

Good Evening Rosemont Families,

We hope you had a relaxing weekend. This week's RES Community Connection features several important messages.

### **CALENDAR UPDATES**

**Monday, March 25- Monday, April 1- SPRING BREAK** (students return to school on Tuesday, April 2)

### **INTERNATIONAL NIGHT FEEDBACK FORM**

Thank you, Rosemont families, for joining us at International Night! We appreciate your hard work and creativity in creating the cultural displays. To make next year even better, please take a moment to fill out this feedback form: <https://forms.gle/Mh3DwkD7ZuXi7CwKA>

### **RAMADAN AT ROSEMONT**

As many of you may know, Muslims around the world observe Ramadan. Ramadan is a month of fasting, which is one of the five pillars of Islam. During the times of fasting Muslims abstain from food and drink (even water) from dawn to dusk. This year, Ramadan is from March 10 through April 9. To support our students at Rosemont observing fasting during Ramadan, The Equity & Multicultural Committee will provide an alternative space for students to engage in activities during their lunch period. In addition, staff will avoid food centric class activities, reduce high intensity physical activities, offer time and space for prayer, create a culturally inclusive classroom and keep an eye out on students that may need emotional support.

### **2024-25 KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION**

If you know of any child that will be 5 by September 1, register them for kindergarten beginning Monday, March 18! Parents can register through phone, the MCPS registration website ([click here](#)) or call the school if you prefer paper forms. Make sure your rising kindergarten is registered now!

### **2024-25 CHANGE OF SCHOOL ASSIGNMENT (COSA)**

The Change of School Assignment (COSA) process allows families to submit a request for their children to transfer out of their assigned home school. All COSA requests must be submitted no later than Tuesday, April 2, 2024. COSA requests submitted after April 2, 2024 will only be accepted if the student is a new resident of Montgomery County or there is an emergency event that could not have been foreseen prior to April 2, 2024. Information on the COSA process, including two different ways to submit a request, can be found on this web page:

<https://www.montgomeryschoolsmd.org/info/transfers/> Please direct any questions to the Division of Pupil Personnel and Attendance Services at 240-740-5620

### **MCPS PARENT/GUARDIAN CLIMATE SURVEY**

WE WANT TO HEAR FROM YOU! Share your input with Montgomery County Public Schools (MCPS)! Your opinions and experiences matter to us, and this survey is a valuable opportunity for you to share your insights and contribute to the ongoing improvement of our school district. All parents are encouraged to complete the survey! [CLICK HERE](#) to complete! Survey open until March 15.

This concludes the weekly Rosemont Community Connection. Thank you and have a nice evening.