



HARMONY SCHOOL OF FINE ARTS AND TECHNOLOGY

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Wednesday Mail
January 25th, 2012

Hello Parents and Students,

For this week's Wednesday Mail, we have the following news:

Last Day to turn in Re-Enrollment Form is Friday, January 27th!

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Progress Reports: Progress Reports for the 3rd Six Weeks of school will be sent home this week with the students. If you have any questions or need a copy of the progress reports, please contact the school at 832-433-7001.

Pep Rally for Middle School Students: There will be a Pep Rally for the middle school students (6th – 8th grade) on Friday, January 27th during 7th period. Parents are invited to attend.

REMINDERS:

2012-2013 Enrollment: As enrollment season has started, we would like to share a couple of reminders with you.

- 1 - The application period for Harmony Public Schools is between January 10 and March 15 for the 2012-2013 school year.
- 2 - All applications prior to January 10, 2012 will be considered for the 2011-2012 school year.
- 3 - Any application received after March 15, 2012 will be placed on the waiting list in the order of the date in which the application is received.
- 4 - The Lottery will be drawn during the last week of March 2012.
- 5 – Selected students will be announced by the end of the 1st week of April 2012.

Please note that any application received is only considered for one school year. If your child is not selected for enrollment, a new application must be submitted for each year.

Harmony Public Schools do not discriminate on the basis of race, religion, color, national origin, sex, or disability in providing educational services, activities, and programs, including vocational and career technology programs, in accordance with Title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, (as amended), Title IX of the Educational Amendments of 1972, and Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 (as amended).



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HSArt's Tardy Policy: The school's tardy policy has been developed to emphasize the importance of each student arriving on time to school every day. When a student is tardy to school, he or she is missing valuable instructional time.

Students should be inside the classroom by 8:00AM. A student arriving after this time must report to the front office and obtain a tardy slip. Tardiness to school will be unexcused, unless the student arrives to campus late for one of the following reasons:

- *Personal Illness
- *Doctor or Court Appointments

For a tardy to be excused, the student must present a note from the parent explaining the late arrival. The school may also require additional documentation such as a court order or a doctor's note.

Excessive tardiness may result in disciplinary actions such as morning detention or school suspensions. For additional information on the school's tardy policy, please see the Student/Parent Handbook.

Thank you for your support with this matter. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact the school.

Scholastic Book Fair: Mark your calendar. We will be hosting a Scholastic Book Fair during the week of January 23rd - 27th in the library. The book fair will be open at the following times:

- 7:30AM - 8:30AM
- During Library Classes
- 3:30PM - 4:30PM
- Extended Hours on Thursday, January 26th: 3:30PM - 6:00PM.

If you would like to volunteer for the book fair, please contact Ms. Baca at mbaca@harmonytx.org. Thank you for your support.

Kindergarten, 5th and 8th Grade Graduation: We will be hosting graduation ceremonies for our Kindergartners, 5th, and 8th Grade students in May.

- Kindergarten Graduation Date: Friday, May 18th at 9AM
- 5th and 8th Grade Graduation Date is Friday, May 18th at 5PM