



CHARTER SCHOOLS

Building Lifelong Learners

December Amber Family

Town Hall

12.15.20



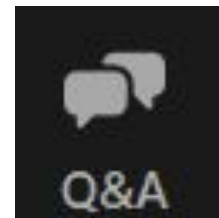
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Important Information

Zoom Housekeeping



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Your audio will be turned off, so if you would like to ask the speaker a question click on the Q&A button at the bottom of your screen. Click on “Ask a Question” then type in your question. Questions will be read and answered at the end of the presentation.

Agenda

1. Thank You for Double Good Popcorn Fundraising Efforts
2. Hybrid Learning Return Decision
3. Go Guardian Introduction
4. Engaging your child in learning over the holiday break
5. Q and A

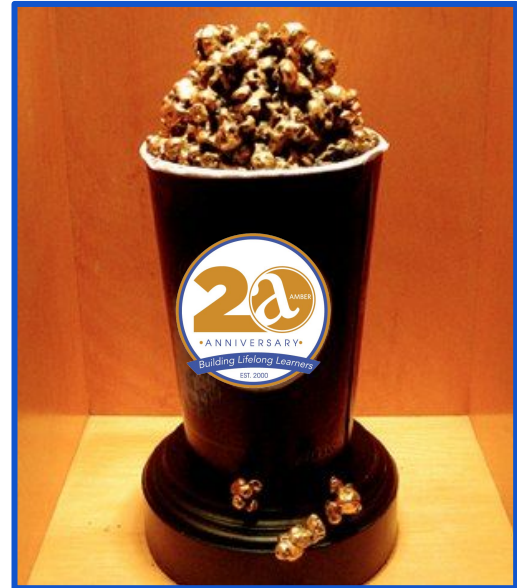
Double Good Popcorn Fundraiser

EH Parents raised: \$ 5,114

KB Parents raised: \$ 6,719

ACS Board raised: \$ 4,441

TOTAL raised: \$16,274



Apply Today!

www.ambercharter.org

- Kindergarten Birthday Cut-Off is December 31st
- Eligible Grades: K – 6
- April 1st is the last day to apply
- Lottery is Wednesday, April 6th
- District 4, 6, & 10 Students get two chances in the lottery
- Siblings of students enrolled in the school will have a preference



**NOW ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS FOR
THE 2021 – 2022 SCHOOL YEAR!**

Application Deadline April 1st, 2021



Delay Hybrid Launch

- **Citywide infection rate @ 5%**
 - ACS closure trigger is 3% infection rate
 - Expected infection rate will rise in coming weeks
- **Infection Rate in EH: 4.76%** 12/4/20
- **Infection Rate in KB: 6.02%** 12/4/20

Current status in Full Remote Learning

- **Average Attendance in high 90s**
- **Parent Satisfaction with remote learning**
 - **EH: 83%**
 - **KB: 83%**

Goal is for a March hybrid reopening

- **Phased in hybrid model**
- **A town hall for families who have opted into in-person learning will take place prior to the launch**

Go Guardian: Classroom Management for the 21st century

- ★ Concerns regarding how to use platforms
- ★ Youngest students struggling with navigating multiple tabs
- ★ Ensure on-screen means on-task



Go Guardian: Classroom Management for the 21st century

- ★ School-issued devices only (Still awaiting more Chromebooks)
- ★ No need to login
- ★ Roll-out will begin this month with 6 classes
- ★ Full school roll-out in January



Winter Recess

- ★ VERY Different winter recess for you and us
- ★ In lieu of packets, teachers will be sending home digital suggestions
- ★ Include activity ideas and learning
- ★ This weeks Family Guidance will have links to resources.
- ★ Read 15-20 minutes a day, please! Raz Kids is always there!
- ★ Want to push more? i-Ready is available

Winter Experiences

- ★ Rockefeller Center in-person or virtual (Free)
- ★ Skating in Bryant Park (Paid)
- ★ Origami Tree at American Museum of Natural History (Free for IDNYC members. Reservation required)
- ★ Holiday Train Show at the NY Botanical Gardens (Paid)
- ★ Holiday Lights at the Bronx Zoo (Paid)
- ★ Hanukkah Family Day virtual
- ★ Other virtual events
- ★ Holiday recipes



