

John F. Kennedy Elementary School Weekly Update



Friday, December 3, 2021

Important Dates

Mon., December 6
Report Cards Issued

Tues., December 7
HEPG Holiday
Shopping

Grade 5 Band

Wed., December 8
HEPG Holiday
Shopping

Grade 4 Band

School Committee
6:00 HMHS Auditorium

Thurs., December 9
HEPG Holiday
Shopping

Chorus

Parent Teacher
Conferences
5:00-7:00

Thurs., December 10
Early Release

HEPG Holiday
Shopping

Parent Teacher
Conferences
12:30-3:00



[December Lunch
Calendar](#)



John F. Kennedy is using a web-based parent teacher conference sign up for the Winter, 2021 conferences for students in Grades PreK-5. PTCFast.com makes signups as convenient as possible for both parents and teachers. This winter, JFK families have the option to meet with the teacher in person, or via Zoom. You will indicate your preference when signing up, so please read the directions below carefully.

To sign up for a conference time, follow the steps below.

Please enter the following web address into your browser window:

https://ptcfast.com/schools/JFK_Elementary_School_1

After clicking on the link, check the box, or boxes, next to the teachers names you would like to schedule a conference with and click submit.

Fill in your child's first name.

Fill in your child's last name. After typing your child's last name, please type **ZOOM** (if you'd like your conference to be held over the computer) or **LIVE** (if you'd like your conference to be held in person). Example: *Stevens LIVE or Stevens ZOOM*

Fill in the name(s) of the parent/guardian attending.

Fill in your email address.

Click submit.

You will receive an email to the email address you entered. Open the email and click on the link that says click here to select a conference time.

After clicking the link in the email, select the day and time that is available and click confirm selections and exit button. You will receive an email confirmation and reminder. You will also receive a link that you may use if you want to change your appointment later.

Please preview the [conference reminders](#) prior to meeting with your child's teacher.

We look forward to seeing you at conferences next week!

December Event Calendar



Click below to follow
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Holiday Shopping



Tuesday, December 7

Preschool – AM Class & Mrs. Sprague
Grade 3 Students
Grade 5 Students
Ms. Eaton's Class
Ms. Carbone's Class
Ms. Davis' Class
Ms. Garland's Class
Ms. O'Connell's Class

Wednesday, December 8

Preschool – PM Class
Grade 2 Students
Grade 4 Students

Thursday, December 9

Grade K Students
Grade 1 Students

Friday, December 10

Make Up (*Students who were absent or forgot money.*)

Drinking Water Update



As you are likely aware, the water system in Holbrook recently violated a drinking water standard for the sum of six per- and polyfluoroalkyl substances (known as PFAS6). For more information about these six compounds and what this means to residents, [CLICK HERE](#).

At this time, until we receive further information and guidance from the Department of Public Works, all water fountains and water refill stations within the school will be shut off. Students will have access to bottled water on the first floor in the main lobby and on the second floor near the big staircase. The kitchen is also utilizing bottled water for cooking.

Please make sure your child brings a water bottle... or two... to school each day to drink from and refill when necessary.

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>

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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SATURDAY, DEC. 4TH

12-3 PM

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