

24 - 25 School Year



Forrestdale Parent Newsletter

Principal's Message

We are excited to offer parents a Virtual Lunch & Learn on January 30th at 12 PM. Ira Hays, LCSW & Director of Center for Wellness, will present a powerful program, "Parenting for a Growth Mindset." He will speak to the research conducted by expert, Dr. David Yeager, PhD, and share strategies from his recent FEAR | LESS Podcast. on how to promote a growth mindset across multiple domains, including: academic, social interactions, athletics, performing arts, and extracurricular activities. To register for this Parent Academy, click here.

Please save the date for our upcoming Drama Club production, "Seussical Jr." on Feb. 27th - March 1st. Families and local businesses are encouraged to honor our cast members or promote their business through placing an ad, sponsorship, or shout-out in our program. Ads can be submitted to

<u>FDdramaclub@rumsonschool.org</u>, and all ads/payment are due by January 31st. Please see the flyer <u>here</u> for more details.

Fondly, Mrs. Gibbons

Class of 2025 Updates

- NEW Order your graduate's rober, using the link <u>here.</u>
- Please review a letter from Ms. Fahy <u>here</u> with important links related to upcoming RFH scheduling deadlines, timelines, and meetings. Also review the following:
 - Placement criteria & waiver process

Community News Spread the word and save the date for the district's Pre-K and Kindergarten

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 Open House! To learn more, review the press releases: <u>Kindergarten & Pre-K.</u>
- **Nurse News** We will be performing state mandated health screenings through our partnership with HMH on 1/28, 1/29, and 1/31 (snow date 2/3). Screenings being conducted on these days are as follows: height (4-8), weight (4-8), vision (4,6,8), hearing (7), biennial scoliosis (5, 7). Please feel free to reach out to the school nurse kmasina@rumsonschool.org or at extension 4318 if you have any questions.

Important Dates

01/15

6:30 PM RFH HS Curriculum Night

01/17

DP Preschool Open House

01/20

School Closed MLK Day

01/22

PTO Meeting

01/24

PTO Dance with Your Dude