

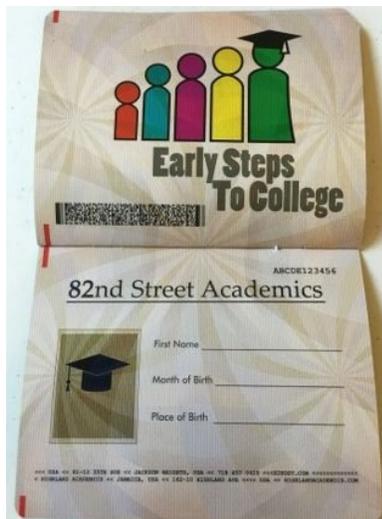
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April Newsletter

Find below all the information related to our activities for students and informative documents for our educators and other staff.

Schoolwide News



20th Anniversary Legacy Night:

We are proud to announce 20th Anniversary Legacy Night; on **May 17th, 2023** we are going to honor our students' hard work and engagement, and respects parents' commitments to make it happen. Every year, we celebrate the milestones of our school community with awards, legacy passports, dancers, and the sacred flame of knowledge.

If you want to be part of the staff for this incredible night, please contact your Program Director to know how to participate.

News Alert - Public Service Loan Forgiveness:

The federal government is providing another opportunity for federal student loan borrowers to get closer to student loan forgiveness through the PSLF program. [Click here](#) for more information and links to the informative webinars.



The Renaissance Charter School 2



International Women's Month:

Students learned about influential women who greatly impacted society such as Frida Kahlo and Amelia Earhart. Amelia Earhart was the first female aviator to fly solo across the Atlantic ocean. Students created their own planes.

Frida Kahlo was a Mexican painter known for her many portraits and works inspired by the artifacts of Mexico itself.

St Patricks Day:

Students learned closely about St Patricks day. They got crafty and created their good luck rainbows.

Science Experiments week:

Students had fun as they got to learn about certain science concepts such as density and capillary action. We had the chance to make predictions for sink or float experiments and our rainbow walking water experiments.

Early Childhood



This month our 3K and 4K Community of Learners created a theme in each Dramatic Play Area for Interactive Peer Visits. Every Classroom with the 3K and 4K programs had the opportunity to visit neighboring classrooms and interact with the teaching staff and students to learn about “The Ocean”, “Laundromat”, “Library”, “82nd Street Train Station”, “Rock and Roll Hall of Fame”, “Space Station”, “The Science of Making Bubbles”, “Airports” and “82nd Street’s Bus Stop!”. This experience parallels our core value of “Delighted Students!”

Afterschool PS280Q



Last month, here at P.S. 280, students took part in Women's History Month, in which they participated in a lot of learning activities. This month we will be learning about Earth Day. Every year on April 22nd, people all around the world celebrate Earth Day in recognition of the environmental movement and to call attention to the need of preserving our planet's natural resources for future generations.

Our Kindergarten and 1st grade class will play a recycling game in which we will provide them with different wastes and they will create boxes for which each waste pertains to. The students must put each waste into their correct box. Our 5th grade class will be planting a wild flower seed and watching it grow into a beautiful plant for Earth Day.

P.S. 280 82nd Street Academics is giving a big welcome to our newest member, Ms. Leslie Aguaiza, who is the 5th grade assistant coach. Ever since she was young, she wanted to help children. She currently goes to school at Hunter College, where she is pursuing her bachelor's degree in human biology, which she hopes to use to become a pediatrician in the future.

The Renaissance Charter School



On April 5th, at The Renaissance Charter School we had a half day. Students enjoyed a scavenger hunt with riddles that lead them to a treasure box and an ice cream voucher!

Over Spring break, 8th and 9th graders had the opportunity to join us on an overnight trip to Yale university. Our students participated in a scavenger hunt on campus and our 9th graders won! Students were able to explore the campus, speak to students on campus and learn more about Yale.

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This month at 8110 students participated during TGIF week. During spring break students were able to engage in different activities such as STEM, Art, Dance and many more. Furthermore, students were able to go to the Bronx Zoo, where they learned about different animals. At the end of the trip students took a picture home as a memory from the trip, which reflects our brand promise “Experiences that last a lifetime.”
