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## **Second Floor Scoop**

## LaProgram.org

STUDENTS (CONTINUED)

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LaGuardia's AP Fair

All interested ninth, tenth, and eleventh grade students are invited to LaGuardia's AP Fair on Wednesday, March 28, in the

seventh-floor cafeteria. Students will have the chance to learn about the opportunities and challenges presented by our school's AP courses, speak with current AP students and teachers, review course offerings, and ask questions.



**AP Brochure Available Online** The AP Brochure is now available online at LaProgram.org. Prospective AP students

should visit the Program Office site to review next school year.

## 2012 AP Exam Schedule

Week 1	Morning 8 a.m.	Afternoon 12 noon		
Monday, May 7	Chemistry Environmental Science			
Tuesday, May 8	Spanish Language	Art History		
Wednesday, May 9	Calculus AB Calculus BC	Chinese Language and Culture		
Thursday, May 10	English Literature and Composition	Japanese Language and Culture		
Friday, May 11	United States History			
Week 2	Morning 8 a.m.	Afternoon 12 noon		
Monday, May 14	Biology Music Theory			
Tuesday, May 15		French Language and Culture		
Wednesday, May 16	English Language and Composition	Statistics		
Thursday, May 17	World History	Italian Language and Culture		

## NYC Studio Comprehensive Tests

New York City comprehensive examinations for studios will take place on Thursday, June 14, from 1:15 p.m. until 4:15 p.m.



#### Student Surveys

All LaGuardia students were asked to complete the New York City Student Survey. The feedback provided is used by the school leadership to improve our schools.

#### Tutoring in the Library

LaGuardia makes available to students expert tutors: our own teachers! Take advantage of the chance to get valuable

one-on-one instruction from a LaGuardia educator in English, math, science, social studies, or foreign language. Meet with tutors in the Library during Advanced Placement course offerings for the any lunch period. No appointment is necessary.

## AP Fair Student Representatives Sought

Any AP student may complete this form and return it to his or her AP teacher or Room 261. Current AP teachers are asked to bring a list of students who can represent their AP classes at the AP Fair to Ms. van Keulen in Room 261.

Student Name: AP Class to Represent: AP Teacher: Periods the Student Can Volunteer:

If you have any questions regarding information on this page, please call Ms. van Keulen, AP of Data and Technology, at (212) 496-0700 X 2261.

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#### TEACHERS **Open School Night Approaches!**

Teachers will meet with parents to discuss student performance on Thursday, March 29, from 5:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. and on

Friday, March 30, from 1:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m. On Friday, March 30, classes will be held periods 1,2,3, 9, and 10.



DonorsChoose.org Update

Congratulations to Ms. Washburn, whose project was funded on DonorsChoose! Ms. Washburn will be receiving over \$750 worth of books!

Would you like to start using DonorsChoose but don't have a picture of your students? Parent teacher conferences is a good time to get those permission slips signed! Consider asking the students helping you with your sign in sheets to get the parents to sign the permission slips.

Here is a link to the permission slip form: http://www.donorschoose.org/docs/permission\_slip. pdf

Current grants available on DonorsChoose follow:

- Motorola for STEM (science, technology,
- engineering and mathematics) projects Skype for technology (connected to the Internet) projects
- Townsend Press for projects to combat bullying
- Cuties California Mandarins for healthy lifestyle projects
- Tony and Nanar Yoseloff for financial literacy
- Pricewaterhouse Coopers for diversity, civil rights



## Locking Classroom Doors

Thank you for complying with the school mandate that a teacher lock the classroom door at the end of a period if the room will subsequently be unoccupied.



## .aProgram.org TEACHERS

Letting LaG Know Before You Go Whenever a teacher will be out of the building, whether he or she plans to attend a meeting or go on a school trip, that indi-

vidual must e-mail Ms. Nieves at mnieves5@schools.nyc.gov. The teacher should include the following in the message:

- his or her destination
- the date and time of departure
- the length of time he or she will be out of the building

## Thank you.

## The Digital Dispatch

This is the first of a series of reports about ways our IT staff is aiding students and teachers at LaGuardia. The list below is a brief overview of some of the work done over the past two weeks.

The technical support staff aided members of our school community in the following ways: They cleared paper jams, set up wi-fi access, fixed Internet issues, addressed problems with specific computers, set up printers, helped with headsets, replaced printer toner, and more.

#### PARENTS



Please Complete Parent Surveys by Thursday, April 5.

School surveys for parents, students, and teachers are due by Thursday, April 5. Parents and teachers should call the Survey Hotline at 1-800-690-8603 if they have lost survey materials.

The feedback provided by parents of LaGuardia students will help the Department of Education to improve schools. The survey closes on Thursday, April 5. Thank you.

## **Regents Examination Schedule** June 2012

June 13 WEDNESDAY	June 14 THURSDAY	June 15 FRIDAY	June 18* MONDAY	June 19 TUESDAY	June 20 WEDNESDAY	June 21 THURSDAY	June 22 FRIDAY
9:15 a.m.	9:15 a.m.	9:15 a.m.	9:15 a.m.	9:15 a.m.	9:15 a.m.	9:15 a.m.	
RE in Global History & Geography	RE in U.S. History & Government	Comprehensive English		Living Environment	Geometry		Rating Day
1:15 p.m.	1:15 p.m.	1:15 p.m.	1:15 p.m.	1:15 p.m.	1:15 p.m.	Uniform Admission Deadlines Morning Examinations 10:00 a.m. Afternoon Examinations 2:00 p.m.	
Physical Setting/Physics	Integrated Algebra Arts Regents	Physical Setting/ Earth Science		Algebra 2/ Trigonometry	Physical Setting/ Chemistry		