

ACE NEWS

ACE Newsletter | October 2020

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Bring a Jacket

Fall and winter weather in Northern Virginia can be unpredictable! Please send your child to school with a weather appropriate jacket every day starting October 1st as students play outside daily.

ACE Blog

Keep an eye out every month for NEW blogs to find out what we've been doing and what is yet to come! Check them out online at www.myschoolace.com.



Fall Days

It has been a great year so far at the Academy! Students (and staff) are doing well in the routine of a fresh new year.

We have been thrilled to see our students and staff adapt so positively to some of the new and exciting changes that have been implemented this year! Our elementary students are doing a great job changing from class to class and our new teachers are getting settled. It has been a great adventure! We are looking forward to continuing on such a great track throughout the rest of this awesome school year!

ACE Buddy Program

We have many new students at ACE this year. To help students and parents with the transition to a new school, ACE has implemented the ACE Buddy Program. While we don't have the typical in-person opportunities to get to know one another, our hope is that the ACE Buddy Program will be a way to help you connect and build community this fall.

Returning parents are available to answer questions, provide homework tips, and be a resource for all things ACE! If your family is new to ACE and would like to be a part of this program, please reach out to us and we will have you paired with a returning family.

School Uniforms

We are aware that many families had difficulty purchasing and receiving uniform pieces in time for the start of the school year. ACE staff has therefore made allowances for uniform infractions this past month. Going forward however, we expect that all students are dressed according to ACE's uniform guidelines. We love to see our students proudly showing off their school colors and school name!

Contact Us

Upcoming Events

October 1

Students need to bring jackets to school daily starting today

October 2

Interims go home as needed

October 12

Columbus Day Holiday - No School

October 13- October 20

Register for 2nd Quarter Homebound Learning

October 28

End of 1st Quarter
Parents Schedule Conferences Online

October 30

Casual Day (*students may wear modest casual clothing to school - no costumes please*)

October 30

Report cards go home

November 2-3

Parent/Teacher Conferences
(*Parents Only Please*)
No School for Students

November 6

Picture Retake Day

November 20

Casual Day and American Harvest Festival

November 23-27

Thanksgiving Holiday - NO SCHOOL



Picture Retake Day

Picture retakes will take place at ACE on November 6th. Girls retaking their school pictures should wear the ACE uniform jumper with a white, Peter Pan collared shirt. Boys should wear the ACE polo shirt and pants. Students needing picture retakes should bring their packet of original school pictures with them to school on November 6th.



Math Kangaroo

ACE is offering the opportunity for your child to participate in the 2021 Math Kangaroo Competition! Math Kangaroo is an international mathematics test that 25,000 students participate in annually in the US alone.

The Math Kangaroo Test will take place on Thursday, March 18, 2021 from 4:00-6:00 p.m.

The test is open to all elementary students at a cost of \$35 per student. Ace will provide practice tests included with the \$35 registration fee.

You can register your elementary student online by November 20, 2020 to participate in Math Kangaroo 2021.

Hot Food

Mark your calendar for second quarter hot food sign ups—coming soon! Hot lunches are available several days of the week from a number of popular vendors. Registration and payment for hot food orders are done in advance before the start of each quarter. You will be notified by email when these sign-ups go live on the ACE website.