September 22, 2021

Good morning New Mission Families,

Happy start to the Fall season! We are steadily moving through the school year, forming routines around returning to in-person learning. Please review this email with our weekly updates and information.

COVID-19 UPDATES

Today! In-person COVID-19 Vaccination Clinic - Partnership with Boston Medical Center

Where: New Mission High School 655 Metropolitan Ave. Hyde Park, MA

When: TODAY - Wednesday, 9/22, 1PM-6PM

How: Students and community members can come to New Mission to receive either the Pfizer or Johnson and Johnson COVID vaccine. It is **FREE**, no insurance is required, and all are welcome regardless of immigration status. Open to ages 12 and up.

Consent Form: English, Spanish, Link to other languages

Please see <u>attached PDF</u> for more information on the two COVID-19 vaccines offered.

Weekly COVID-19 Pool Testing

COVID-19 Testing has begun at New Mission. This past week there was an initial run for the testing, and next week all participating students will be tested. Weekly Covid testing is an important part of the safety plan for our New Mission school community.

We are encouraging all students to be signed up for the weekly testing. Completing the online consent form is the easiest and fastest way to sign up, and you should have received an email from Permission Click to complete this form online. If you need your link from Permission Click sent again, please email Mr. Kareem Cutler at kcutler@bostonpublicschools.org. You are also welcome to complete the paper form at the link below, scan the completed form, and send it to Mr. Cutler at kcutler@bostonpublicschools.org.

Paper Student Consent Forms

Completed forms can be scanned and sent to Kareem Cutler - kcutler@bostonpublicschools.org

#MaskUpNewMission - All students, staff, and individuals who enter the building are required to wear a facemask.

HOMEWORK ACADEMY

New Mission High School holds a homework academy every Tuesday and Thursday from 2:30PM-3:30PM. At Homework Academy, students have the opportunity to get additional academic support from their teachers, who will all be in the building during this time.

City Year Afterschool Tutoring

In addition to Homework Academy, City Year will begin providing homework help afterschool, starting in the month of October, more information forthcoming.

SCHOOL SUPPLIES

We'd like to kindly remind students to bring a water bottle with them to school. Students can fill their water bottles at the designated water bubblers. Having a water bottle with them will eliminate distractions during their lessons.

ATHLETICS

2021 New Mission Girls Soccer Schedule

2021 New Mission Boys Soccer Schedule

2021 New Mission Volleyball Schedule

2021 New Mission Football Schedule

For further information regarding New Mission Athletics please contact Athletic Director Malcolm Smith: msmith8@bostonpublicschools.org

FROM THE DISTRICT

TEEN EMPOWERMENT IS HIRING FOR FALL/SPRING 2021-2022!

Tired of seeing the injustices in our communities? Want your voice heard? Want to make a difference in our community? Have artistic skills you want to use to create change? Apply to become a Youth Artist with T.E. Studios and/or a Youth Organizer! Teen Empowerment Boston is looking for youth from the ages of 14-21, preferably from the Roxbury/Dorchester areas, who are either artists (rappers, singers, dancers, painters, poets, writers, actors, etc) or interested in becoming community organizers. This is a fantastic opportunity to build your artistic skills, leadership skills, your resume, and connect with your peers and community members!

For any questions, email Program Coordinators Nate (<u>nate@teenempowerment.org</u>) or Geo (<u>geo@teenempowerment.org</u>). Apply at the link here by October 4th!

FREE HOMEWORK HELP AT BOSTON PUBLIC LIBRARY

Free Homework Help at BPL

Starting Monday, September 20 Monday - Thursday from 3:30-5:30 pm

Join the Boston Public Library's Homework Assistance Program, both in-person and online. The program is free and drop-in, with no registration required.

Visit www.bpl.org/homework to see where to join in person or get the link to join the HAP Zoom online.

Thank you for supporting your student to be successful at New Mission. Go Titans!

Kind regards,

Will Thomas | Head of School

New Mission High School