

ACE NEWS

ACE Newsletter | October 2019

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Bring a Jacket

Fall and Winter weather in Northern Virginia can be unpredictable! Please send your child to school with a weather appropriate jacket every day starting October 1st as students play outside daily.

ACE Blog

It's a NEW school year and we have some NEW blogs for you to read! Check them out online at www.myschoolace.com.



Fall Days

It has been a great year so far at the Academy! Students (and staff) are doing well in the routine of a fresh new year. We are looking forward to continuing on such a great track throughout the rest of this awesome school year!

After School Clubs

We have been having a BLAST with After School Clubs this year! ACE is thrilled to be offering some great new club options and we have already benefitted from such practical and fun options.

STEAM Club

STEAM is an integrated approach to learning, which involves two or more standards from Science, Technology, Engineering, Math, and Art. Using the Engineering Design Process, students find solutions to problems through brainstorming ideas, building, and testing projects.

P-ACE-ers Running Club

Ready, set, go! ACE's running club promotes and supports a healthy lifestyle while instilling positive character traits. Each week students participate in proper stretching, fun running intervals based on age and ability, and group activities that focus on different monthly character traits. The club will conclude with an optional "ACE Family & Friends Fun Run" in the Spring.

Future Leaders Club

The ACE Future Leaders Speaking Club is dedicated to improving students' communication, leadership, and public speaking skills. Our stress-free, supportive environment to practice and excel at public speaking instills confidence and success. Each week, students practice both prepared presentations and impromptu speaking. Students are provided with constructive feedback on a weekly basis. At the end of the year, students will showcase their acquired skills.

Brazilian Jiu Jitsu

This club is designed to instill confidence and self discipline, while improving balance, coordination, problem solving skills, and mental toughness. Each class includes a warm-up, technical instruction, and instructor-supervised drilling.

Latin Club

Salve! The ACE Latin Club provides an introduction to Latin, the foundation of the romance languages as well as many English, medical, scientific, and legal terms. Students are learning the basics of Latin grammar, vocabulary, and culture. Latin Club provides a strong foundation for further studies of Latin translation.

Contact Us

Upcoming Events

October 1

Students need to bring jackets to school daily starting today

October 4

Interims go home as needed

October 11

Open House, 10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.
(for unregistered families)

October 14

Columbus Day Holiday - No School

October 25

AAP Request Deadline

October 29

End of 1st Quarter
Parents Schedule Conferences
Online

October 31

Casual Day (students may wear modest casual clothing to school - no costumes please)

November 1

Report cards go home

November 1

Picture Retake Day

November 4-5

Parent/Teacher Conferences
(Parents Only Please)
No School for Students

November 8

Open House, 10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.
(for unregistered families)

November 9

Family STEAM Night

November 22

Casual Day and American Harvest Festival

November 25-29

Thanksgiving Holiday - NO SCHOOL

Picture Retake Day

Picture retakes will take place at ACE on November 1st. Girls retaking their school pictures should wear the ACE uniform jumper with a white, Peter Pan collared shirt. Boys should wear the ACE polo shirt and pants. Students needing picture retakes should bring their packet of original school pictures with them to school on November 1st.



Math Kangaroo

ACE is offering the opportunity for your child to participate in the 2020 Math Kangaroo Competition! Math Kangaroo is an international mathematics test that 25,000 students participate in annually in the US alone.

The Math Kangaroo Test will take place on Thursday, March 19, 2020 from 4:00-6:00 p.m.

The test is open to all elementary students at a cost of \$35 per student. Ace will provide practice tests included with the \$35 registration fee.

You can register your elementary student online by November 22, 2019 to participate in Math Kangaroo 2020.

Family STEAM Night

Mark your calendar for the BEST event of the year! Join us for our Annual Family STEAM Night on November 9th. We will have family oriented STEAM activities - fun for children and parents alike as we exhibit some of the types of activities students complete in STEAM class.