



The Ambassador



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

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Principal's Message



Dear Freedom families,

It was a SILLY afternoon at Freedom 7! Not only did we wrap up FREE DRESS FRIDAYS, we Silly String'd Corporal Kent and a few others! LOL! Seeing the kids express themselves always blows my mind. They look so grown up and nearly unrecognizable! For those waiting for uniform checks... THEY ARE COMING! More free dress ahead!

IMPORTANT! If you have not completed the re-enrollment process, you are LATE! EEEK! Please take a moment THIS weekend to complete the process. Directions for completing re-enrollment is included in this newsletter and on our website!!! This is all part of reserving your seat for the Fall!

Ms. Sandy, a beloved member of our custodial team, has exciting news! She will be the new head custodian within Brevard Public Schools. Please wish her well when you see her on campus next week! Her fun spirit and hard work will be missed!

Have a wonderful weekend!

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.

RE-ENROLLMENT

Re-enrollment for the 2023-2024 school year is to be completed in your child's Focus account. If you have never accessed your account or need assistance, please contact the front office. All students, including current sixth grade students, must re-enroll electronically. Directions are below.

After your application is processed, you will receive an alert message on your Focus portal page. Clicking the link will display the completed form and the approved/denied (if any) fields. Please note, it may be a few days before you receive the message. Thank you for your patience.

- All families **new only** to Brevard that are in a Choice program, must complete a paper packet. If you were in a BPS school last year you will do a re-enrollment application online.
- Sixth grade students must have the re-enrollment information completed and verified by Ms. Carol by June 20, 2023. Any students not enrolled will not be updated in FOCUS for their prospective middle schools.

Parent directions, click [here](#).

Print Directions

Video Directions



New families to Brevard click [here](#) for paper forms.

March is . . .



Click on the images above to learn more about the current

April 3—April 7

Monday — Day 3

Tuesday — Day 4

Wednesday — Day 5

Thursday — Day 6

Friday — No School

Mission

To serve every student with excellence as the standard.

Vision

Brevard Public Schools will serve our community and enhance students' lives by delivering the highest quality education in a culture of dedication, collaboration, & learning.





On Monday, March 27th, a group of our fifth graders competed at the Destination Mars Competition. We are so proud of their diligence, teamwork, and commitment. For this competition, students were divided into two teams (Red Raiders and Superior Supernovas). To prepare, students worked on various missions that required them to develop their research, problem-solving, leadership, and presentation skills.

The missions included:

- LEGO Spike Prime Robot - build and code a robot to complete various obstacles and create a research presentation
- Minecraft - build a Mars base and support with research
- iWear - code an AdaFruit circuit board and use it to create a wearable device to help astronauts maintain homeostasis
- Base Camp Pod - create a 3D base camp pod to help astronauts overcome challenges on Mars
- Reporter - create an iMovie presentation to show the overall engineering process using photos, interviews, and videos

RESULTS

Red Raiders – Overall Points winner
Minecraft – 1st Place
Spike Research Presentation – 2nd Place
Reporter- 1st Place
Base Camp – 2nd Place

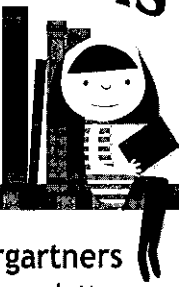
Superior Supernovas – Teamwork Award winners
Spike Research Presentation – 1st Place
iWear – 2nd Place
Reporter – 2nd Place

Amanda Pruneau
GSP Teacher



Summer Reading & Writing Skills

Programs For Every Grade,
From Preschool Through High School



Phonics
Fluency
Comprehension
Love of Reading

Offered through University of Central
Florida, Continuing Education,
in collaboration with the Institute of
Reading Development

Learning to Read Program for 4-Year-Olds and Entering Kindergartners

In this fun summer program, your child will learn to read. Children learn letter recognition, beginning phonics, and easy sight words. Your child will learn to read simple words and short sentences and get excited about books and reading.

Reading Skills Program for Entering 1st Graders

In this fun summer program, your child will learn to read independently. Children learn phonics and sight words and build comprehension skills. Your child will develop a love of books and reading and get off to a great start in first grade.

Reading Skills Program for Entering 2nd Graders

In this fun summer program, your child will become a confident fluent reader. Children build solid phonics and word-attack skills, develop reading fluency, and improve comprehension. Your child will develop a love of books and reading and get off to a great start in second grade.

Reading Skills Program for Entering 3rd Graders

In this fun summer program, your child will become a strong, enthusiastic reader. Children improve reading fluency and develop excellent comprehension. They build long-word decoding skills and expand their vocabulary. Your child will gain confidence, develop a lifelong love of books and reading, and get off to a great start in third grade.

Comprehension
Writing
Textbook Skills
Vocabulary
Reading Speed

Reading and Writing Skills Programs for Entering 4th and 5th Graders

In these fun single-grade programs, your child will become a skilled, confident reader with strong comprehension skills in fiction, nonfiction, and textbooks. Students expand their vocabulary and learn to read more fluently and rapidly. They become better writers who can effectively communicate their ideas. As a result, your child will complete homework more quickly and easily, get better grades, and enjoy reading more.

Reading and Writing Skills Programs for Entering 6th, 7th, 8th, 9th, and 10th Graders

In these single-grade programs, your son or daughter will make substantial gains in comprehension in fiction and nonfiction and learn to read twice as fast. Students expand their vocabulary and learn the best way to take notes. They become stronger writers who can effectively communicate their ideas. As a result, your child will complete homework more quickly and easily, get better grades, and build confidence as a reader.

College Prep Program for Entering 11th, 12th, and College Freshmen

In this program, students learn the skills they need to succeed in high school and college. Your son or daughter will double reading speed and improve comprehension, recall, and focus. Students become stronger writers and learn effective time management and study strategies that help them complete work efficiently, get better grades, and score higher on exams.

Source Code: 100-73-64457



FOR MORE INFORMATION OR TO REGISTER

Call the Institute of Reading Development at

1-800-715-1498

Mon.-Fri. 8am-9pm, Sat. 8am-7pm and Sun. 10am-6pm

Get A Head Start

ASK ABOUT OUR

Summer Programs