


# Herbert A. Ammons Middle School International Baccalaureate MYP

## APRIL 2024



SU	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SA	
	<p>1 Even -Monday Tutoring 8:35-8:55 AM</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Assistant Principal Appreciation Week</b></p>	<p>2 <b>Odd</b> <b>B.E.S.T. Writing Test</b> -Faculty Mtg.</p> <div style="text-align: center;">  <p>2 April <b>World AUTISM Awareness Day</b> <i>It's Okay to be Different</i></p> </div>	<p>3 <b>Odd</b> <b>B.E.S.T. Writing Test</b> -AMEGA Rm 1135, 4-5 PM -Robotics Rm 1143, 4-5 PM -Chess Club Rm 1110, 4-5 PM -Triple A Club Rm 1119, 4-5 PM -YANA Club MC, 4-5 PM -IB Wed <b>IB Portfolio Submission</b> <b>PTSA Snack Sale</b></p>	<p>4 <b>Even</b> -First Priority MC, 4-5 PM -NJHS Rm 1219, 4-5 PM</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>IB Portfolio submission</b></p>	<p>5 <b>Even</b> <b>6<sup>th</sup> Grade FT to Sea World</b> Be at school at 5:00 AM</p> <p>- Club/ Team T-shirt Day</p> <p>-Curriculum Council Rm 1108</p>	6	
7	<p>8 <b>Odd</b> -Monday Tutoring 8:35-8:55 AM -Drama Club Rm 1104, 4-5 PM -PTSA Board Mtg.</p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; margin-top: 10px;"> <p>4/08 Pick up invitation Fathers in Education Day 8:50 AM, Front of main office, Ms. Perlman</p> </div> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Drama Snack Sale</b></p>	<p>9 <b>Even</b> <b>End of 3<sup>rd</sup> Grading Period; second semester</b> -FEA Club Rm 1226, 8:30-9 AM -Yearbook Rm 1208, 4-5 PM -Science Club Rm 1219, 4-5 PM</p>	<p>10 <b>Teacher Planning Day</b> No school for students</p>	<p>11 <b>Odd</b> <b>Beginning of 4<sup>th</sup> grading period; second semester</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;">-Book Club Rm 1215 4-5 PM</p>	<p>12 <b>Even</b> <b>Spirit Day \$1</b></p> <p><b>8<sup>th</sup> Grade Dance Tonight!</b> <b>7:00 PM @ The Berry Farm</b> Students must be present at school today. No sign outs will be permitted before 1:00pm. -Team Mtg.</p>	13	
14	<p>15 <b>Odd</b> -Monday Tutoring 8:35-8:55 AM -Stressopedia Rm 1118, 4-5 PM</p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; margin-top: 10px;"> <p>Take your child to work day FT Form Distribution 1<sup>st</sup> Period</p> </div> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Drama Snack Sale</b></p>	<p>16 <b>Even</b>  STEM Speaker-Guajardo</p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; margin-top: 10px; text-align: center;"> <p><b>Fathers in Action and Advocacy Week</b></p> </div>	<p>17 <b>Odd</b> <b>"Purple Up Wednesday"</b> Wear purple to support military families <b>Fathers in Education Day</b> <b>9:30 AM to 10: 30 AM</b> <b>Cafeteria</b> -Robotics Rm 1143, 4-5 PM -Art Club Rm 1118, 4-5 PM -French Club Rm 1232, 4-5 PM -Scribble Rm 1117, 4-5 PM -CP Planning -Reading Dpt. Mtg. STEM Speaker - Guajardo <b>PTSA Snack Sale</b></p>	<p>18 <b>Even</b> <b>Spring Pictures</b> Only for students dressed in casual clothing. <u>No uniforms.</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">-First Priority MC, 4-5 PM -Exhaling Eagles RM 1104, 4-5 PM</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Spanish Club Bake Sale</b></p>	<p>19 <b>Odd</b> - Club/ Team T-shirt Day -Dept. Mtg</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Principal's Coffee</b> <b>9:30 AM @ Media Center</b></p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; margin-top: 10px; text-align: center;"> <p>Last Day to turn in Take your child to work day FT Form</p> </div> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Athletics Pop Sale</b></p>	20	
21	<p>22 <b>Even</b> -Monday Tutoring 8:35-8:55 AM -Drama Club Rm 1104, 4-5 PM</p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; margin-top: 10px; text-align: center;"> <p><b>Teacher Appreciation Week</b></p> </div> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Drama Snack Sale</b></p>	<p>23 <b>Odd</b> -FEA Club Rm 1226, 4-5 PM -Yearbook Rm 1208, 4-5 PM -Science Club Rm 1219, 4-5 PM -Spanish Club Rm 1202, 4-5 PM</p>	<p>24 <b>Even</b> <b>8<sup>th</sup> Grade EOY FT Parent Mtg</b> <b>6:00 PM @ Cafe</b> -AMEGA Rm 1135, 4-5 PM -Robotics Rm 1143, 4-5 PM -Chess Club Rm 1110, 4-5 PM -Triple A Club Rm 1119, 4-5 PM -YANA Club MC, 4-5 PM -UTD Mtg. <b>Drama Snack Sale</b> <b>Administrative Professional Day</b></p>	<p>25 <b>Odd</b> <b>"Inspire to Aspire"</b> <b>National Take your child to work day</b></p>	<p>26 <b>Even</b> <b>Spirit Day \$1</b></p> <p>-IB Team Mtg.</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Drama Banquet</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>PTSA Double Pop Friday</b></p>	27	
28	<p>29 <b>Odd</b> -Monday Tutoring 8:35-8:55 AM -Stressopedia Rm 1118, -PTSA Board Mtg.</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Report Card Distribution</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Drama Snack Sale</b></p>	<p>30 <b>Even</b> <b>PTSA General Mtg</b> <b>6:00 PM @ Cafeteria</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Yearbook, IB Ambassador &amp; Student Mentor FT</b></p> <p>-Faculty Mtg. -EESAC</p>	<p><b>IB Learner Profile: Reflective</b> <b>Values Matters: Honesty</b> <b>April is designated as Month of the Military Child.</b> This special recognition was established to honor the important role children play in contributing to the strength of military families. Wearing purple is a visible way to show support. "PURPLE UP" Wednesday, April 17<sup>th</sup> <b>6<sup>th</sup> Grade FT to Sea World - Friday, April 5<sup>th</sup></b> <b>8<sup>th</sup> Grade Dance - Friday, April 12<sup>th</sup></b></p>				

## Flight of the Eagle

April 2024

Maria Costa, Principal

### IB LEARNER PROFILE OF THE MONTH

### REFLECTIVE

#### IB Learners strive to be *Reflective*

- We thoughtfully consider the world and our own ideas and experiences.
- We work to understand our strengths and weaknesses in order to support our learning and personal development.

*"Without reflection, we go blindly on our way creating more unintended consequences, and failing to achieve anything useful."*

Margaret J. Wheatley

The VALUES MATTER Characteristic for the month is  
**HONESTY**

### Report Cards

Report cards for the third nine-week grading period will be distributed on April 29<sup>th</sup>. Please review your child's report card carefully and contact your child's teacher, counselor, or team leader if you have questions.

### Student Progression Plan

Any student who fails a core course or ends with a "D" for the year will be removed from the Magnet program at Ammons and will be required to return to their home school for the coming school year. Any student who earns one "D" during the 9 weeks in any course will be placed on probation. As a reminder, students must maintain a 2.0 GPA in all classes and conduct to remain in good standing at Ammons. Please review your child's performance in the third grading period. Counselors have been meeting with students and discussing strategies to support children at this important time.

### Required Immunizations 2024-2025-Urgent Review – Parents of Current 6<sup>th</sup> Graders

Next year's 7<sup>th</sup> graders must be in compliance with State of Florida immunization requirements—specifically the TD Booster. Questions should be directed to the Registrar, Rosi Abella, at (305) 971-0158, ext. 4504. Failure to turn in immunization forms in a timely manner will result in non-enrollment and excluded until those requirements are met. This means students will not be able to attend classes the first week of school or until the child is in compliance.

### Fathers in Education Day

Calling all dads and father figures to join us on April 17<sup>th</sup> from 9:30AM to 10:30AM for our "Breakfast with Dads" activity. This activity is by invitation only. Invitations will be given out by Ms. Perlman on Monday, April 8<sup>th</sup> at 8:50 am, in front of the main office. Your child must RSVP with their grade level counselor.

### 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Dinner Dance

Students attending the 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Dinner Dance must be present at school the day of the event. No sign outs will be permitted before 1:00pm.

### End of the Year Fieldtrip Requirements

Student MUST have no lower than a C2B in all classes to remain eligible for all end of year trips. Grades will be checked for the 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> 9 weeks before students pay; however, if students' grades drop below the required minimum for the 3<sup>rd</sup> 9-weeks he or she will be removed and NO REFUNDS will be available. In addition, any student receiving an administrative referral or administrative detention will not be permitted to participate in the activity – and will forfeit any money paid for the activity and/or field trip.