

Welcome to Anansi Charter School 2017-18!

The first day of school is just around the corner and we have been gearing up for our upcoming school year!

Dates and To Do's For Anansi Families:

- School Supply shopping! You can handle this two ways:
 - Take your grade level supply list & go shopping! (your supply list was emailed to you already)
 - Place your supply order through the Friends of Anansi Charter School by August 31st (save money & skip the shop), email your order form to maddoxandra@gmail.com (order form was emailed to you with supply list), pay when you pick up on the 14th
- Start to get into the routine for school gradually
 - Get back to an early bed time and early wake up
 - If you haven't been reading this summer there is still time to squeeze in some reading: all students should have 2-4 books this summer for older kids and a book a day for our younger children
- Attend your grade level orientation
 - Check the attachment to see the time for your orientation meeting
 - Please attend and set the tone of collaboration and cooperation with your educational team at Anansi!
 - Orientation will last one hour and takes place on Monday, August 14th
 - Orientation is for parents and students
- Take care of immunizations and Conscientious Objectors Forms before school begins
- Be on time for the first day of school!
 - First Day of School is Tuesday, August 15th
 - School begins at 8:30: be on time!
 - There will be school lunch so be on the lookout for the order form & menu!
 - School ends at 3:30 and after care will be available

What's new?

- The desks, chairs, and coat rack system for the 7th & 8th graders
- Special Education Teacher: Patti Kravitz will be join Ms. Lisa in our special education department
- Title I Math Tutor: Melissa Bullock will be joining us Monday-Thursday to provide instructional support in mathematics for some of our students
- Kindergarten Educational Assistant: Felicity Gallegos Martinez will be teaming up with Ms. Blue in the kindergarten room
- Anansi's new website will go live at the start of August: watch for the link next week
- Ms. Stepho is returning after her maternity leave to head up the after school program, YEAH!
- Occupational Therapist: Deb Schmalbach will be joining our special education team and will see students on Wednesdays

Please look at the attachment to see your time for your orientation to school on August 14th August! Enjoy the rest of your summer and we will see you very soon!

All the best! Ms. Michele, Anansi Director