

Greetings!

Welcome to Week 3, our final week of Smart Start here at Baldwin Hills! Looking forward to an amazing week ahead!

Now for this week's announcements:

1. Back to School Night: Our new school year is underway! Please join us this Tuesday at 5:30! Learn about our instructional program, discover ways to be involved, hear from your child's teacher & more! You don't want to miss this!
  - a. 5:30-6:00: Family Mtg. with Dr. Davis → WEB ID: 989 2504 3238 and PASSCODE: 448486
  - b. 6:00-6:30 Classroom presentations → ZOOM ROOM INFO COMING DIRECTLY FROM YOUR CHILD'S TEACHER
2. Motto Monday Assembly: This community builder is school-wide and starts each Monday at 9am, however we will open the room at 8:50; early arrival is encouraged. **Important note: Bypass Schoology & Go Straight to Zoom App to join us:** Zoom Meeting ID: 862 021 5202 Passcode: motto
3. Smart Start: This week will be the final week with our Smart Start schedule where teachers and scholars engage in community builders, establish routines, as well as meet with families/small groups/individual scholars to address technology needs and to assess scholars to open the year. Our full instructional schedule will commence next week on September 8, which is when we will also close our day with STEAM Enrichment/Scholar Support including engineering, critical thinking with chess instruction, yoga, empowerment groups, and more!
4. Tech Support: Our IDM, Mr. Asturias, is on campus daily, M-F, to support tech issues, 9:00-10:30 and 11:00-1:30. Please give our office a call or simply come up with the technology in hand. Additionally, our website has SEVERAL troubleshooting tips already there; check it out!
5. Lastly looking ahead at calendar:
  - a. Tomorrow, Monday, 8/31: 1:15 Dismissal
  - b. Tuesday, 9/1: Back to School Night @ 5:30
  - c. Thursday, 9/3: GSC & SSC Family Orientation @ 4:30-- Zoom ID: 221 094 6227
  - d. Friday, 9/4 & Monday, 9/7: NO SCHOOL → Admissions Day & Labor Day
  - e. Friday, 9/11: First Friday TGIF Forum

It's important to visit our school's website for continued updates and resources:

<http://www.baldwinhillselementaryschool.com/>

Our main office is open and ready to support you; its office hours are M-F, 9-3.

Email us with any/all concerns: [baldwinhillselementary@gmail.com](mailto:baldwinhillselementary@gmail.com)

And to receive school text alerts, text BHEPUPDATES to 41411!

Please continue to be safe & let's make this a wonderful week!

*Peace,*

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