



The Ambassador



Freedom 7 Elementary School of International Studies
An International Baccalaureate World School

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MESSAGE FROM THE PRINCIPAL

March 1, 2024



Dear families,

Tomorrow is our Freedom 7 International Festival. Our teachers, students, and room moms have been busy preparing exciting learning and action for you to experience at our grade level booths. The food trucks will be rolling in early tomorrow along with the bounce houses and rock wall! Come out and enjoy the event with family and friends and don't forget to stick around for the Cultural Parade and Performances! Parking will be around back in the track area. The front gates will be locked and not available for entry.

UNIFORM REFRESH!

We have noticed many students out of uniform daily, so we are going to do UNIFORM CHECKS for up to 2 days of FREE DRESS prior to Spring Break (see graphic). You can also look at the student handbook for the full uniform policy but here are some noticing's that are **NOT** considered proper uniform:

- **Elastic waist pants/shorts grades 1-6
- Missing belts grades 1-6
- Untucked shirts grades 1-6
- Socks that are not SOLID white or black
- Shoes that are not SOLID white or black
- Excessive costume jewelry
- Boots (mostly girls)
- Hoodies of any kind
- Jackets that are not black or blue on days warmer than 60 degrees

For a class to receive FREE DRESS March 18-20, the WHOLE class must be in uniform during the inspection. This is a school-wide expectation that is communicated regularly. It takes the whole team. Let's pull it together friends!

See you tomorrow RAIN or SHINE!

Kathy Lott



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Freedom 7 Elementary School of International Studies, an International Baccalaureate Primary Years Programme School, provides a quality public education with a rigorous and relevant transdisciplinary curriculum. Students are encouraged to become critical and open-minded thinkers, lifelong learners and compassionate world citizens who respect cultural diversity and take action to better our world.

COMING SOON! FREE DRESS UNIFORM CHECKS

Full school uniform checks will occur prior to Spring Break. Classes will have the opportunity to earn 2 free dress days between March 18-20. The whole class MUST be in uniform for the class to earn FREE DRESS!

- Black or White Socks (ankle to below the knee)
- **Solid** Black or White Shoes- Sneakers for safety- **No Boots**- Lace/soles must match shoe.
- Belts in belt loops- 1st-6th on “uniform” style shorts and pants. **Shorts and pants may NOT be elastic or drawstring. Khaki jeans not included or permitted.**
- Shirts tucked in 1-6
- Black or White leggings or tights are permitted under skirts/shorts
- Navy or Black non-hoodie jackets unless it is under 60 degrees.
- Black, White, Blue or Red hair accessories

Please see the F7 Handbook for full details <https://www.brevardschools.org/domain/11987>

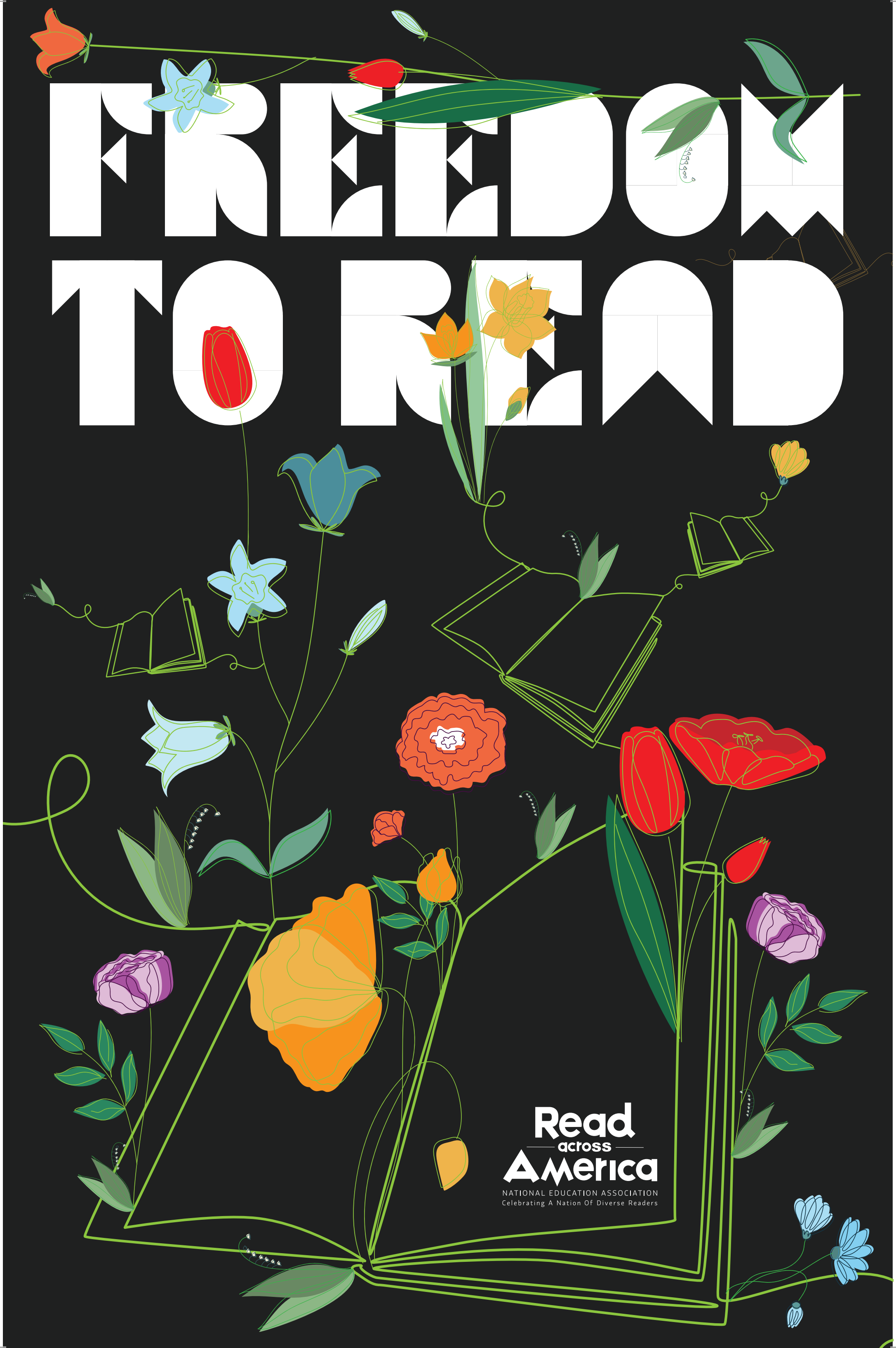
March 2-6 is Read Across America Week! Let's celebrate our Freedom to Read! Check out this link for more information on the importance of reading with your children at home!



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FREEDOM TO READ



Read
— across —
America

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Celebrating A Nation Of Diverse Readers



We'd like your feedback! Please take the Family Survey.

Dear Parent or Guardian,

I am writing to ask for 15 minutes of your time to complete an online survey that will help us improve your child's school. We have asked YouthTruth – a nonprofit organization that supports hundreds of schools and districts across the country – to conduct an anonymous survey on our behalf.

The survey window begins on 2/26/2024 and ends @ midnight on 3/24/2024.

Please take the survey by clicking/ typing the following link into your browser:

[CEP \(surveyresults.org\)](https://surveyresults.org)

Please note:

- The survey needs to be completed in one sitting.
- We ask that one member of each household fill out the survey.
- If you have more than one child who attends the same school, you may respond to the survey multiple times - one time per child.
- If you write any comments, please do not include your name or anything else that might identify you. Your responses are anonymous, and they will be combined with the responses of other parents and guardians before being shared back with school and district leadership.

We sincerely thank you for taking the time to provide your feedback. **Your response is incredibly valuable to us.**

If you have any questions about the survey, or our plans for how we will use your feedback, please contact Lisa Megown, Assistant Principal, at 321-868-6610 or via email @ megown.lisa@brevardschools.org

Sincerely,

Lisa Megown