hotline at 1-877-819-2363. If you have additional questions about the survey, please contact me.
- We have been granted FREE tickets to see Paul Taylor Modern Dance at Lincoln Center on Saturday, March 24. This is an incredible opportunity to visit one of NYC's famous theaters, and to see one of the world's most well known dance companies. All families are responsible for their own transportation to and from the theater. All students must attend with an adult. Tickets will be assigned on a first-come first-served basis. Please return the order form to Mrs. Gruet asap to be included. Enjoy the show!
- East-West has talent! Join us at our annual Talent Show, Thursday March 22nd at 5:30 p.m. Our students have been rehearsing and are excited to perform. You don't want to miss it. Tickets are on sale. 1 FOR \$3.00 OR 2 FOR \$5.00. They can purchase tickets during lunch or from Mr.Oppenheim after school in room 404A. Our fabulous PTA will be selling refreshments during the show. They are in need of volunteers. Please let me know if you would like to lend a hand.
- Is your child 14-17 years old? Do they need working papers? They can pick up an application from me. My office is located in room 423. They must return the application signed by a parent, with a copy of their birth certificate, social security card, and a letter from the doctor stating they are physically fit and able to work. I will then provide them with their work permit.
- All of our parents are invited to participate in a CPR certification class held on Saturday, April 14th immediately following the PTA meeting. The cost of this class is at a discounted price of \$25.00.
- East-West is getting artsy! Queens Borough Arts Festival for 2018 is a celebration of the arts that was created by the students from Queens. Students from all over Queens submitted their work so their work could be displayed. Our student Brian Wang's one-point perspective city was selected to be featured at this festival. The festival will be held at the Tuesday, May 15, 2018, from 5:00pm-7:00 pm at Queens Museum. The P.S Art competition showcases exemplary work from the NYC area. The winners' pieces are displayed at the Metropolitan Museum of Art. Ganjina Gafarova, Jhey Dizon, and Kehan Zhang have been selected as semi-finalists. Please wish them luck as their artwork heads into the second round. Congratulations to our talented art teacher Ms. Kim and her students.
- Marking Period 1 ended on Thursday. Marking period 2 is a fresh start for everyone. Please make sure you're checking pupilpath regularly.
- Is your child in grades 9-12 and is looking for something to do this summer? Check out NYU Youth Summer program in the city. Click on this link for more information <u>www.nyu.edu.</u> <u>https://www.nyu.edu/employees/life-wellness/family-care/child-care/summer-camp/teen-summer-programs.html</u>

## **Co-Op Student Aide Summer Work Program**

We are looking for 10 - 15 students to work for seven (7) weeks this summer at East-West School of International Studies. Responsibilities would include:

- •Survey classroom furniture
- •Label school furniture
- •Inventory books / supplies
- •Organize book closets
- •Light computer work
- •Label and organize laptops / carts
- Miscellaneous tasks
- •Salary: \$ 13.00/hour

#### ALL STUDENTS MUST MEET THE FOLLOWING CRITERIA:

- Must be 14 years old or older
- •Hold valid working papers
- Pass all classes for the year
- •Commit to working ALL 7 weeks Week of: 7/9, 7/16, 7/23, 7/30, 8/6, 8/13, & 8/27/2018
- Reliable
- •Ability to move and lift furniture
- Computer knowledge

Return applications to Ms. Guiliani in Room 429B by 12:00 pm Friday, April 20, 2018. Application available outside Room 429B

Have a Wonderful Weekend, Maggie Schnall Parent Coordinator 東西方國際學習學校

家長協調員 新聞

榮譽,卓越,好奇心,慶典

2018年3月16日

### "每一次絆倒不是真正的跌倒,每次跌倒都不是意味 著失敗。- Oprah Winfrey

需要知道的:

- SAT考試補習班的時間是星期六上午10點到下午 2點
- 3月21日星期三是10和11年級的預備SAT考試及 SAT考試。
- 春季假期快到了! 3月30日至4月8日,所有學生 都不用上學,所有學生將於4月9日星期一返回 學校。3月29日星期四將不會有課後活動。
- 下一個家教會會議將在 4月14日上午10點在學校餐廳舉行。

親愛的家長協調員:

親愛的家長: 我的女兒在宵禁之後仍然留在 外面,她不能遵守規則。我怎 樣才能讓她聽我說話? 幫幫 我!

父親敬上!

你應該和你孩子的建立信任和 尊重的關係,你有沒有試過問 她為什麼在外面很晚?她不在 家的時候去了哪裡?她和某人 約會嗎?嘗試與她共度美好時 光,建立信任。她最終會開放 自己並尊重你的意見。

請保重,家長協調員敬上







- 東西方學校初中乒乓球隊參加了曼哈頓PS 126的3月10日紐約市中學隊錦標賽。雖然 沒有獲得獎牌,但我們確實打了一場好戰,儘管是失敗和經驗最少的球隊。我們能 進入最後四強比賽。我們為球隊感到自豪。感謝Woody教練培訓我們的球隊,感謝 家長幫忙駕駛接送,並為球隊打氣。結果並非最重要的,感謝家教會提供必要的資 金,加油東西方!
- 學生會於三月十四日星期三組織全校遊行。參與這運動可以鼓勵學生,在心理健康 的重要性、預防欺凌、學校安全、婦女權利和黑人生活等問題上,發表自己的聲 音。我們團結一致地穿著橙色。我很自豪能成為東西方學校的一員。學生們和工作 人員,很棒!
- 今年的調查問卷時間來了!您的孩子已經收到他們的家長調查。每年,所有6-12年級的家長,老師和學生完成紐約市學校調查,並將其列為全國最大的調查。通過這項保密調查,您可以為您的學校提供寶貴的反饋信息,並提供有關如何在教學,安全和家庭參與等方面滿足您孩子需求的信息。這是您的學校,您的聲音很重要!請填寫此調查表。不要錯過機會告訴我們您的想法!完成我們提供給您的緣皮書調查或今日在網上nycschoolsurvey.org完成調查。截止日期是3月23日星期五。如果要在網上進行調查,您需要知道位於在調查右下角的登記號碼。如果您無法找到您的調查紙,請使用調查登錄屏幕上的代碼查找工具(通過nycschoolsurvey.org訪問)或致電調查熱線1-877-819-2363。如果您對這調查有其他疑問,請與我聯繫。
- 我們有免費門票,可以在3月24日星期六在林肯中心觀看保羅·泰勒現代舞。這是一次參觀紐約市著名劇院之一的絕佳機會,並且可以看到世界上最知名的舞蹈團之一。所有家庭要負責支付自己往返劇院的交通費,還有學生必須和成人陪同一起參加。門票將以先到先得的原則分配,請盡快將報名單交回給Gruet老師。來欣賞表演吧!
- 請來參觀在三月二十二日星期四下午5點半舉行的年度才藝表演。我們的學生一直 在排練,並且很興奮期待表演,請不要錯過。門票已開始發售,每張入場券是三 元,兩張是五元。學生可以在午飯時間在餐廳購買或星期一至星期三下午二點二 十分至下午三點半之間到404A室向Oppenheim老師購買門票。我們出色的家教會將 在表演時間銷售小食,他們需要義工,請讓我知道你是否可以幫忙。
- 你的子女是14至17歲嗎?他們需要工作文件嗎?他們可以從我那裡拿一份申請。我的辦公室位於423房間。他們必須交回家長已簽署的申請表、出生證明影印本、社會安全卡影印本和醫生信証明他們身體健康並能夠工作。然後我會向他們提供工作許可證。
- 我們所有的家長都被邀請參加家教會會議後緊接著的4月14日星期六舉行的CPR認證 課程,這課程的費用是25美元。

- 東西方正在變得藝術化!皇后區藝術節2018年是由皇后學生創作的藝術慶典,來自 皇后區各地的學生提交了他們的作品,我們的學生Brian Wang的單點視角城市作品被 選作為展覽。這藝術節將於2018年5月15日星期二下午5點至7點在皇后區博物館舉 行。PS藝術比賽展示紐約地區的出色作品,獲獎者的作品將會展示在大都會藝術博 物館。Ganjina Gafarova, Jhey Dizon和Kehan Zhang 被選為準決賽選手。祝他們好運, 他們的作品將進入第二輪選拨。祝賀我們的才華藝術老師Kim女士和她的學生。
- 第1期的成績評核在星期四結束了,第二期的成績評核全新的開始,請確保定期檢查 您孩子的pupil path。
- 您的孩子是9至12年級的學生嗎?今年夏天想要做些什麼?請查看紐約大學青年夏季 課程,點擊此鏈接可獲取更信息 <u>www.nyu.edu.https://www.nyu.edu/employees/life-</u> wellness/family-care/child-care/summer-camp/teen-summer-programs.html

### 東西方國際學習學校暑假學生工作計劃 !

- 我們正在尋找10至15名學生在東西方國際學習學校暑期工作七週,職責包括:
- ⇒ 檢查教室的家具
- ⇒ 標籤學校的家具
- ⇒ 庫存書籍/用品
- ⇒ 整理書櫃
- ⇒ 簡單電腦工作
- ⇒ 標籤並組織筆記本電腦/購物車
- ⇒ 雜項工作
- ⇒ 工資是一小時13美元

#### 所有學生必須符合以下條件:

- ⇒ 必須年滿14歲或以上
- ⇒ 持有有效的工作文件
- ⇒ 全年的科目合格
- ⇒ 同意工作7週 : 7/9, 7/16, 7/23, 7/30, 8/6, 8/13, 及 8/27/2018 的7週
- ⇒ 可信任
- ⇒ 能移動家具的氣力
- ⇒ 有電腦知識

祝您有一個愉快的週末

Maggie Schnall 女士

家長協調員