BridgePrep Academy South Charter School

welcomes you to our 2016-2017 Orientation

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Rest of Year

- Students who are dropped off before 8:30am must go to designated waiting area and wait for homeroom teacher.
- Grades K-2 students wait in Room 200.
- Grades 3 -5 students wait in Room 203.





- Breakfast runs from 7:45 a.m. to 8:00 am in the PLC.
- •Students who wish to have breakfast at school must arrive between 7:45 a.m. to 8:00 a.m. All other students report to their designated arrival area.
- •Fees- can pay on school store online
 - \$1.25 regular
 - \$.30 reduced lunch



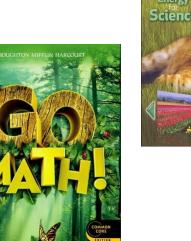
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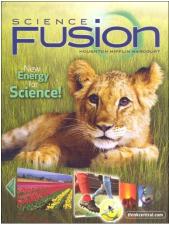


Language Arts / Reading – Wonders Reading Series, Storyworks,

Novel Studies

- Mathematics GO Math Common Core
- Science Fusion/Pearson
- Social Studies Harcourt
- Special Areas PE, Music, Art, Spanish
 Florida Standards!





Behavior Management Plan

School-Wide	Individual Management Plan (correlated to BULLDOG PBS plan)	
What does it mean to be a BULLDOG? Brilliant Understanding Loyal Learner Determined Optimistic Genuine	Class Dojo Class Rules	
How can you earn BULLDOG Bucks?		
Redeem BULLDOG Bucks at our school store or during events.		

Grading Policy



Click here for the Parent Portal!

Academic grades are to reflect the student's academic progress. The grade must provide for both students and parents a clear indication of each student's academic performance as compared with norms that would be appropriate for the grade or subject.

1 st – 8 th Grades	Numerical Value	Verbal Interpretation	Grade Point Value
А	90 – 100%	Outstanding progress	4
В	80 – 89%	Above average progress	3
C	70 – 79%	Average Progress	2
D	60 – 69%	Lowest acceptable progress	1
F	0 – 59%	Failure	0

Home Learning Policy

	Grade Level	Frequency of Assignments	Total Daily Average (All Subjects)	
	K – 1 st grade	Daily	45 minutes	
	2 nd – 3 rd grade	Daily	60 minutes	
	4 th – 8 th grade	Daily	75 minutes	
All Grades		Daily	Reading for 30 minutes in addition	
	All Grades		to above time.	

- 1. Students are responsible for recording and completing all Home Learning Assignments independently. Parents may provide assistance, but students must complete the work on their own.
- 2. Home Learning Assignments should be done in a quiet place with good lighting and minimal disturbances.
- 3. If there is a problem in understanding how to complete Home Learning Assignments, students are to do the very best job possible. If a student does not understand the assignment(s), they are encouraged to bring it in the next day and ask the teacher for assistance. In this case, the homework should be completed that evening along with the regular Home Learning Assignments.
- 4. If a student is having difficulty in managing their time for homework, ask the teacher for assistance with homework time management

General Procedures

- **Attendance Policy**
 - excused vs. unexcused
 - Tardies- After 15 tardies, an administrative meetings will be held.
- Lunch Procedures
 - Can pay online at school store- \$2.75 regular/ \$.40 reduced
- Arrival / Dismissal Please use car decals.
- Conferences / How to contact me
- ACT- Assistance for Classroom Teacher Fund
- Volunteer Hour Requirement- PAVE
- Field Trips
- Uniform Policy

General Procedures

- St. Paul before and after care program
 (see Ms. Kathy at church office in room 10)
- After school activities:
 - Cheerleading
 - Sports Seasonal
 - Ballet
 - Martial Arts
 - Clubs
 - And much more!







How to be a school volunteer?

- * Anyone that will come in contact with a BridgePrep student <u>MUST</u> register as a volunteer.
- * Register on the MDCPS website as a school volunteer
- * Registration is required **yearly** to be able to:
 - * Attend field trips with BridgePrep
 - Volunteer at school events
 - * Chaperone any BridgePrep Function
- * The value of BridgePrep volunteers cannot be measured!





- In order to volunteer or view your child's grades you must create a Parent Portal Account on the M-DCPS website.
- Parent Pin numbers will be issued by the main office.
 Please bring identification for verification.
- Please visit the <u>www.dadeschools.net</u> website for detailed instructions on how to create a <u>parent portal</u> account.





- Parents who have a Parent Portal Account from a previous year must log on to the Portal <u>after the first day of school</u> to renew their account for the current school year.
- If you forgot your username or password, click on "forgot username/password" on the <u>parent portal login page</u> and the information will be sent to the email associated with your account.
- For questions regarding this process, please see Thelma Soltis in the front office.





- Several fundraising opportunities will be available throughout the school year.
- These funds are essential to maintain continuous improvements in our school.
- We are confident that our BridgePrep family will continue to support our school through participation in these events.
- Volunteer Hours are awarded for participation in school events.



- BridgePrep students will be recognized for various accomplishments in the areas of Academics and Character Development.
- BridgePrep students have the opportunity to be recognized for the following accomplishments:
 - Principal's Honor Roll
 - Honor Roll
 - Citizenship
 - Perfect Attendance
 - Participation in clubs and activities sponsored by BridgePrep Academy
 - And much more!

Our School Website and App

Parents are recommended to sign up for the school website.

The following information will be posted on our School's Website :

- Monthly Calendar
- Lunch Menu
- School events, activities and fundraisers
- Educational Links
- Teacher Class Websites
- School Store- pay for field trips, lunch, etc.

Our Class Website

Our <u>class website</u> is updated weekly and will include:

- Weekly learning objectives
- Home learning assignments
- Assessment dates
- Field Trip and Event information
- Educational Links
- Classroom Wish list



Classroom Wish List

- Glade Plug-ins
- Chart Paper- Self Stick Easel Pad (Plain with no lines)
- Ink- HP Laser Jet P2055dn
- ■Laminating Pouches- Scotch[™] Thermal Laminating
- Pouches, 8.9" x 11.4"
- Donations to TPT
- *Students MUST have:
- -2 binders with dividers (1 for all subjects and 1 for ELA)
- -headphones

