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ACADEMY NEWS

WAY ACADEMY OF FLINT NEWSLETTER

Is this on your calendar?

Career Day 2022

May 10th,
9am-11:30am



We are fortunate to have a number of professionals from various career fields that will be in our building for our researchers to meet. What a great way to learn more about career options for a fierce post-high school future!

- **All researchers are required** to attend a minimum of 1 hour of this event, but can stay the entire time.
- Bus passes and usual sack lunches will be available.
- **Parents/Guardians are welcome to attend.**

QUICK NOTES

**May 13
District PD
Lab is Closed**

**May 17
Parent-Teacher
Conferences**

**May 30 Holiday
No School**

Words from the Director

From Shelly Smith

I am pleased to announce that 71% of our researchers earned 0.5 credits or more in the month of March. We know that this will not happen in April because of the pause of academics due to the required state testing. However, we continue to be proud of our researchers doing great work!

Our teachers continue to make plans to help researchers earn credit while participating in engaging activities. In May, we have Career Day, a virtual field trip to an aquarium, and an in-person trip to the UM Flint campus. In June, we have Painting with a Twist coming to our campus and there is much more being planned!

None of these extra activities could happen without our tremendously wonderful staff. May is the month set aside to show appreciation to our teachers and staff and I wanted to say that we are thankful to have such a dedicated and hard working staff in our building each day. I am personally blessed with such a wonderful team of extraordinary people!



Now Enrolling NEW Students

WAY Academy Flint is accepting new students for the 2022-23 school year. New students can start our program in August, but the new school year does not begin until **September 6**.

Send this link to your friends:

<https://www.wayacademyflint.net/enroll>

OR call our office, 810-412-8655

MiPHY in MAY

Our school is taking part in the Michigan Profile for Healthy Youth Survey supported by the Michigan Department of Education. The research survey will ask about the health behaviors of **7th, 9th, and 11th grade researchers** this month. Parents/Guardians will be sent a notification letter prior to the survey.

Opening on Wednesdays

Something new: the building will be open from 10 to 3 on Wednesdays for researchers to come in and get assistance from a Flint teacher. This will start May 4 and continue through June.

Spring Performance Series Testing

Researchers took these tests in the fall or winter and will now get an opportunity to show how much they have grown throughout the school year. They will take these tests on their regularly scheduled lab days starting in mid-May. It is important that researchers do their very best on these tests in math and reading. Please encourage your teen to take these assessments seriously.

Looking Ahead

WAY Academy Flint is a year round school; therefore, we have only 1 month for summer break.

June 27-July 21 Summer Break

August 31 Last Day of 2021-22 school year

National Suicide Prevention Hotline
800-784-2433

National Suicide Prevention Lifeline
800-273-8255

In-Person graduation ceremony will be **June 23, 2022**. Researchers who have earned all the required credit by June 1st will be eligible to walk in the ceremony.

