

FDR HIGH SCHOOL

WEEKLY BULLETIN JANUARY 14-JANUARY 18, 2019

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
1/14	1/15	1/16	1/17	1/18
All Teacher Time 8:00am-4:06pm	Teacher/Para Time	Teacher/Para Time	Teacher/Para Time	Teacher/Para Time
All Para Time 8:00am-3:46pm	Early Session 8:00am-2:36pm	Early Session 8:00am-2:36pm	Early Session 8:00am-2:36pm	Early Session 8:00am-2:36pm
Collaborative PD: See your AP for specific room assignments 3:21pm-4:06pm	Late Session 8:50am-3:26pm	Late Session 8:50am-3:26pm	Late Session 8:50am-3:26pm	Late Session 8:50am-3:26pm
ISS Teachers report to Content Areas	FINAL EXAMS Science	Teachers Choice Accountability form submission deadline	PADS closes to enter grades in IO Education by 4:00pm	End of 3rd Marking Period (28 days – Last day of classes)
ACES Teachers report to room 205A		C6 Preferences Due	PTA Meeting 6:15pm	Edits due in Program Office by 12:00pm
Paras report to room 257		Wear White Wednesday		PTA Bake Sale
SLT Meeting 5:30pm		Trivia Night 6:00pm		
FINAL EXAMS Science; Health	ALL TEXT BOOKS DUE STUDENTS TAKING SUBMIT UNRETURNED	TO SUBJECT CLASS THE REGENTS EXAMS. BOOK RECORDS TO	TEACHERS, EXCEPT FOR TEACHERS SHOULD A.P. SUPERVISION	BY <u>JANUARY 17th</u>

“A good teacher can inspire hope, ignite the imagination and instill a love of learning”

COLLABORATIVE PD

During Monday’s Collaborative PD on January 14th, we ask that teachers take this opportunity to work on their grades as they are due this week.

TEXTBOOK COLLECTION

During this week teachers should be collecting textbooks from students. Teachers should submit a record of students who did not return their textbook to their AP Supervision by **January 17th**. This information will be recorded on a student’s Spring program card so that teachers will know who has an uncleared book account.

STAFF ABSENCES/LATENESSES

In the event that you will be absent, please be reminded that you must contact the school by **6:00am** so that the school can call in a substitute. The school’s telephone number is 718-621-8800. The switchboard is open at 6:00 A.M. If the switchboard is closed, a night greeting will prompt staff members to press 7777 to record a message. **Please speak your first and last name, department and date of absence clearly and slowly.** It is not necessary to elaborate on the cause of your absence as this message is only heard by the early bird person covering classes. If you would like to provide additional information, please feel free to contact your AP Supervision.

In addition, all staff members are required to move their own time cards in as they enter the building and out as they leave. Staff members who move their time cards ‘in’ after their start time, **must** clock in.

SCHOOL SPIRIT

In order to continue with our School Spirit initiative will be having a **“Wear White Wednesday”** on Wednesday, January 16th. All staff members are asked to wear white, take an individual or group selfie, and email it to Cecilia Accettura (caccett@schools.nyc.gov) and Sal Catalano (scatalano@schools.nyc.gov).

Also, join us in celebrating **“Toastie Tuesday”**, on Tuesday, January 22nd, by wearing a Cozy Scarf and sipping a cup of hot chocolate which will be available in the Teacher’s Cafeteria.

CLASSROOM LIGHTS

It’s important that classrooms are bright enough for both academic as well as safety issues. Often, students will try to convince the teacher to turn off all but the low lights by the chalkboards saying that it is difficult to see the Promethean. This may be true at some times, however this should be limited. If students are having difficulty seeing the Promethean, please consider enlarging your font, adjusting your seating arrangement, or briefly turning the lights off and then on again. The lights over the chalkboard should not be the only ones in use while students are working. Thank you for your anticipated cooperation.

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SPRING PROGRAM CARDS/REPORT CARDS/METROCARDS

Teachers, please inform your students of the following:

- Thursday, January 31st, is the last day to use Fall Term MetroCards. Spring term MetroCards will be distributed on Monday, January 28th. Students should check Pupil Path during Regents week for room assignments and time schedules. Students not registered on Pupil Path, should see their Guidance Counselor in room 106. **Students must bring their ID card to receive their MetroCard!**
- The new term begins on Tuesday, January 29th. **Program cards will not be distributed before the new term begins.**
- Students should log onto Pupil Path on Monday, January 28th after 1:00pm to see their Spring schedule. They should click on "Term 2" and then "Class Schedule."
- Students should report to their first class on Tuesday, January 29th.
- Program cards will be distributed during 2nd period class on the 29th.
- If students do not have internet access, they may report to the Auditorium on Tuesday morning, January 29th at 7:30 am.
- Report cards will not be distributed. Students may log onto Pupil Path to see Fall term grades. Transcripts will be distributed sometime in February.

REMINDERS (ANNOUNCED IN PREVIOUS BULLETINS)

CIRCULAR 6 FOR SPRING 2019

An email requesting your C6 preferences for the Spring 2019 term has been sent out. Your C6 selections are due by **January 16th**.

REGENTS EXAM SCHEDULE

January 22 nd	8:10AM:	English Language Arts
	12:55PM:	Living Environment
January 23 rd	8:10AM:	U.S. History & Government / Geometry
	12:55PM:	Algebra I
		Spanish LOTE
January 24 th	8:10AM:	Global History & Geography / Physics
	12:55PM:	Algebra II
January 25 th	8:10AM:	Earth Science / Chemistry

Remind Students: State regulations mandates that no students will be admitted after 10:00AM for a morning exam or after 2:00pm for an afternoon exam.

FDR H.S. SPIRIT WEAR

Every Friday is the day to wear your FDR Spirit Wear! Show off your FDR Swag! If you do, be sure to take a picture!

FACEBOOK PAGE

Join our 138 followers to see our Cougar School Spirit pictures on FDR's Facebook page. Enter **FDR High School Brooklyn Information** in the search bar on your Facebook to be informed of school highlights, events and see occasional pictures.

FDR TWITTER

Follow us on Twitter @FDRCougars for information and pictures.

OVER-THE-PHONE INTERPRETATION SERVICES

Over-the-phone interpretation services offer the ability to communicate with a limited-English-proficient parent with the assistance of an interpreter on the phone. Schools can call Language Line at no cost to obtain an interpreter in over 200 languages any time of the day. To access an over-the-phone interpreter:

1. Dial 1-855-249-9103 or 1-800-231-0288
2. Indicate the language you need
3. Provide your schools 6-digit District Borough Number (DBN) "20K505"

S. O. NOTICES

ANNOUNCEMENTS

All announcements concerning meetings, events and athletic matches must be emailed by the advisor to mperez22@schools.nyc.gov the day before the scheduled date of address or by 7:30 A.M. the morning of the announcement. Please note that the announcements should be brief and may be limited to lessen impact on instructional time. Announcements are also sent via email on Mondays and Thursdays.

S.O. DUES

S.O. membership cards can be purchased for \$5 in room 119. Any students interested in joining a club, team or activity, must join the student organization.

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S.O. STORE

The S.O. Store, which is located in the Students' Cafeteria (room 178A), is fully stocked with school supplies. Students and teachers can purchase notebooks, loose leaf paper, pens, pencils, folders, physical education uniforms, locks, art supplies, shirts and shorts, music supplies, review books, and more. The store is open from 8:00 A.M.-2:30 P.M.

STUDENT INSTAGRAM

For the latest info about student events and activities at FDR follow us on Instagram at [fdrstudentgov](https://www.instagram.com/fdrstudentgov).

SENIOR TRIP

This year's senior trip is from March 8th to March 10th at Honors Haven Resort and Spa. The cost is \$335. A \$100 deposit is due by January 18th to hold your spot. All payments must be accompanied by a Notarized permission slip which can be found on the school website. Payments can be made in room 119.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Monday, January 21st – Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Day/School Closed

Tuesday, January 22nd – “Toastie Tuesday”

Monday, January 28th – Chancellor’s Conference Day/No students in attendance

Monday, January 28th – MetroCard Distribution

Tuesday, January 29th – Spring Term Begins

Tuesday, February 5th – Lunar New Year/School Closed

Monday, February 11th – Friday, February 15th – Respect for all Week

Monday, February 11th – SLT Meeting 5:30pm

Monday, February 18th – Friday, February 22nd – Mid-Winter Break/School Closed

CECILIA ACCETTURA – Assistant Principal

APPROVED: MELANIE KATZ – Principal