



The Ambassador



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

Kathryn Lott
Principal

February 24, 2023

Jesse De Leon
Assistant Principal



Principal's Message



Dear families,

It is hard to believe that March is right around the corner. Looking ahead we will enjoy EVEN warmer days of Spring, daylight savings, March Madness, and maybe some MLB. Here at school, we will have:

- Parent Survey- we want to hear from you!
- Field Day- TBD
- 4th Grade Speech Competition
- Our IB Evaluation Visit 😊
- SPRING BREAK 3/13-3/17

Last night, we celebrated our District art and science award winners. Congratulations to all who participated in the event and a BIG ROUND OF APPLAUSE to those who placed in their division. 😊

Welcome back Coach DeTetta!!!

Have a wonderful weekend!

Kathy Lott



DISTRICT SCIENCE AND ENGINEERING FAIR WINNERS

Engineering- Environmental
Anthony N 3rd

Earth and Environmental
Brian Y 2nd

Human Behavioral Science
Sienna W/ Olivia M 2nd

Physics and Astronomy
Keerthi P 2nd

Plant Science
Shanvi P 2nd

Coding
Aadhira G 1st

Robotics and Intelligent
Machines
Ashton R 3rd

Mathematics
Asher H 5th

Best of Show Computer
Science Division
Aadhira G

Lockheed Martin Innovative
Computer Scientist Award
Aadhira G

FAST Promising Scientist
Award
Sahana S

ART AWARDS

5th Grade 3D 2nd Place
Bodhi I

6th Grade 2D 3rd Place
Shanvi P

Merit Awards
Jonah W
Alexander R

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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.



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F E S T I V A L

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 2023

12:30 PM

Maxwell C. King Center for the Performing Arts



Freedom 7 Elementary School of International Studies

400 South 4th Street
Cocoa Beach, FL 32931



February 20, 2023

Freedom 7 Families,

I wanted to take a moment to remind you about the Wireless Communication Devices (cell phone/smartwatch) policy here at Freedom 7 Elementary School. The use of Wireless Communication Devices (WCD) is governed by School Board Policy 5136.

One area of particular concern is the growing use of cell phones and smartwatches during instructional time in the classroom setting. Our goal is and has always been to maximize the learning time for our students and ensure a positive learning environment.

Wireless communication devices have many positive uses. However, in the classroom setting they are an enormous distraction to learning. Multiple research studies cite the negative effects of cell phone use on students, particularly the overuse of social media. We have found that cell phones not only distract students from learning, but also facilitate negative behavior such as:

- Cyberbullying
- Harassment
- Taking photos or videos of students and staff without their permission
- Accessing unapproved websites
- Arranging meetings with friends in the restrooms during class time

Student use of WCDs, including but not limited to cell phones and smartwatches will be strictly prohibited during instructional time on our campus.

My sincere hope is that you have a conversation with your child(ren) about the acceptable time and use of their cell phones and other devices during the school day. Prior to entering campus, students should have their cell phones on silent and stored in their backpacks, out of sight. Students who violate this policy may be subject to disciplinary consequences including confiscation of devices and possible revocation of their cell phone/electronic device privileges on campus.

Please review the district cell policy with your student. The district cell policy can be accessed at: <https://go.boarddocs.com/fl/brevco/Board.nsf/Public#>

In addition, the WCD agreement that was signed at registration can be accessed here: <https://www.brevardschools.org/cms/lib/FL02201431/Centricity/Domain/3231/3%20Cell%20P%20Contract%20English.pdf>

Thank you for your continued support as we work to reduce classroom distractions and provide our students with the best learning environment possible.

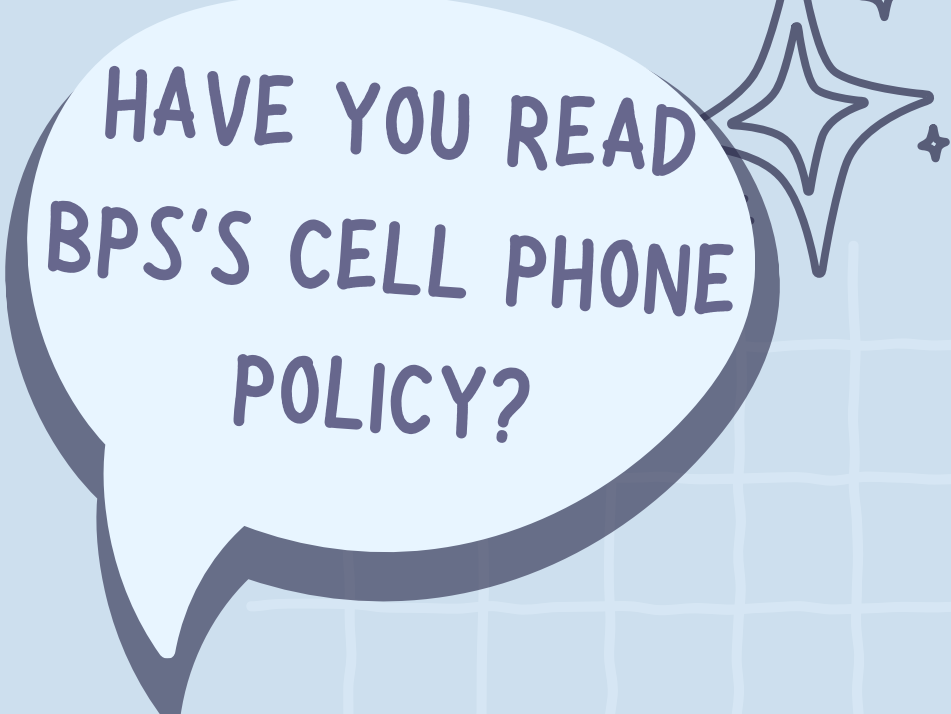
Sincerely,

Kathryn Lott, Principal


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Robert E. Schiller, Ed.D., Interim Superintendent
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HAVE YOU READ
BPS'S CELL PHONE
POLICY?



ALL STUDENTS MUST HAVE A SIGNED BPS
CELL PHONE CONTRACT ON FILE AT SCHOOL.
READ THE BPS CELL PHONE POLICY BY
CLICKING HERE





Smart Snack Menu for classroom parties, special events, and more!

**Order treats for your class to enjoy,
prepared by your school's cafeteria and delivered to the classroom.**

All snacks and party options meet Brevard Public Schools' Student Wellness Policy guidelines corresponding with Smart Snack Guidelines nutrition standards.

These options are available for purchase by parents, PTA/PTO, organizations, teachers, and school-sponsored programs.

Fill out the order form and email it to your school's cafeteria manager.

Forms of payment: Check, Cash.

Please submit your order no later than 10 days prior to the event.

Themed party options serve up to 24 students. Please see order form for pricing on additional servings.

- **Small Cookie Cake; Serves 20** \$10 — The Birthday Child will receive a small cookie cake to share with classmates.
- **Large Cookie Cake; Serves 40** \$18 — The Birthday Child will receive a large cookie cake to share with classmates.
- **Cookies & Milk Party** \$18— Each student gets a chilled milk and one cookie.
 - **Cookie Party Flavors, Choose One:** chocolate chip, sugar, carnival, chocolate chocolate chip
- **Brownie Party** \$18 —Each student receives one brownie.
- **Cupcake Tower** *\$12 — Each student receives one lightly frosted cupcake.
- **Pop! Party** \$12 —Each student receives their very own bag of popcorn to enjoy.
- **Go Bananas! Party** \$18 —Each student can monkey around with a fresh banana and a muffin.
- **Veggie Dipper Party** \$15 —Platter of fresh veggies with light ranch dip for students to enjoy.
- **Fresh Fruit Party** \$15—A basket of fresh fruit is delivered to the classroom for all students to enjoy.
- **Cheese Please Party** \$12 —Students receive baked Cheez-It crackers and a Mozzarella string cheese.
- **Under The Sea Party** \$12 —Students receive a snack pack including Goldfish crackers and reduced fat string cheese.
- **I Scream, You Scream! Party** \$18/\$24 —Beat the heat with a frozen treat! Contact café manager for available options.
- **Rice Krispies Treat Party** \$18—Each student gets a large original or chocolate chip Rice Krispies Treat
- **Yogurt Party** \$18—Each student receives a 4 oz. fat-free yogurt cup served with honey belly bear graham.

* Items may not be available at all schools



Smart Snack Order Form for classroom parties, special events, and more!

Please fill out the order form below and return or email it to your Cafeteria Manager. In order to ensure we have the products you requested, please submit your order no later than 10 days prior to the event.
All payments must be received at time of order

Today's Date: _____

Contact Name: _____

Contact Number: _____

Child's Name/ID#: _____

Child's Teacher: _____

Date/Time of Event: _____

Number of Students: _____

Themed Parties Serve up to 24 students.
 Additional Servings prices below

	Quantity	Extra Serving	Quantity	Total Price
Small Cookie Cake; Serves 20 *	\$10	\$0.25	\$	
Large Cookie Cake; Serves 40 *	\$18	\$0.25	\$	
Cookies & Milk Party *	\$18	\$0.50	\$	
Brownie Party	\$18	\$1.00	\$	
Cupcake Tower	\$12	\$0.50	\$	
Pop! Party	\$12	\$0.75	\$	
Go Bananas!	\$18	\$0.75	\$	
Veggie Dipper Party	\$15	\$0.50	\$	
Fresh Fruit Party	\$15	\$0.50	\$	
Cheese Please party	\$12	\$0.50	\$	
Under The Sea Party	\$12	\$0.50	\$	
I Scream, You Scream! Party **	\$18	\$0.75	\$	
I Scream, You Scream! Party **	\$24	\$1.00	\$	
Rice Krispies Treat Party***	\$18	\$0.75	\$	
Yogurt Party	\$18	\$0.75	\$	

***Cookie flavors
 Choose One
 Chocolate Chip,
 Sugar, Carnival,
 Chocolate Chocolate Chip**

****Please contact your
 Cafeteria Manager for
 Ice Cream Options**

*****Rice Krispies Party
 Choose One
 Original
 Chocolate Chip**

Form of Payment:

Check

Cash

Total price:

\$ _____



CLASS PORTRAITS

Don't miss out on these treasured keepsakes of your child's school year!

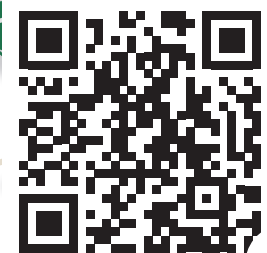
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or 11x14



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