


FDR HIGH SCHOOL

WEEKLY BULLETIN MARCH 11-MARCH 15, 2019

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
3/11	3/12	3/13	3/14	3/15
All Teacher Time 8:00am-4:06pm All Para Time 8:00am-3:46pm Administrative PD: 3:21pm-4:06pm Teachers complete surveys Paras report to room 257 to complete surveys SLT Meeting 5:30pm	Teacher/Para Time Early Session 8:00am-2:36pm Late Session 8:50am-3:26pm	Teacher/Para Time Early Session 8:00am-2:36pm Late Session 8:50am-3:26pm Parent Survey's distributed to students in 3rd period class	Teacher/Para Time Early Session 8:00am-2:36pm Late Session 8:50am-3:26pm π (Pi) Day Activities Staff vs. Harlem Magic Masters Basketball game 5:00pm	Teacher/Para Time Early Session 8:00am-2:36pm Late Session 8:50am-3:26pm End of 1st Marking Period (26 days) <div style="text-align: right;"> Sunday 3/17  </div>

"If it doesn't challenge you, it doesn't change you."

SCHOOL SURVEYS

The month of March is Survey Month! Teachers, Students and Parents will have an opportunity to complete a survey in order to provide feedback about FDR H.S. Below is a schedule of the distribution and completion of surveys. All surveys close on April 3, 2019.

TEACHER/PARA SURVEYS (*Note date change)

On ***Monday, March 11, 2019**, Assistant Principals will distribute Teacher/Para Survey materials. Teachers/Paras are asked to complete the on-line teacher survey during the Administrative PD time (Teacher: 3:21 pm – 4:06 pm / Para 3:21pm-3:46pm). The deadline to complete the teacher surveys is **Wednesday, April 3, 2019**.

PARENT SURVEYS

All 3rd period class teachers will receive "parent surveys" in their main office mailboxes on **Tuesday, March 12, 2019**. We ask that teachers give the survey to each student on **March 13, 2019** to be completed by their parent. All completed surveys should be collected and submitted as a group to the Principal's Office no later than close of business **Tuesday, March 19, 2019**. The first class to have all parent surveys completed and returned, will win a breakfast. Teachers will have to submit a class roster along with the surveys verifying each parent's response

STUDENT SURVEYS

Student surveys will be distributed to all 3rd period class teachers via the main office mailboxes **on Wednesday, March 20, 2019**. Student surveys will be completed in 3rd period classes on **Thursday, March 21, 2019**. Please submit the completed surveys to the Principal's Office by the end of the day on **Thursday, March 21, 2019**. For any students who are absent, please have them complete the survey on the next day that they attend class and submit it to the Principal's office.

COLLABORATIVE PD ON APRIL 29, 2019

Due to the loss of a Collaborative PD on March 4, 2019 (snow day), we will substitute the Administrative PD on Monday, April 29th for a Collaborative PD. Please make note of this.

MARKING PERIOD CHANGES

In order to accommodate the changes in PD sessions and to allow time for the Teacher/Para Surveys, revisions have been made to our marking period calendar. Please see below for revised information:

1st MARKING PERIOD 1/29-3/15 (28 days)

- 3/8 PADS opens to enter grades in IO Education (Friday)
- 3/15 End of 1st Marking Period (28 days) (Friday)
- 3/18 PADS closes to enter grades in IO Education by 4:00 P.M. (Monday)
- 3/20 Edits due in Program Office by 4:00 PM. (Wednesday)
- 3/28 Distribution of Report Cards (Thursday) in period 2 classes (Open School Evening)

2nd MARKING PERIOD 3/18-5/2 (28 days)

- 4/17 PADS opens to enter grades in IO Education (Wednesday)
- 5/2 End of 2nd Marking Period (27 days) (Thursday)
- 5/6 PADS closes to enter grades in IO Education by 4:00 P.M. (Monday)
- 5/8 Edits due in Program Office by 10AM (Wednesday)
- 5/10 Distribution of Report Cards (Friday) in period 2 classes

3rd MARKING PERIOD 5/3-6/17 (28 days)

- 6/7 PADS opens to enter grades in IO Education (Friday)
- 6/17 End of 3rd Marking Period (28 days- Last day of classes) (Monday)
- 6/17 PADS closes to enter grades in IO Education by 10:00 A.M. (Monday)
- 6/18 Edits due in Program Office by 10:00 A.M. (Tuesday)
- TBD Distribution of Report Cards

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CLASSROOM SUPERVISION

As you may know, students should never be left without a pedagogue unattended in a classroom. In the event that you are leaving your classroom at the end of the period and a teacher of the following period has not yet arrived, please ask the students to wait outside the classroom and lock the classroom door behind you. This will prevent students from being in a classroom without supervision.

PARENT TEACHER CONFERENCES

Please be aware that Parent Teacher Conferences will be held on **Thursday, March 28nd and Friday, March 29th** as per the SBO. An email detailing Parent Teacher Conferences and Letters to parents will be emailed during the week.

FDR HIGH SCHOOL MARCHING BAND

FDR High School's Marching Band will be playing in the Bay Ridge St. Patrick's Day parade rain or shine on **Sunday, March 24th at 1PM** along Third Avenue starting at Marine Avenue. Come support the Marching Cougars!

REMINDERS (ANNOUNCED IN PREVIOUS BULLETINS)

SAT/PSAT

The SAT and PSAT exams will be given at FDR on **Wednesday, March 27, 2019**. An SBO vote was held on February 7, 2019 to create a non-instructional day. Absent any loss of instructional school days, the request for a calendar change has been approved. Other than students taking the SAT/PSAT, no others will be in attendance. All Teacher/Para time will be 8:00am-2:50pm.

ELL STUDENT ACCOMODATIONS FOR SAT

ELL students, who apply, now receive the accommodation of time and a half when they take the SAT and PSAT during the school day. This is brand new. The application process includes a parental sign off. More information about the administration of the test will follow, but please join in celebrating the access to college this can provide.

FACEBOOK PAGE

Join our **154** 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.

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).

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UPCOMING EVENTS

Monday, March 18th – PADS closes to enter grades in IO Education by 10:00am

Tuesday, March 19th – Edits due in Program Office by 10:00am

Wednesday, March 27th – PSAT/SAT Day (Non Instructional Day)

Thursday, March 28th – Distribution of Report Cards in Pd 2 classes

Thursday, March 28th – Parent Teacher Conferences 5:30 pm – 8:00 pm

Friday, March 29th – Parent Teacher Conferences 12:30 pm – 2:30 pm

Monday, April 1st – SLT Meeting 5:30pm

Thursday, April 4th - FDR Hosts Brooklyn South Principal's Meeting

Thursday, April 4th – Saturday, April 6th - FDR Theatre Company production “In the Heights” 5:00pm

Monday, April 8th – Friday, May 17th – NYSESLAT Testing-Speaking

CECILIA ACCETTURA – Assistant Principal

APPROVED: MELANIE KATZ – Principal