

# Public School 154

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Dear Parent/Guardian,

Happy New Year and Welcome Back! We hope everyone had a wonderful and exciting winter break!

Now that we are officially in the second half of the school year, time is going by so fast. Our staff is excited about the educational challenges that lie ahead of us and know you will continue to assist us in our efforts to make our school the best it can possibly be. We are excited about the many opportunities that we have planned for the remaining school year. All of us are committed to working collaboratively with parents for the benefit of children to ensure that all children receive the educational experiences they deserve.

**PARENT WORKSHOP** – We will continue to highlight our STEM curriculum during the month of January. Families are invited to join us again for some hands on learning fun. After the classroom visits, everyone is invited to a workshop on Coding. Come learn how you can use the skill of coding to classify or identify something. Coding is most popular in computer programming and in video games such as Mind Craft. Please join us for our January **FIRST FRIDAY** on Friday, January 4<sup>th</sup> to learn more about this.

**JANUARY REPORT CARDS** will be distributed to students in grades K – 5 on Tuesday, January 15<sup>th</sup>. The January Report Cards will inform you on how your child is progressing towards grade level standards and reflect the academic growth your child has made since September. I encourage you to reach out to child's teacher have a more in depth discussion about your child. Teachers are also available during parent engagement time (Tuesdays, from 2:30 – 3:00 pm) to meet with parents.

**P.S. 154 FAMILY NIGHT EVENT** will take place on Thursday, January 17<sup>th</sup> from 6:00-7:30pm. STEAM Night at P.S. 154! We will be hosting a STEAM Fair (Science, Technology, Engineering, Art and Mathematics). Join us for a night of fun where students and parents can practice their (STEAM) skills by participating in fun and creative activities. This is a free event so please come out and join us for a night of fun.

## **IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER**

NO SCHOOL – Tuesday, January 1<sup>st</sup> and Monday, January 21<sup>st</sup>

GR.3 CASA PROGRAM BEGINS – Thursday, January 10<sup>th</sup>

REPORT CARD DISTRIBUTION – Tuesday, January 15<sup>th</sup>

Sincerely,

*Pamela Gathers-Bullard*

Principal