

John F. Kennedy Elementary School Weekly Update

Friday, January 7, 2022



Important Dates

Monday, January 17

No School

Martin Luther King Jr.
Day

Tuesday, January 18

Grade 5 Band

Wed., January 19

Grade 4 Band

Thursday, January 20

No Chorus

(Chorus will resume 2/3/22)



[January Lunch
Calendar](#)

[January Event
Calendar](#)



Important Covid Information

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IMPORTANT INFORMATION



from the
JFK Health Office



The state and our community have seen an increase in the number of COVID cases. Here at JFK, we are following the DESE protocols in regards to isolation and quarantine.

In an effort to keep the schools fully open and safe, please follow these guidelines:

- Do **NOT** send your child to school if you are awaiting a COVID test result.
- If anybody in your home tests positive for COVID, you **MUST** keep your child home from school to quarantine.

Please reach out to the health office to discuss protocols for your child's return to school.

Please consider signing your child up for the Test and Stay Program. The link can be found on the JFK school website. The nurse will always call you prior to testing your child.

The Test and Stay Program is utilized for two scenarios:

1. For students who are exposed to COVID in school and are deemed a close contact.
2. For students who develop symptoms while at school.

Students who are exposed to COVID outside of school are not eligible for the Test & Stay Program.

JFK Main Office: 781-767-4600

Absence Line = Ext. 2
Health Office = Ext. 3

Test and Stay



For the 2021-22 school year, we are offering an extra layer of protection to prevent the spread of COVID-19 at school. This Test & Stay Program includes

symptomatic testing for students who show symptoms of COVID-19 at school as well as for students who may have been exposed while in school but are not showing symptoms.

For more information about this program, please read the attached letter.

Additionally, we ask all parents/guardians to click the link below to access the consent portal to opt in or out of this program.

<https://www.cic-health.com/consent/ma>

School Delay or Cancellation Procedures

Any school delays or cancellations will be communicated via a phone call from the Superintendent, electronic newsletter, Facebook, and will also be posted on local television stations. Please refer to one of these resources if there are any questions.

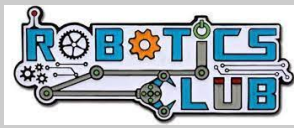
As a reminder, in the event of a 1 hour delay:

- Champions will always run a normal schedule.
- JFK buses will begin their run an hour later, starting their route at 9:00. If there is inclement weather, there could be a possibility of minor delays.
- JFK doors open at 9:30. Students will not have access into the building prior to that time.

In the event of a 2 hour delay:

- Champions will always run a normal schedule.
- JFK buses will begin their run two hours later, starting their route at 10:00. If there is inclement weather, there could be a possibility of minor delays.
- JFK doors open at 10:30. Students will not have access into the building prior to that time.

Attention Grade 5 Students!



Any fifth grade student who is interested in signing up for the after school Robotics Club should complete the form that is available

in their Computer Class Google Classroom.

Mrs. Adams has discussed the details of the club with each fifth grade classroom. If any student or parent/guardian has any additional questions, they can reach out to Mrs. Adams at kadams@holbrook.k12.ma.us.

The deadline to apply is Friday, January 21st.

2021-2022 Yearbooks



Online ordering for the 2021-2022 JFK Yearbook is officially open! Click the link and enter the ID Code number listed below.

ybpay.lifetouch.com

Yearbook ID Code: 14069422

You will then be prompted to enter your child's name and grade. After entering this personal information, you will reach the ordering form.

This year's Yearbook will cost \$20.00. An optional Zoom insert is available for an additional \$1.75. The Zoom insert displays this year's most memorable news, sports, entertainment and more!

Paper ordering forms will be sent home to students for any family wishing to pay by cash or check. However, we encourage families to take advantage of this online feature this year!

The deadline for ordering a yearbook is
Friday, March 18, 2022.



Attention Grade 5 Parents/Guardians

Exciting news! This year EVERY 5th grade student will receive a **FREE Yearbook and a FREE Zoom insert** to remember their last year at JFK.

Therefore, Grade 5 parents DO NOT need to order a yearbook.



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Cancer Institute



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WOMEN'S HOSPITAL

Kraft Family Blood Donor Center

BLOOD DRIVE

HOSTED BY

Holbrook Police Dept.

Aboard the Dana-Farber Cancer Institute/
Brigham and Women's Hospital Blood Mobile at
300 South Franklin St.

Saturday, Jan. 22, 2022

8:00AM - 2:30PM

Appointments: Logon tinyurl.com/HolPolJ2022

Eligibility Questions: Email BloodDonor@partners.org

Appointments recommended. Walk-ins taken as time allows.



As a special thank you,
donors will receive a Kraft
Family Blood Donor Center
Sweatshirt!

*All blood collected benefits patients at
Dana-Farber Cancer Institute and Brigham and Women's Hospital*

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