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Petrides Families,

Another great week at Panther Nation!!

Remote Day of School

November 3 – Election Day

NYCPS is requiring all students to attend virtual classes on November 3. This means all students will have a full day of instruction in their virtual classrooms, at home. Please review the **Pivot to Remote Informational** for details of Petrides remote day of instructional plan.

Campus Improvements

The planning and work continue, especially as we improve the flow of traffic on campus. A right-turn lane will be added on Ocean Terrace, onto campus. The work is scheduled to begin after morning arrival and conclude before afternoon dismissal on November 2. This project represents another important step in the collaborative efforts between the Department of Transportation, Division of School Facilities and the Petrides Campus.

Please be reminded at all drivers continue to exercise caution when driving on and around campus. Please adhere to all posted speed limits, follow traffic directions and signage, and always yield to pedestrians. The safety of our students and the entire Petrides community must remain our highest priority.

Campus Roadway Improvement Informational - Right Turn Lane

Here's what is happening this week . . .

MONDAY 11/2
9:00 am - Emergency Drill

TUESDAY 11/3
Election Day – Remote Day of School Pivot to Remote Informational

WEDNESDAY 11/4
Pre K – 4th Grade – Fall Portraits
Petrides College Office presents Application & Financial Aid Process

THURSDAY 11/5
5th – 11th Grade – Fall Portraits

FRIDAY 11/6
MBK Meeting @ IS 2

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LOOKING AHEAD:
November 10 – Wear White to Support - "White Out to Lung Cancer" Awareness Month
November 10 – 2nd Grade Movie Trip
November 11 – Veterans Day – Schools Closed
November 12 – SLT Meeting @ 4:30 pm - B103
November 12 – PTA Meeting @ 6:00 pm - B104
November 13 – Virtual Enterprise Trip *Focus* Winning Futures Leadership
November 16 – K- 4th Grade Report Cards Distributed
November 16 – November 20 – Parent Teacher Conference Week
November 16 – 12th Grade – The Big '27' Picture @ Athletic Field
November 18 - D31 Borough Student Advocacy Council Meeting
November 20 – Half Day of School – 8:00 am – 11:20 am
November 23 – 25 – Petrides Student Government presents Spirit Week
November 23 – Emergency Drill @ 9:00 am
November 23 – Class 422 Museum Trip
November 24 – 2nd Grade Parent Engagement - Friendsgiving w/ Families @ 12:00 pm
November 24 – Class 420 & 421 Museum Trip
November 24 – Pre-Kindergarten Parent Engagement: Paint with Me @ 1:00 pm
November 24 – PTA Sponsored Pies for Panthers
November 25 – Grades 9 – 12 Color Wars
November 25 – End of Marking Period 1
November 26 – Thanksgiving Recess – schools closed
December 2 – College Office Presents Application, FAFSA & Scholarships
December 4 – PTA presents Holiday Fair @ Petrides Library
December 9 – 5th – 12th Grade Report Cards Distributed
December 8 – Student Wellness *focus* Food & Nutrition Tasting @ NYCPS Food Services - Long Island City
December 8 – 12th Grade Cap & Gown Portraits
December 9 – 12th Grade Cap & Gown Portraits
December 9 – Report Card Distribution – Grades 5 – 12
December 11 – Fall Picture Retakes – Pre K – 11 Grade

Important Dates 2026 - 2027

Important Links

Petrides Student and Family Handbook
Cell Phone Policy
Attendance Policy
General Response Protocol - Family Notice
Grade 9- 12 Welcome back Informational
Driving Safely on Campus