# FRANKLIN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

September, 2021

# Welcome to a new year at Franklin

As we begin the 2020-2021 school year classes will be virtual. Check our school website, Instagram (ben\_franklin\_el\_phila) and Facebook (Ben Franklin Elementary, Philadelphia, PA) pages for current information.

Students should check their emails daily. This newsletter and calendar will be used monthly to communicate information. You will be asked by teachers to join their Class Dojo and PBIS Rewards app during the school year.

Please continue to update your phone number, address and emergency contacts with your child's homeroom teacher.

#### **Important Dates**

- September 14 Back to School4:00 to 6:00pm
- School District Calendar 2021-2022
- No school on: 6th. 7th and 16th
- Early dismissal on: 29th

## **Updates**

- \*Parent and Student Handbook
- \*Franklin Family Calendar
- \*Parent and Family Portal- register to look at grades, attendance and more
- \*Welcome to our new staff members

#### **PBIS Information**

Attend school daily. We are looking for 100% attendance for the month of September.

Parents can download the PBIS Rewards app to see the number of points their child has to participate in our incentives.

Students with 95% attendance or higher (less than 7 days of absence) will be able to attend Franklin Fun Day in May. Additional information will be in the forthcoming.



### **Parent Resources**

School district Health and Mental Health Resources

Laptop distribution locations are open Monday to Friday 9am to 2pm: Education Center 440 N. Broad Street Fitzpatrick Annex 4101 Chalfont Drive Martin Luther King HS 6100 Stenton Ave.

## **Uniforms**

As the weather is colder, students are reminded to continue to wear the proper uniform. Students in grades K to 6 should wear light blue shirts and navy pants or skirts. Students in grades 7 and 8 should wear red shirts and navy pants or skirts. Sweaters should be worn as the weather changes.