



Thư của Hiệu trưởng Wargad ka socota Maamulaha
 校长的信
From the Principal
 Liham mulla sa Principal
Carta del Director

Dear Families,

To help you stay closely connected to what your child is learning in class, each grade level will be holding a **curriculum night** over the next couple of months. At curriculum night, you will learn about each grade level’s curriculum, how children learn in the language immersion setting (English, Mandarin, Spanish), upcoming class projects, key field trips and the important learning targets for the school year. Then, after each grade-level presentation, you are invited to stay and meet with Mr. Aramaki who will be sharing information about our school’s overall academic achievement, highlights about our school’s programs and supports, what it means to be a Title I School and the supports related to Title I, and ways in which parents can get involved here at BHIS. For our linguistically-diverse families, translation support will be available in Spanish, Tagalog, Cantonese/Toisanese/Mandarin, Vietnamese and Somali.

Curriculum Night Schedule

Grade	Date	6:00 – 6:30	6:30 – 7:00	7:15 – 8:00
1 st	October 12	Meet with your child’s morning teacher in the classroom	Meet with your child’s afternoon teacher in the classroom	Meet with Mr. Aramaki in the library
2 nd	October 11	Meet with your child’s morning teacher in the classroom	Meet with your child’s afternoon teacher in the classroom	Meet with Mr. Aramaki in the library
3 rd	October 11	Meet with your child’s morning teacher in the classroom	Meet with your child’s afternoon teacher in the classroom	Meet with Mr. Aramaki in the library
4 th	October 18		Meet the 4 th grade teachers in the library	Meet with Mr. Aramaki in the library
5 th	October 18	Meet the 5 th grade teachers in the library	5 th Grade teachers will be available in their classrooms during this time for questions	Meet with Mr. Aramaki in the library

* A **Kindergarten Curriculum “Workshop”** will be held after parent-teacher conferences on December 6th from 8:00 – 8:55AM in the K Pod. Translation and childcare will be provided for the Kindergarten Curriculum Workshop.

Sincerely,

Mr. Aramaki – 校長荒牧 - Gg. Aramaki - *Sr. Aramaki*

- **Traffic Alert: Do Not Park Illegally Near School** – Please do not park and leave your car in bus load zones or too close to the intersections. Seattle Police Officers are ticketing cars because these cars are blocking school buses. A couple of trouble spots in particular are: 1) the intersection of S. Hill and 13th, 2) the car load zone on Hill street, and 3) the bus load zone on 14th. Load zones mean you need to stay with your car and wait for your child. You may not park in a load zone and leave your car to come into the building.
- **Welcome Balgüe Primaria Teachers!** Señorita Irma and Señorita Aracelly are here from Nicaragua! Flyers have gone home regarding a school-wide celebration of our sister school teachers at Deception Pass this Saturday from 8:30 – 4:00.
- **Picture Day is This Friday** – Picture day packets have already gone home and should be returned on September 30th or before.
- **Advanced Learning Nomination Forms Now Available in the Office** – If you think your child may qualify for one of Seattle’s gifted programs, nomination forms are available in the office. They are due at the district office by October 6th. Part of the application is a teacher recommendation. Teacher recommendation forms need to be given to the teacher by Thursday, September 29th so that they have time to fill out the recommendation and send it in.
- **Save the Date: Parent/Teacher Conferences** – Conferences will be held on the evening of Nov. 17 and during the day on Nov. 21-23. Please do not schedule vacations during this time as it is the one set-aside time that we have to facilitate formal home-school communication about each child’s academic progress.

Calendar *Calendario* 日历 Kalendaryo **Lich** Taarikhda

9/30	Picture Day! Free Dress Day (students do not have to wear uniforms on this day)
10/11	2 nd / 3 rd Grade Curriculum Night (see news above)
10/12	1 st Grade Curriculum Night (see news above)
10/14	No School – Teacher Professional Development Day
10/18	4 th / 5 th Grade Curriculum Night (see news above)
10/26	2-Hour Early Dismissal (School gets out at 1:00)
11/11	No School – Veteran’s Day

For Translation Support

Para Apoyo en Traducción

對於翻譯支持

Tagasalin ng Wika

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Caawin Tarjumaan

Tagalog – Ms. B @ 252-2682

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