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September 23, 2022

Good afternoon Edgemont families,

Happy Rosh Hashanah to all those celebrating. Wishing you a happy, healthy and sweet New Year!

Thank you for joining us, and supporting us, during our Peace Parade! Our celebration of **International Day of Peace** was a joyous event, and our students will continue to explore and recognize this time devoted to strengthening the ideals of peace.



Our 4th and 5th grade students will take the **New Jersey Start Strong Assessment** on October 3rd and 4th. As shared by the New Jersey Department of Education, “The Start Strong assessments are intentionally brief, designed to maximize instructional time and quickly provide critical data to teachers and school leaders. These assessments provide schools and districts the flexibility to address students’ unique needs at the beginning of the school year.”

In the spring of 2022, our 3rd, 4th and 5th grade students participated in the **New Jersey Student Learning Assessments** (NJSLA) administration to measure their academic performance in English Language Arts (ELA), Mathematics, and Science as defined in the New Jersey Student Learning Standards (NJSLs). As shared via district email sent to families, “You will find one Individual Student Report (ISR) for each content area in which your student tested in the parent portal in [Genesis](#) under the documents tab. The reports illustrate how your student performed on each test....Your student’s ISRs are also available in the [New Jersey Parent Portal](#). The online portal includes your student’s scale score, level of performance, and a video explanation of the score report.”

We conducted a **Bus Drill** this week. Student safely exited the rear of the bus, followed directions from the bus driver, bus monitor, and Ms. Lepari, and quietly lined-up away from the bus.

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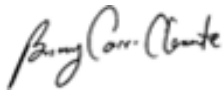
Our building is **peanut and tree nut aware**. Please be mindful of the food you send in with your child for lunch. We understand that this may cause some inconvenience, but hope that each of you will take care when sending in food with your child.

Lunch Menu information can be found here: <https://www.fdmealplanner.com/>

Merchandise can be found here: <https://edgemontessori.memberhub.com/store>

Have a wonderful weekend.

Take care,



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Important Date/Reminders:

Our doors open at ***8:10AM***.
Drop-off takes place between ***8:10AM-8:20AM***.
Dismissal is at ***2:35PM***.

Monday, September 26 & Tuesday, September 27- District Closed

Friday, September 30- PTA Hispanic Heritage Celebration (information attached)

