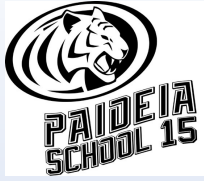
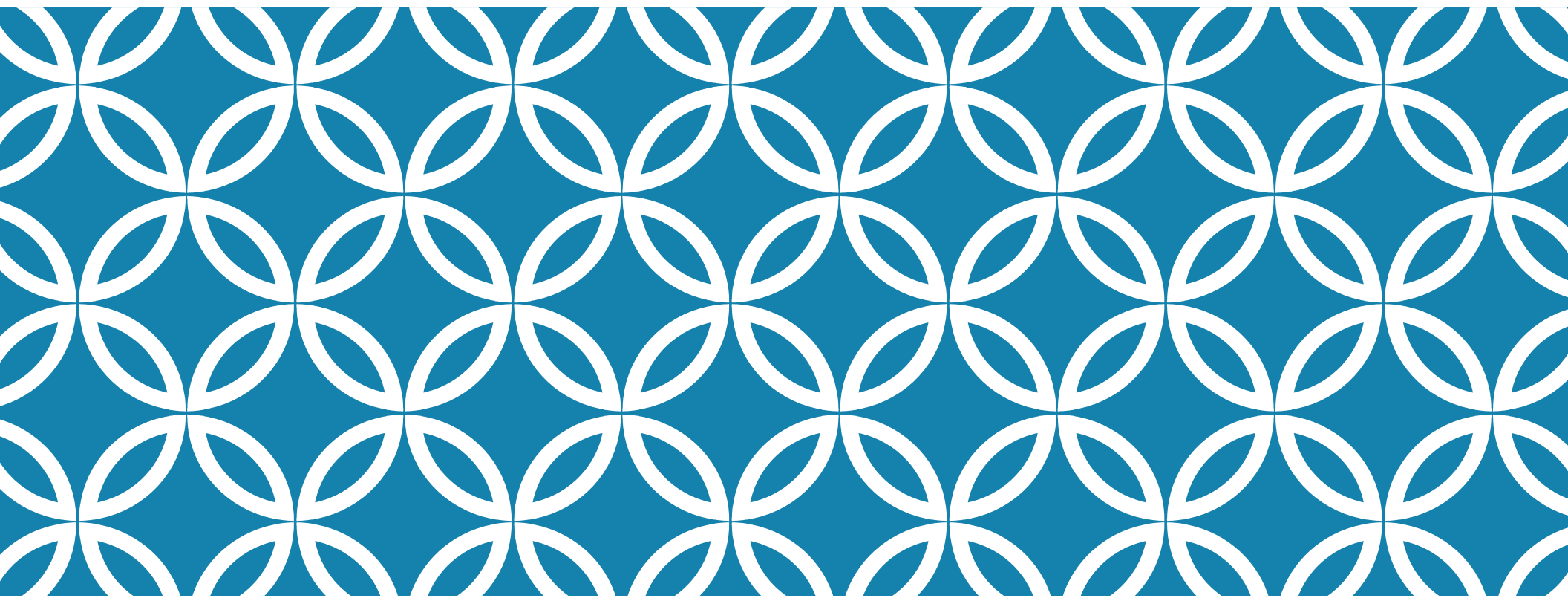


**Paideia School 15 PTA  
General Association Meeting  
Tuesday, March 15, 2022  
7:00 PM**



# Nominating Committee

We need two volunteers for the Nominating committee. If you are Interested put your name in the chat. 1<sup>st</sup> two in chat will be on the committee.



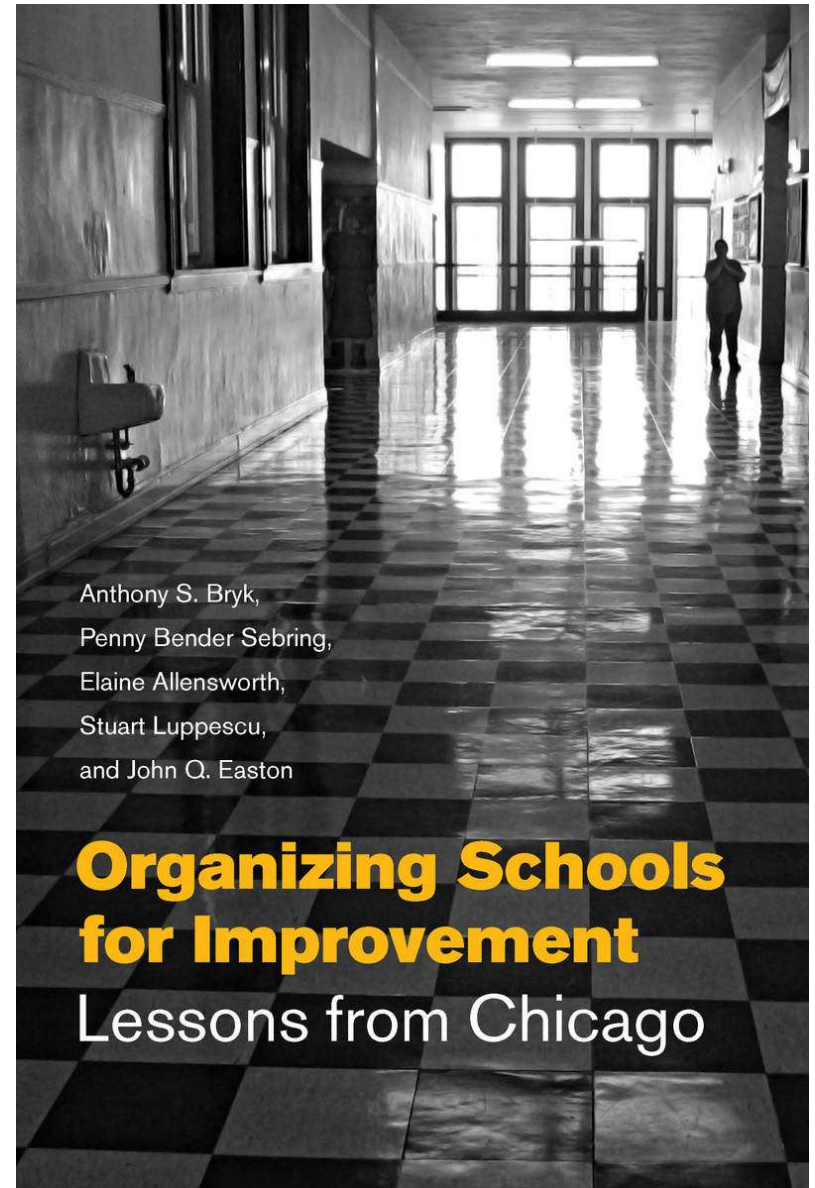
# 5Es CLIMATE SURVEY

Spring 2022 Administration

# RATIONALE

5Essentials: a comprehensive, evidence-based system designed to drive improvement in schools.

Schools strong in at least three of five essential components are ten times more likely to improve student performance than schools weak in at least three of them.



# The 5Essentials Framework

The 5Essentials Framework is based on over 20 years of research from The University of Chicago Consortium on School Research. The Framework outlines the **5Essential factors** that research revealed are necessary for driving sustainable school improvement: Effective Leaders, Collaborative Teachers, Ambitious Instruction, Supportive Environment, and Involved Families.

## Research Shows

Schools strong on at least three of the five essentials were **10x more likely** to show substantial gains in student learning over time than schools weak on three or more of the five essentials. A persistent weakness in even **just one of the essential factors** reduced the likelihood of improvement **to less than 10%**.

Further, 5Essentials Measures (see the next page to learn more about the Measures) are positively related to a variety of outcomes, including:



Attendance



Test Score  
Gains



Freshman  
OnTrack



Graduation  
Rates

## The Characteristics of a School Considered Strong in the 5Essentials

### Effective Leaders

Principals and teachers work together to implement a shared vision for sustained improvement. Leaders practice shared leadership, set ambitious goals for quality instruction, maintain trusting and respectful relationships, and support professional advancement for faculty and staff.

### Collaborative Teachers

All teachers collaborate to promote professional growth; are active partners in school improvement. Teachers are committed to the school and focused on professional development.

### Ambitious Instruction

Classes are challenging and engaging. The instruction is clear, well-structured, aligned across grade levels, and encourages students to build and apply knowledge. When combined with a Supportive Environment, Ambitious Instruction has the most direct effect on student learning.

### Supportive Environment

The school is safe, demanding, and supportive. Students feel safe in and around the school and they find teachers trust-worthy and responsive to their academic needs. Students value hard work and teachers push all students toward high academic performance.

### Involved Families

The entire school staff builds strong relationships with parents/guardians and are seen as partners in helping students learn. Parent/guardian input and participation is valued in advancing the school's mission.

# BASIC INFO

- Window: March 15 – April 8
- Who:
  - All parent/guardians
  - Students in grades 4-12
  - All teachers
- Results available: Week of May 16

# RESPONSE RATES

Note: Instructional aides taking the survey should choose “assistant teacher/instructional aide” as their role. If they choose “aide” they will not be able to complete the survey.

We need at least 50% response rates to receive valid results.

To increase your response rate, either:

- Encourage more respondents to take the survey (p. 6), or
- Remove any students/teachers that should not be on your rosters (p.10):

The reasons to delete a student from a school roster are:	The reasons to delete a teacher from the roster are:
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• No longer enrolled at the school</li><li>• Unable to engage in the survey due to learning capacity</li><li>• ELL/non-Spanish speaking</li><li>• Parental opt-out</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• No longer employed at the school.</li><li>• Nurse, Security, Lunch Room or Front Office Staff, Principal/Director, Superintendent, Dean or Clerk, or non-instructional aides.</li><li>• Leave of absence.</li></ul>

# WHICH WEBSITE DO I NEED?

There are 3 websites related to the 5Essentials Survey:

1. The Administrative Dashboard – survey coordinators and administrators use this to verify rosters and monitor response rates during the survey window:  
<https://survey.5-essentials.org/yonkers/home/>
2. The Survey Website – students, teachers, and families go here to take the survey:  
[survey.5-essentials.org/yonkers](https://survey.5-essentials.org/yonkers)
3. The Results Website – survey coordinators and administrators view results here:  
<https://www.5-essentials.org/>

# STUDENT ADMINISTRATION

To complete the student survey, please instruct students to:

- ☐ Visit: [survey.5-essentials.org/yonkers](https://survey.5-essentials.org/yonkers) and select Student Survey.
- ☐ Enter student ID and birthdate.
- ☐ Select the necessary language to complete the survey (English or Spanish).
- ☐ Answer all applicable questions.
- ☐ Click **Submit Survey**.

# PARENT ADMINISTRATION

To complete the parent survey, please instruct parents to:

- ☐ Visit [survey.5-essentials.org/yonkers](https://survey.5-essentials.org/yonkers) and select Parent Survey.
- ☐ Select the necessary language to complete the survey (English or Spanish).
- ☐ Enter requested demographic information.
- ☐ Advance to survey questions.
- ☐ Answer all applicable questions.
- ☐ Click **Submit Survey**.

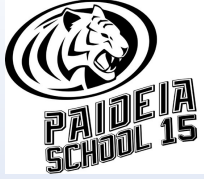
# TIPS FOR INCREASING PARENT RESPONSE RATES

## **What can you do before survey administration?**

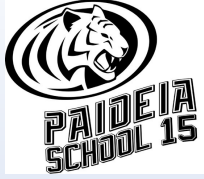
- Build strong relationships with families
- Assemble a team
- Review, use, and share the results

## **What can you do during survey administration?**

- Host online events
- Provide technical support
- Make it fun
- Follow-up



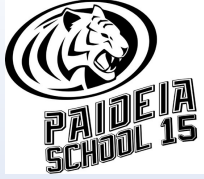
# Harbor Lights Presentation



# PTA MEMBER BUSINESS



- Adoption of Minutes  
December 8, 2021
- Budget  
March 2022 Budget

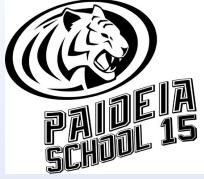


# Bylaw Renewal



## Bylaws

(There were no changes made to  
The bylaws.)

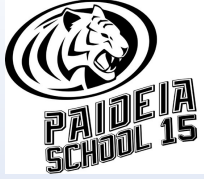


# Book Fairs



Scholastic Book Fairs will be held in the school library.

- 5-9 to 5-13



# Spring Events



- Adult Paint Night – March 24 7PM Rory Dolans
  - Last night to purchase tomorrow March 16.
- April Fools Day Dance – Friday, April 1 (School Gym)
- Big and Small Ball – April 22 (Dunwoodie)
- Movie Night – June 3 (June 10 Rain Date)
  - Movie Night will be held at Paideia School 15 in the back of the school outside.

# PAIDEIA 15 SPIRIT DAYS

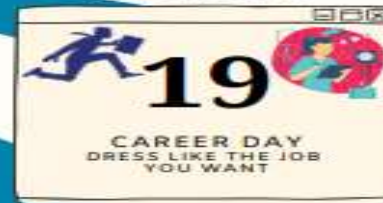
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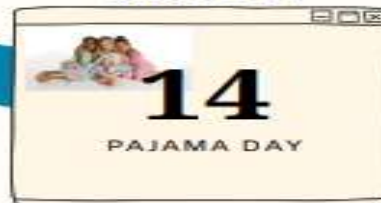
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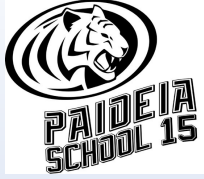


MAY '22



JUNE '22

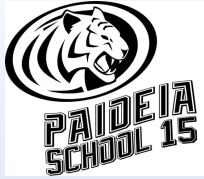




# PTA GENERAL ASSOCIATION MEETINGS



- May (Date TBD) – Elections



Thank You!

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