

JFK Weekly Newsletter

Friday, March 4, 2022 Sara Raabe, JFK Principal

Illustrative Mathematics

You play a crucial role in your child's learning, we believe that students should be empowered to recognize and explore math in the world around them, whether they are at school, at home, or in their communities. Since students' understanding of mathematics is shaped by their lived experiences, we encourage educators to learn about and value these experiences.

This year we have been piloting a new math program called Illustrative Mathematics (IM). We are planning to implement IM next year. Before we make decisions about implementation we would like to engage you in learning about this program.

Illustrative Mathematics is offering a free webinar, *Family Engagement, Collaboration, and Support* that will talk about how schools can improve collaboration with families. Illustrative Math has assembled a panel of family engagement and math education experts, parents, and school leaders and is inviting educators and families to join us for this important discussion.

You can click this link to register for this webinar

https://zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_nzx2PI8DS0GCK8721QgKdA

If you have any questions about Illustrative Mathematics please contact me, Michael Eppolito at meppolito@wsdvt.org

Cafeteria

The AOE continues to update their guidance in response to the COVID case numbers going down. There is no guidance limiting gatherings in school or pod mixing, and the cafeteria is not considered a space for close contacts. The MHS is already back in the cafeteria for lunch. Starting Monday, March 7th, JFK will be back in the cafeteria for lunch for all students.

Parent Teacher Conferences

JFK Spring Parent Teacher Conferences will be in person on March 31, 2022 and April 1, 2022. Teachers sent home a conference request sheet this week. Please be sure to fill this out and return it to

your student's teacher so they can assign a time that works for your family for your in person spring conference.

Important Dates

March 17, 2022

11:00am Early Dismissal

March 18, 2022

11:00am Early Dismissal

March 31, 2022

11:00am Early Dismissal

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April 1, 2022

11:00am Early Dismissal

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