



The **PRIDE** Post

YES Prep Northside’s Family Newsletter

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**SURVEY FOR
ONLINE LEARNING
OR IN-PERSON**

The Learning Option Survey is due.
If the survey is not completed,
your student will be defaulted to
in-person learning. Make your
selection in Skyward today.

For assistance, please call the front office at 713-924-0400.

TUESDAY			
A Day			
8:30	8:45	Homeroom	Family Gathering
8:45	9:25	Period 1	Live class (Synchronous)
9:25	10:10		Asynchronous class work time
10:15	11:00	Period 2	Live class (Synchronous)
11:00	11:45		Asynchronous class work time
11:50	12:40	Lunch/Advisory	
12:40	1:25	Period 3	Live class (Synchronous)
1:25	2:10		Asynchronous class work time
2:15	3:00	Period 4	Live class (Synchronous)
3:00	3:45		Asynchronous class work time

MONDAY			
B Day			
8:30	8:45	Homeroom	Family Gathering
8:45	9:25	Period 1	Live class (Synchronous)
9:25	10:10		Asynchronous class work time
10:15	11:00	Period 2	Live class (Synchronous)
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WEDNESDAY			
B Day			
8:30	8:45	Homeroom	Family Gathering
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THURSDAY			
A Day			
8:30	8:45	Homeroom	Family Gathering
8:45	9:25	Period 1	Live class (Synchronous)
9:25	10:10		Asynchronous class work time
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FRIDAY			
B Day			
8:30	8:45	Homeroom	Family Gathering
8:45	9:25	Period 1	Live class (Synchronous)
9:25	10:10		Asynchronous class work time
10:15	11:00	Period 2	Live class (Synchronous)
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Campus Reopening Plans

Based on guidance from local health officials, all YES Prep students will now continue learning online through Sept. 25. For those who choose in-person learning, we are planning a phased-in campus reopening—as conditions permit—starting Monday, September 28, with elementary and a limited number of students in 6th through 12th grades.

This phase-in process will last several weeks until all students have the option to participate in the in-person at-school learning program beginning the week of October 19th.

Reopening Timeline

- Beginning Monday, September 28:
- Elementary students and limited number of students grades 6-12
- Beginning Monday, October 5:
- Students in transitional grades 6, 9 & 12
- Beginning Tuesday, October 20:
- Students in grades 7, 8, 10 & 11



Our full-scale effort to prepare campuses for in-person learning with additional health and safety measures to help keep the virus out of our schools continues. You can see a video of what students can expect if they return to campus here: <https://tinyurl.com/YesPrepReopening>

HISPANIC HERITAGE MONTH

What is Hispanic Heritage Month?

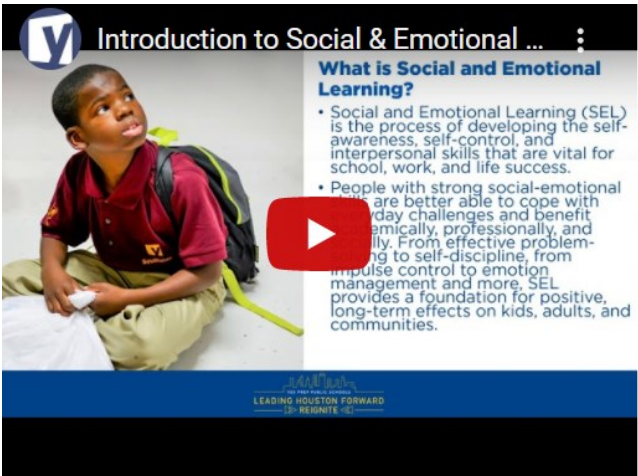
Each year, Americans observe National Hispanic Heritage Month from September 15 to October 15,

by celebrating the histories, cultures and contributions of American citizens whose ancestors came from Spain, Mexico, the Caribbean and Central and South America.

The observation started in 1968 as Hispanic Heritage Week under President Lyndon Johnson and was expanded by President Ronald Reagan in 1988 to cover a 30-day period starting on September 15 and ending on October 15.

The day of September 15 is significant because it is the anniversary of independence for Latin American countries Costa Rica, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras and Nicaragua.

In addition, Mexico and Chile celebrate their independence days on September 16 and September 18, respectively.



Social and Emotional Learning

Introduction

At YES Prep, we believe that it is critical to support your student not only academically, but socially and emotionally. As we navigate virtual school or the option of returning to in-person learning, emotional care will continue to be important as we support one another and our students. Social and Emotional Learning (SEL) is the process of developing self-awareness and interpersonal skills that are vital for school, work, and life success. This year, YES Prep will be providing intentional Social and Emotional programming to all YES Prep students.

Please view our introduction videos to learn more about SEL at YES Prep for the 20-21 school year [here](https://tinyurl.com/SELResourceSite): <https://tinyurl.com/SELResourceSite>. We will also be updating our [Secondary and Elementary SEL resource site](#) for family resources. This week, we have released Secondary family resources on “Understanding Emotions” and Elementary family resources on Sanford and Harmony, our Elementary SEL curriculum. Check them out in our Family Resource Center, under [the Social and Emotional Learning section](#).

Re-Enrollment

Families, please remember to log in to your Skyward account and complete your re-enrollment, if you have not already done so. This year we are switching to a new information system, and we want to ensure that all of your information is correct.

In these uncertain times, it is critical that we have the most current contact information for the guardians as well as all emergency contacts. One thing to remember, in order for your re-enrollment to be approved, you must upload a recent utility bill (water, gas or electric) with your name and new address if you have recently moved, or if you are changing your address in Skyward. Your re-enrollment will be declined without this information.

Thank you for your cooperation with this. If you have any questions, please call the front office at 713-924-0400.

ACE

ACE Clubs have officially started! Be sure to check out this [ACE Parent Orientation Video](#) to see what to expect if your student has joined ACE! Additionally, you should have received an email from the ACE Coordinator regarding your student(s) registering for ACE. We want to ensure we are providing quality family engagement events for everyone to enjoy! Please complete this [ACE Parent Survey](#) and let us know what type of events you would like to see! If you have any questions you can contact Carnetta Griffin at Carnetta.griffin@yesprep.org.

VIDEO: <https://tinyurl.com/NorthsideACEVideo>

Student Technical Support

Having trouble logging into your YES Prep issued device or Microsoft Teams account? If your username and/or password is not working, please complete the YES Prep Student Support: YES Prep Account survey at <https://yespreporg.finalsite.com/covid19/tech-support> which is accessible through any internet browser, smart phone and computer. Your campus operations teams will reach out to you via phone once your password is reset.

1. If you are unable to complete the survey, please call your (713-924-0400) between 8:30 a.m. to 3:45 p.m. Monday through Friday for support.
 2. Having trouble completing assignments, accessing platforms, website, or having computer issues? Reach out to your Homeroom teacher via Microsoft Teams. Your Homeroom teacher will reach out to IT on your behalf and assist you with technical problems.
 3. If you are unable to turn on your computer or have a black screen, please contact your campus front office.
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