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Progress Reports

Progress Reports can be found in this week's Friday Folders.

Congratulations to those students on the Honor Roll!

Students will be released at 2:30 p.m. on Monday, November 13th. Please join us that day between 2:30 p.m. and 5:30 p.m. for Student/Parent/Teacher Conferences.



6th Grade Field Trip



Visit to Sweetwater Organic Farm

We will leave tomorrow, November 11th for Sweetwater Farm at 9 a.m. Students should be **dropped off on campus at 8:45 a.m.** Make sure your child eats breakfast and brings a **bag lunch**. Students should wear their Academy Prep P.E. uniform and tennis shoes and are encouraged to bring water and insect repellent. Please **pick-up your student at 1:15 p.m.** – no later than 1:30 p.m. Parents are welcome to join us as chaperones and earn volunteer hours.

Science Fair



Academy Prep will host our annual science fair on Monday, November 20th. This is expected to be quite an event as students have been working tirelessly for months to design and complete their research projects. We will have guest judges from the community and great prizes for participants, including **a trip to the Kennedy Space Center's Space Camp for the first place winner!** We invite our families to come see the wonderful projects and show support for our student body. If you are interested in volunteering for this event, please contact Miss MacKinnon at ext. 129.



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Debate Divas



The Academy Prep Debate Team, Aerial Reese, Dominique Barker, Derecia Timmons, and Queen Williams, will compete in another debate this weekend. Our four 8th grade students, led by their coach, Ms. Spicer, will debate in a large, urban debate league against all middle school teams in Atlanta, Georgia. We are very proud and excited for this amazing opportunity for our debaters.

8th Grade Bake Sale



Tuesday, November 14th, the 8th grade class will host a Bake Sale to raise money for the Academy Prep Recycling Program. The baked goods will be available for purchase during lunch and every item will be priced under \$1. This Bake Sale is the first step in making Academy Prep a more environmentally friendly school.

Important Dates & Activities

Nov 10	Student Progress Reports
Nov 11	6 th grade field trip (Mandatory) (Volunteer Opportunities)
Nov 13	Student/Parent/Teacher Conferences 2:30 – 5:30
Nov 14	8 th Grade Bake Sale
Nov 18	7 th Grade Field Trip
Nov 20	Science Fair (Volunteer Opportunities)
Nov 22-24	Thanksgiving Holiday Break NO SCHOOL

Volunteers Needed!

- ❖ **Study Hall runs Monday through Thursday from 5:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.** If you are free at this time, please join us at least one day a week as a Study Hall monitor.
- ❖ **We have extended lunches on Thursdays and need your help to serve and supervise.** Support from our families is crucial during this time.

Please call Miss Amy MacKinnon at ext. 129 if you'd like to help.