



Howard Burnham Elementary August/September Newsletter

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Principal's Message

A new school year is upon us! I am looking forward to another amazing year with our students. Thank you for all the support you provide our students and school. We welcome all our new families and staff.

We continue to build on the excellence of our school. Our students will master new concepts, learn new skills, excel in sports and become good citizens. The tradition of excellence will continue.

Thank you for your support of the new Uniform Policy. We had very few students who needed reminders of the Uniform Policy. If you need assistance, please let us know.

Be sure to communicate with your child's teacher via Class Dojo. Communication is key to their success.

We are here for you and your child. Please let us know if you need anything.

It is going to be a great year.

Martha Franco,

Principal

Assistant Principal's message

Dear Parents,

Regular attendance is essential for students as early as PreK. Please ensure that your students maintain a great attendance record. This will help them be successful not only in elementary school but also in middle school and high school. If they must miss, please email Mr. Duarte at bduarte@burnhamwood.org.

If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to call the school.

Mr. Ramiro Esparza, HBE Assistant Principal

Important Dates in September

September 1 Early Dismissal

September 4 Labor Day Holiday

September 10 Grandparents' Day

September 15 End of 1st Six Weeks

September 22 Early Dismissal, Parent/Teacher Conferences, report cards issued

Important Announcements

Our new uniform policy is posted on our website. Please remember that students must wear uniform shirts with the Howard Burnham logo and khaki bottoms only. You can pick up order forms at the front office.

Great news! All students will receive free breakfast and lunch this year. Please ensure you fill out the lunch application online.

Please sign up for Parent Portal if you haven't yet. Contact the front office to receive your student's code to register.

School News

Tutoring has begun for Math and Reading from Kinder through 5th grade.

Saturday school tutoring will start Sept. 30th. It is very important that your child attends if they get selected.

Music classes after school started last week. We are offering piano and violin this year. Mr. Ramos, our new music teacher, also provides general music to all students twice a week.