



STEM Family News

April 1– April 7, 2019

Inspirational Quote of the Week— “On a mission, your worst enemy is idle time.” – **Nipsey Hussle**

Instructional Focus of the Week:

4th Marking Period Begins This Week: *Don't be an 'April Fool'! Help your child start 4th Marking Period off on the right foot! Have you logged into the online Home Access Center to review grades lately? Is your child struggling in any courses? Do they have missing work that can be turned in late? Have you spoken to teachers to learn about your child's behavior in class? These are important questions that you want to have answers to before the year comes to a close.*

Academic Updates:

- **Mandatory Retention Meetings** with STEM Parents begin this week!
- Monday, April 1st = **4th Marking Period Begins Today!**
- Tuesday, April 2nd = **DCCC Fall Placement Testing (9:00-11:00) Rm #206**
- Wednesday, April 3rd = **12th Grade NOCTI Testing (9:00-12:00 & 12:00-2:30) Rm #213**
- Thursday, April 4th = **12th Grade NOCTI Testing (9:00-12:00 & 12:00-2:30) Rm #213**
- **Senior Check-In Meeting in Auditorium:** Friday, April 5th @ 1:30 rescheduled from Monday, April 1st
- **CHS & STEM High School Transition Fair (8th Grade Only):** Tuesday, April 9th from 10:00-11:30 @ CHS (8th Grade teachers must attend the High School Fair with your classes)
- Thursday, April 11th = **April STEM Symposium (Book Talk) & Class Check-In (8:00-11:00)**
Guest Speaker = Kareem L Williams: Motivational Speaker and Author of "STEP ASIDE"
- **Senior Service Project & Skating Event:** Friday, April 12th

Parent and Community News: *Below are upcoming events happening at STEM you should be aware of:*

- **New STEM Applications** for the 2019-2020 academic year will open on **April 1st, 2019**. Be on the lookout for details on our website for how to complete the new online application!
- If your Son/Daughter is interested in joining the **Angel's Rise** Student Cohort, please have them pick up an application from the front desk to sign up!
- Saturday, April 6th = **CUSD Job Fair (8:00-4:00) CHS Library** - For anyone looking to teach in the Chester Upland School District!
- Monday, April 8th = **Science Symposium @ Riddle Hospital (7:00 pm)**
- **CHS & STEM Job Fair (for Select Seniors Only):** Tuesday, April 9th from 9:00-11:00 @ CHS Library
- **PSSA Information Night & Prospective Student Open House:** Wednesday, April 10th from 6:00-8:00 @ STEM (**For Middle School Families across the CUSD**)

This week's sporting events: *Below are this week's upcoming sporting events you should be aware of:*

Monday, April 1st – MS Boys & Girls Track - Penn Relay Trials (Away @ 3:30)

Thursday, April 4th – Varsity Boys Baseball vs. Penn Wood (Away Game @ 3:30)

Saturday, April 6th – Boys Track Meet – Diamond State Relays @ Middletown, DE (Pick Up @ 7:00 am)