

THE WALTER H. CROWLEY
SCHOOL OF LEADERSHIP AT I.S. 5

Welcome! ¡Bienvenidos!

At I.S. 5 We Talk Like Scholars,
Write Like Experts,
Think Like Innovators, and
Live Like Leaders



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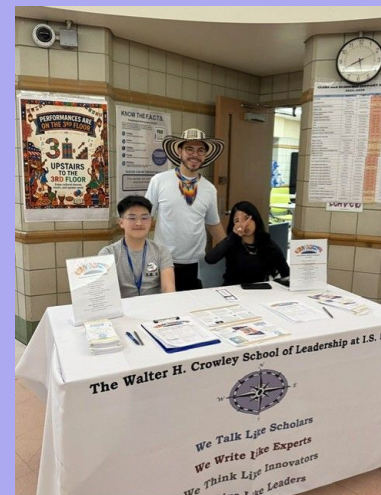
We are VERY excited to have you as part of our school community!

Middle school years can be the best years - and we are eager to be part of your story!





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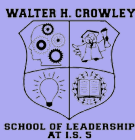


At I.S. 5, our school motto and mission are aligned to our school communities! We have different communities to create a “family-feel” in a large school environment. Students tend to remain within that same community throughout their time at I.S. 5 and build strong relationships with Community Teams and their classmates.





The Walter H. Crowley School of Leadership at I.S. 5



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Providing your child a dynamic middle school experience that supports the whole child!

Cultivating Imagination

Connecting & Collaborating

Creating & Innovating



The I.S. 5 Core Values

★ Respect:

- RESPECT means treating others the way we want to be treated.

★ Integrity:

- INTEGRITY means doing the right thing, even when nobody's watching.

★ Empathy:

- EMPATHY is all about understanding and valuing the feelings of others.

★ Connection:

- CONNECTION means *taking* the time to get to know each other, which builds a strong foundation and fosters inclusivity and equity.

★ Accountability:

- ACCOUNTABILITY means taking responsibility for our actions and their consequences to create a safe and inclusive space where everyone feels respected and valued.



Los valores fundamentales de I.S. 5

★ Respeto:

- El respeto significa tratar a los demás como queremos ser tratados.

★ Integridad:

- La integridad significa hacer lo correcto, incluso cuando nadie está mirando.

★ Empatía:

- La empatía consiste en comprender y valorar los sentimientos de los demás.

★ Conexión:

- La CONEXIÓN implica dedicar tiempo a conocerse mutuamente, lo cual construye una base sólida y fomenta la inclusión y la equidad.

★ Responsabilidad:

- La rendición de cuentas implica asumir la responsabilidad de nuestras acciones y sus consecuencias para crear un espacio seguro e inclusivo donde todas las personas se sientan respetadas y valoradas.





What To Expect On Your First Day!



Your first day at I.S. 5 will be a **BUSY** one! There will be information shared, forms to complete, meetings to attend and teachers to meet!

In homeroom class, attendance is taken, and you'll be given forms to bring home to be reviewed and completed by your parents:

- Emergency Cards
- Media Release Forms
- I.S. 5 Cell Phone Policy
- Technology Agreement
- September I.S. 5 Calendar

During your first day of school, you will have another tour of the building so you can get acquainted with your new school!



OFFICIAL SCHOOL SUPPLY LIST				
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JUNE 2026



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31	1 National Junior Honor Society Ceremony @ 6 PM	2 Coffee & Conversation in Person @ 8:30 AM National Junior Honor Society Ceremony @ 6 PM	3	4 No School for Students	5 No School for Students	6
7	8	9 Band and Orchestra Concert in Person @ 4:15 PM	10 Classes of 2026 TYP	11 IBL 15th Anniversary @ 2 PM Parent Association Meeting @ 5:30 PM (Guests Invited)	12	13
14	15 Learning Alliance Supporting our way and families. In-person and virtual @ 6 PM	16	17	18	19 School Closed June 19th	20
21	22	23 Classes of 2026 Graduation at Queens College @ 9 AM	24	25	26 Last day of School	27
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 6:15 Virtual Title I & PTA Meeting @ 5 PM
 6:15 Virtual Learning Alliance Parent Workshop @ 6:00 PM
 6:25 Last day of School

DON'T FORGET

IS 5 Families:
 Please make sure your NYC Schools Account is up to date and we have all of the accurate information! Important reminders go out and we want to make

¡Qué esperar en tu primer día!

¡Tu primer día en I.S. 5 será muy ajetreado! Recibirás información, tendrás formularios que completar, reuniones a las que asistir y maestros a quienes conocer.

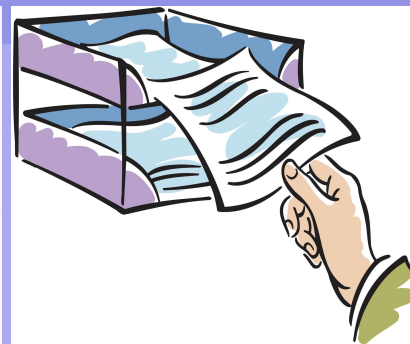
En la clase de tutoría se pasa lista y se le entregarán formularios para llevar a casa, a fin de que sus padres los revisen y completen:

- Tarjetas de emergencia
- Formularios de autorización para el uso de material audiovisual
- Política de teléfonos celulares de I.S. 5
- Acuerdo de tecnología
- Calendario de septiembre de I.S. 5

¡Durante tu primer día de clases, harás otro recorrido por el edificio para familiarizarte con tu nueva escuela!

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Please note that there will be more information on school supplies for additional subjects (Health, PE, Education, etc.) during the first days of the school year.



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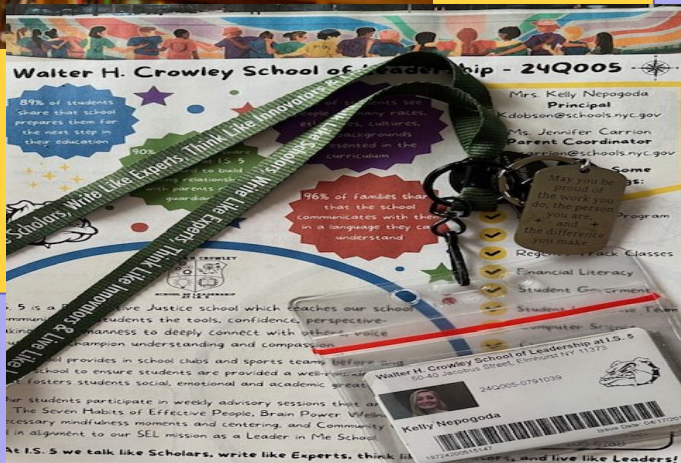
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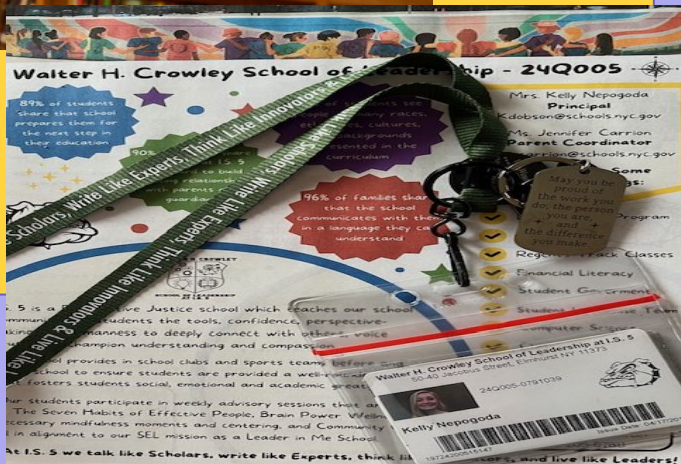
Structure of an I.S. 5 School Day



- ❖ Students enter/exit through their community doors and are greeted by their community teams.
- ❖ Upon entry students **MUST** wear their community lanyards and Student IDs throughout the school day without exception.
- ❖ Upon entry students **MUST** pouch their cellphones as per school policy in their Yondr pouch for the school day.
- ❖ Students will move classrooms throughout the day. You will receive your schedule on the first day of school.
- ❖ Lockers and/or locations for storage of coats will be provided once the season changes in the fall.
- ❖ A majority of your classes will be in close proximity to each other. I.S. 5 staff will ask about your hallway pass and student movement in the efforts of safety throughout the day.



Estructura de una jornada escolar en I.S. 5



- ❖ Los estudiantes entran y salen por las puertas de sus comunidades y son recibidos por los equipos de sus respectivas comunidades.
- ❖ Al ingresar, los estudiantes **DEBEN** llevar puestos sus cordones de identificación de la comunidad y sus tarjetas de identificación estudiantil durante toda la jornada escolar, sin excepción.
- ❖ Al ingresar, los estudiantes **DEBEN** guardar sus teléfonos celulares en su funda Yondr durante la jornada escolar, de acuerdo con la política de la escuela.
- ❖ Los estudiantes cambiarán de aula a lo largo del día. Recibirán su horario el primer día de clases.
- ❖ Se proporcionarán casilleros y/o espacios para guardar abrigos una vez que cambie la estación en otoño.
- ❖ La mayoría de sus clases se impartirán en lugares muy cercanos entre sí. El personal de I.S. 5 le pedirá su pase de pasillo y verificará su desplazamiento por los pasillos como parte de las medidas de seguridad durante la jornada

Welcome Email from I.S. 5 to Students & Families

Student Email:

Student Name:

Class:

Homeroom Room:

Community:

Community Entrance/Exit:

Dear Students, Parents and Guardians,

I hope this letter finds you well and that the summer has been beautiful and rewarding for you and your families!

We are very excited to welcome your child to the 2025-2026 school year at I.S. 5. On behalf of our school community, I want to celebrate the start of a fresh, new year that we promise will inspire scholarship, expertise, innovation and leadership in your child. We believe our work in partnership with you will lift all of our students to greatness and will make for an amazing journey together this school year.

The first day of school for all students is Thursday, September 4, 2025. As we prepare for a powerful, memorable, and safe year together, please see below important notes about our opening days and overall expectations for all students:

- **IMPORTANT UPDATE:** The school day begins promptly at 8:00 am. AM Homeroom is from 8:00 - 8:15 am.
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 - Community of Experts: **Red** (Class with an "E" in the middle)
Entrance for Experts: Schoolyard
 - Community of Innovators: **Green** (Class with a "I" in the middle)
Entrance for Innovators: Kneeland Street

This Friday, all I.S. 5 students will receive a welcome email to their NYC Student Account that gives very important details about your first day rituals and routines. Be sure to read this with your parent or guardian.

Most importantly, the email will contain:

- ❖ Your Official Class
- ❖ Your Homeroom Room
- ❖ Your Community
- ❖ Your Community Entrance/Exit

Correo electrónico de bienvenida de I.S. 5 para estudiantes y familias

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Class:

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Este viernes, todos los estudiantes de I.S. 5 recibirán un correo electrónico de bienvenida en su cuenta de estudiante de NYC, el cual contiene detalles muy importantes sobre los rituales y las rutinas del primer día. Asegúrense de leerlo junto con sus padres o tutores.

Lo más importante es que el correo electrónico contendrá:

- ◆ Su clase oficial
- ◆ La aula
- ◆ Tu comunidad
- ◆ Entrada/Salida de su comunidad

Meet Our I.S. 5 Communities

Conozca a nuestros equipos de comunidad

Community of Scholars

Classes with a "S" in the middle
6S1, 6S2, ...

*Talking Like Scholars
Everyday!*



Assistant Principal
Subdirectora

Mrs. Koenig
Room C402



School Counselor
Consejera Escolar

Ms. Levan
Room C314

Meet Our Community Teams

Conozca a nuestros equipos de comunidad

Community of **Experts**

Classes with a "E" in the middle
6E1, 6E2, ...

*Writing Like Experts
Everyday!*



Assistant Principal
Subdirectora

Tracy Mercado
Room D409



School Counselor
Consejera Escolar

Ms. Etienne
Room B214



Meet Our Community Teams

Conozca a nuestros equipos de comunidad

Community of **Innovators**

Classes with a "I" in the middle
6I1, 6I2, ...



Assistant Principal
Subdirectora

Ms. Joyce
Room B301

*Thinking Like Innovators
Everyday!*



School Counselor
Consejera Escolar

Mrs. Murphy
Room D208

Tailored Support for Our Current ELL Students



All current ELL students for the 2026-2027 school year will work directly with Ms. Licette Galicia as their assigned school counselor.

No matter your community assignment, Ms. Galicia will be your counselor to support your needs - mandated counseling, individual sessions, high school application, resources and more!

Ms. Galicia is bilingual and is working toward her bilingual counselor certification!



Apoyo personalizado para nuestros actuales estudiantes ELL



Todos los estudiantes ELL actuales para el año escolar 2026-2027 trabajarán directamente con la Sra. Licette Galicia, su consejera escolar asignada.

Independientemente de la comunidad a la que se le asigne, la Sra. Galicia será su consejera para atender sus necesidades: consejería obligatoria, sesiones individuales, solicitudes de ingreso a la escuela secundaria, recursos y más.

La Sra. Galicia es bilingüe y está trabajando para obtener su certificación como consejera bilingüe.



Supporting Our Special Education Students!

Ms. Sheryl Winkler is I.S. 5's Special Education Assistant Principal who works on the many important elements needed for steady and successful support of our special education students.

From help with Individualized Education Plans, recommending proper interventions and scaffolds, connecting with students, advocacy for needs and working hand-in-hand with parents and families to get the very best for their special education child, Ms. Winkler is there for you.



¡Apoyando a nuestros estudiantes de educación especial!

La Sra. Sheryl Winkler es la subdirectora de educación especial de I.S. 5 y trabaja en los numerosos aspectos importantes necesarios para brindar un apoyo constante y eficaz a nuestros estudiantes de educación especial.

Desde la ayuda con los Planes de Educación Individualizada, la recomendación de intervenciones y apoyos adecuados y la conexión con los estudiantes, hasta la defensa de sus necesidades y el trabajo conjunto con padres y familias para lograr lo mejor para sus hijos que reciben educación especial, la Sra. Winkler está a su disposición.



I.S. 5 Deans

Dean of Community of Scholars	Dean of Community of Experts	Dean of Community of Innovators
Megan Panzone	Joseph Rojas	Jack Wang





 	
BELL SCHEDULE	
Period	Time
Homeroom	8:00 am - 8:15 am
1st Period	8:18 am - 8:59 am
2nd Period	9:02 am - 9:43 am
3rd Period	9:46 am - 10:27 am
4th Period	10:30 am - 11:11 am
5th Period	11:14 am - 11:55 am
6th Period	11:58 am - 12:39 pm
7th Period	12:42 pm - 1:23 pm
8th Period	1:26 pm - 2:07 pm
Homeroom	2:10 pm - 2:20 pm



Bell Schedule

Horario de Campana

IMPORTANT!

You have three minutes to move from class to class. Staff will be in the hallways to assist you and supervise - along with our school's I.S. 5 Safety Squad will make sure you navigate the hallways and stairwells safely!

I.S. 5, 50-40 Jacobus Street, Elmhurst

	HR 8:00 - 8:10	1 8:12 - 8:55	2 8:57 - 9:40	3 9:42 - 10:25	4 10:27 - 11:10	5 11:12 - 11:55	6 11:57 - 12:40	7 12:42 - 13:25	8 13:27 - 14:10
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Classes given
During the sixth
grade year:

- ELA
- Math
- Science
- Social Studies
- Physical Education
- Fine and Performing Arts
- Computer Science
- WIN ("What I Need")
- Advisory
- Health
- Home Language Arts*
(Dual Language ONLY)



Morning Drop-Off and Afternoon Pick-Up



Please remember the following information for the first day of school for our NEW students!

- *Community doors open at 8:00 A.M.*
 - Students will begin lining up before that time.
 - Breakfast is available starting at 7:30 AM in our Large Cafeteria. Students will come in through the main entrance and remain until AM Homeroom.
- *Dismissal begins at 2:15 P.M.*
 - Students will be dismissed from the **same** community door they used in the morning
 - Door-to-door busing students as well as I.S. 5 Beacon students are dismissed to their respective locations first.
 - Safety is our priority always! Therefore we have a staggered dismissal by floor to ensure that all students exit the building safely and efficiently, beginning at 2:16 pm and concluding all floors by 2:20pm

Entrega Por la Mañana y Recogida Por la Tarde



Recuerde la siguiente información para el primer día de clases:

- *Las puertas de cada comunidad se abren a las 8:00 a.m.*
 - Los estudiantes comenzarán a hacer fila antes de eso, por favor **no** espere con su hijo/a en línea; hay adultos que ayudarán a guiarlos.
 - Desayuno está disponible a partir de las 7:30 a. m. en nuestra Cafetería grande. Los estudiantes entrarán por la entrada principal y permanecerán hasta AM Homeroom.
- *La salida comienza a las 2:16 p.m.*
 - Los estudiantes saldrán por la **misma** puerta comunitaria que usaron en la mañana.
 - Establezca un lugar/área de reunión para esperar a su hijo/a, preferiblemente al otro lado de la calle del edificio para evitar multitudes y confusión.

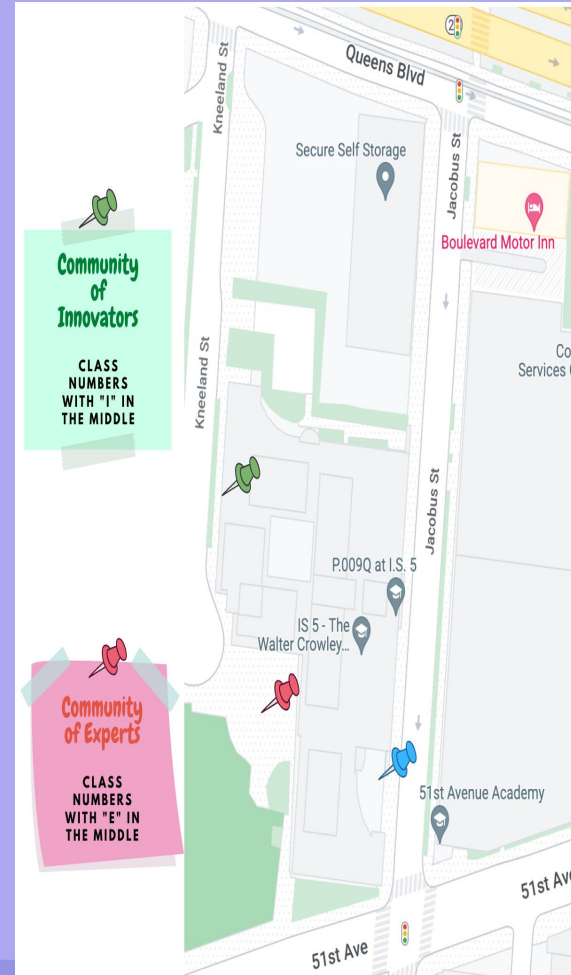
*Si tiene preguntas o inquietudes, diríjase a la **entrada principal**, ¡tendremos personal disponible para ayudarle!*



Community Entrance/Exit Locations

Our main entrance is located on **Jacobus Street**. Given the size of our school we have **THREE** designated entrances by communities:

- Community of **Scholars** (All classes with a “S” in the middle) - *Corner of Jacobus St. & 51 Ave.*
- Community of **Experts** (All classes with a “E” in the middle) - *School Yard on 51st Ave.*
- Community of **Innovators** (All classes with a “I” in the middle) - *Kneeland Ave.*



Lunch Periods for 2026-2027

Grade 6 Lunch will be served in our small cafeteria every day during the following periods:

Community of Scholars: Period 7

Community of Experts: Period 4

Community of Innovators: Period 5

Your community dean, lunch assist, dean assist and school aides will run the cafeteria and recess will occur as available and possible



***Speaking of Student
Activities like the Safety
Squad...***

**What other activities,
clubs and supports do
you have at I.S. 5?**





Clubs, Extracurriculars and Supports!



In the fall, you will have the opportunity to sign up for clubs, extracurriculars, sports and supports for the 2026-2027 school year.

I.S. 5 is preparing to have the following clubs/recreation this school year (including but not limited to):

BROADWAY MUSICAL REVIEW/PITCH PERFECT CLUB

CHESS CLUB

CIVIC LEADERSHIP & STUDENT GOVERNMENT

FITNESS EXERCISE CLUB

GAMERS CLUB

GSA

I.S. 5 GREEN TEAM

KNITTING AND CROCHET CLUB

NJHS

STEM CLUB

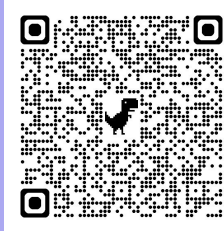
STUDENT LIGHTHOUSE TEAM

YEARBOOK TEAM



Transportation

- Transportation eligibility is determined by the Office of Pupil Transportation (OPT).
- Bussing is not guaranteed it is determined by OPT on a case-by-case basis.
- Students of any age whose IEP recommends curb-to-school bus service will receive bus service to and from the school they attend
- To apply for an exemption for bussing you must do so through the [DOE SupportHub](#).
- If your child qualifies for special busing circumstances, they will come downstairs near the close of PM Homeroom to get ready to be escorted to their buses - which will pull up on 51st Avenue schoolyard exit.

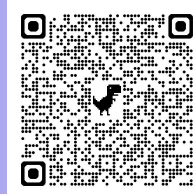


Transportation Eligibility

Transportation eligibility is based on a student's grade level, walking distance between home and school, and existing accommodations based on a medical condition, housing status, or safety assessment.

Grade Level	Distance Code A: Less than 0.5 mile	Distance Code B: 0.5 mile or more, but less than 1 mile	Distance Code C: 1 mile or more, but less than 1.5 miles	Distance Code D: 1.5 miles or more
Grades Kindergarten, 1, and 2	Not Eligible	School Bus or MetroCard	School Bus or MetroCard	School Bus or MetroCard
Grades 3-6	Not Eligible	MetroCard only	School Bus or MetroCard	School Bus or MetroCard
Grade 7-12	Not Eligible	MetroCard only	MetroCard only	MetroCard only





Transporte

- La elegibilidad para el transporte la determina la Oficina de Transporte Estudiantil (OPT).
- El transporte en autobús no está garantizado, lo determina OPT caso por caso.
- Los estudiantes de cualquier edad cuyo IEP recomienda el servicio de autobús de la acera a la escuela recibirán servicio de autobús hacia y desde la escuela a la que asisten
- Para solicitar una exención para el transporte en autobús, debe hacerlo a través del [DOE SupportHub](#).
- Si su hijo/a califica para circunstancias especiales de transporte en autobús, bajará las escaleras cerca del cierre de PM Homeroom para prepararse para ser acompañado a sus autobuses, que se detendrán en la salida del patio de la escuela de 51st Avenue.

Elegibilidad de transporte

La elegibilidad para el transporte se basa en el nivel de grado del estudiante, la distancia a pie entre el hogar y la escuela y las adaptaciones existentes basadas en una condición médica, estado de la vivienda o evaluación de seguridad.

Nivel de grado	Código de distancia A: Menos de 0.5 millas	Código de distancia B: 0,5 millas o más, pero menos de 1 milla	Código de distancia C: 1 milla o más, pero menos de 1,5 millas	Código de distancia D: 1.5 millas o más
Grados Kindergarten, 1 y 2	No elegible	Autobús escolar o MetroCard	Autobús escolar o MetroCard	Autobús escolar o MetroCard
Grados 3-6	No elegible	Solo MetroCard	Autobús escolar o MetroCard	Autobús escolar o MetroCard
Grado 7-12	No elegible	Solo MetroCard	Solo MetroCard	Solo MetroCard





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Absences

If your child is absent or you know they will be absent in advance please call the school to notify us. It is important we have documentation on file if your child is sick, has an appointment, etc. You or your child can drop off documentation at our main office when needed.

Please note after consecutive/numerous absences without documentation or notice our attendance team will call homes and request more information.

The DOE automated system will call and text families if your child is marked absent or late for the day starting at 11 AM! Please ensure your information is up to date to receive these messages. If you believe the call is in error, please immediately call the school to ensure your child is marked present in school.

Lateness

Students must come in through their community doors at **8:00 AM** and report to homeroom immediately where their morning attendance is taken. After **8:15 AM**, students are late. At that time, community doors are closed and all students must enter through the main entrance on Jacobus Street.

If your child is late they must wait on line for a late pass to ensure their attendance is corrected and they are not marked absent!





Política de Asistencia

Ausencias

Si su hijo/a está ausente o sabe que estará ausente con anticipación, llame a la escuela para notificarnos. Es importante que tengamos documentación archivada si su hijo/a está enfermo/a, tiene una cita, etc. Usted o su hijo/a pueden dejar la documentación en nuestra oficina principal cuando sea necesario.

Tenga en cuenta que después de ausencias consecutivas/numerosas sin documentación o notificación, nuestro equipo de asistencia llamará a los hogares y solicitará más información.

Retrasos

Los estudiantes deben entrar por las puertas de su comunidad a las **8:15 a. m.** y presentarse inmediatamente en el salón principal donde se toma su asistencia matutina. Después de las **8:25 a. m.**, todos los estudiantes deben ingresar por la entrada principal en la calle Jacobus.

Si su hijo/a llega tarde, debe esperar en la fila para obtener un pase de retraso para asegurarse de que se corrija su asistencia y que no se marque como ausente.

¡Recuerde que las tardanzas también afectan el rendimiento de su hijo/a en clase!

¡El sistema automatizado del DOE llamará y enviará mensajes de texto a las familias si su hijo/a está marcado ausente o tarde durante el día a partir de las 11 a. m.! Asegúrese de que su información esté actualizada para recibir estos mensajes. Si cree que la llamada es un error, llame inmediatamente a la escuela para asegurarse de que su hijo/a esté marcado como presente en la escuela.



Parents and Guardians!

Please update your contact information on your NYCSA (New York City Student Account) and with our main office if there is a change during the school year!



Technology at I.S. 5

I.S. 5 is proudly a 1:1 technology school!

Laptops

All students will be provided an assigned Chromebook during their AM homeroom session daily to be used throughout the school day. Chromebooks will be collected at the end of the school day. Students will continue to be responsible for all homework assignments and projects.

Headphones

- ★ Students should bring in a pair of headphones that can be plugged into Chromebooks for independent use. These can be purchased at any dollar store. Students are not permitted to use AirPods in school.

CellPhones

I.S. 5 is a Yondr school! It is mandatory and NYS law to be cellphone and personal electronic free during the school day. All students will turn their phones off and place them into their assigned **Yondr pouch** upon entering the building each morning. Yondr pouches are de-magnetized at the end of the day. All students hold onto their Yondr pouch and it is their responsibility to maintain and use.



Tecnología en I.S. 5

¡I.S. 5 es orgullosamente una escuela de tecnología 1:1!

Computadoras portátiles/iPads

Todos los estudiantes deben traer a la escuela su dispositivo emitido por el DOE completamente cargado todos los días. Las computadoras portátiles estarán disponibles para su uso durante el horario escolar.

¡Los dispositivos deben usarse ÚNICAMENTE para actividades escolares!

Celulares

Entendemos la importancia de los teléfonos móviles. Los teléfonos móviles deben silenciarse y guardarse en las mochilas para pasar el día. La política de teléfonos celulares se enviará a casa la primera semana de clases para que usted la revise y la firme con su estudiante.

Audífonos

Los estudiantes deben traer un par de audífonos que puedan conectarse a dispositivos para uso independiente. Estos se pueden comprar en cualquier tienda de un dólar. Los estudiantes no deben usar sus AirPods durante todo el día.



Grading Policy



60% Assessment & Project Portfolio

30% Summative Assessments
30% Performance Tasks, Long Term Assignments, & Projects



40% Classroom Participation

20% Quizzes, midpoint/ formative, and graded exit tickets
10% Classwork and engagement
10% Homework



Política de Calificaciones



60% Evaluación y Portafolio de Proyectos

30% Evaluaciones sumativas
30% Tareas de rendimiento,
asignaciones a largo plazo y
proyectos



40% Participación en el Aula

20% Cuestionarios, puntos
intermedios/formativos y boletos de
salida calificados
10% Trabajo en clase y compromiso
10% Tarea

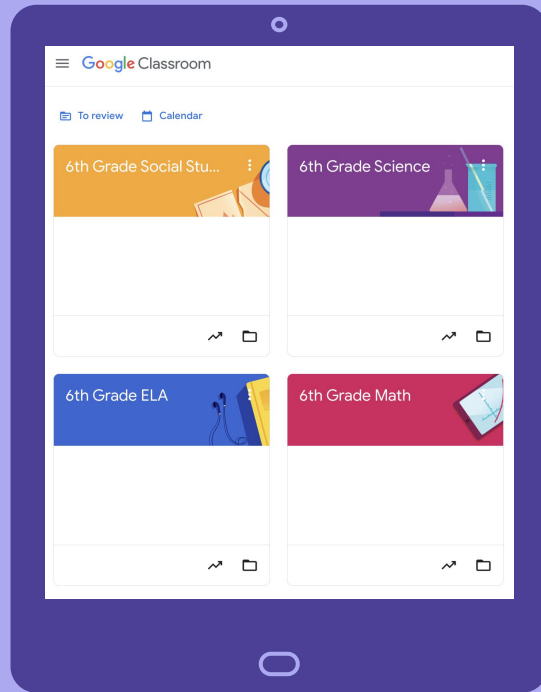


Google Classroom

Please check Google Classroom for updates on your child's assignments and grades.

Teachers, support providers and any additional clubs and teams will invite you to join the classroom in the next two weeks. Please make this a priority!

Consulte Google Classroom para obtener actualizaciones sobre las tareas y calificaciones de su hijo/a.



Sunnyside Community Services Beacon Program at IS5



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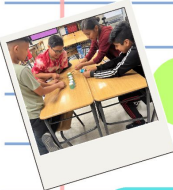
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SUNNYSIDE AFTERSCHOOL PROGRAMS AT I.S.5Q

FREE AFTERSCHOOL PROGRAMMING



AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAM

Beacon Afterschool
Monday to Friday: 2:30PM-6PM

**Open to
Grades K
through 8th**

**EVENING & SATURDAY
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Evening Clubs: Monday to Friday: 6PM-7PM
Saturday Clubs: 10 AM-3PM

**Scan Interest
Form Here!**





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ELMHURST, NY 11373

Activities include:
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ASK ABOUT OUR FREE PS7 PICK-UP SERVICE

PROGRAM FOLLOWS ALL DOE, DYCD, DOHMH AND OCFS HEALTH AND SAFETY PROTOCOLS

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Sunnyside Community Services Beacon Program at IS5

PROGRAM START DATES

MIDDLE SCHOOL PROGRAM WILL
BEGIN ON MONDAY, SEPT 14TH.

ELEMENTARY PROGRAM WILL BEGIN
ON MONDAY, SEPT 28TH.

ALL EVENING PROGRAMS & CLUBS
BEGIN MONDAY, SEPT 14TH

SATURDAY PROGRAM BEGINS SEPT. 19TH



AFTER-SCHOOL COMMUNITY SERVICE HOURS

- Opportunity includes working with youth from grades K-8th in an afterschool program setting.
- Training and coaching will be hands on.
- Must be willing to commit to 3 days a week for a minimum of 3 months!
- Must complete a minimum of 100 hours to receive a letter of completion.
- This is not a paid opportunity.
- Must attend orientation.
- Great opportunity to add to your college application.

Mandatory Orientation In-Person
Tuesday, September 22nd, 2026 at 4PM

Located at IS5Q
50-40 Jacobus Street
Elmhurst, NY 11373

Program hours are Monday to Friday 230PM to 600PM

We are easily accessible via the Q60, Q59, Q58, R, M, and 7 trains.

Please email Michelle Rodriguez, Assistant Director
if you have any questions:
Michelle.rodriguez@scsny.org

Please fill out the google RSVP form using QR code





Interested in Participating in Sunnyside Beacon?

REGISTRATION PROCESS:

1. **Complete Interest Form:** <https://forms.gle/Exn3aaWyBLESrGrbA>
2. **DYCD Application on DiscoverDYCD**
[<https://discoverdycd.dycdconnect.nyc/home>] Search for the program using Code: BEA-13426
3. **Medical form**
(https://ocfs.ny.gov/main/Forms/Day_Care/OCFS-LDSS-4433.dot)
Medicals are **required and are valid for 1 year from the date the physical was completed. Your child will **NOT** be allowed to start the after-school program without it.
4. **Current picture of your child(ren) and additional documentation (Emergency Contact card and signed consent forms)**

Questions?

Text Sunnyside Beacon at 917-843-7948



The flyer is for Sunnyside Beacon After School Programs. At the top, it features the logos for Sunnyside Community Services, DYCD, and NYC. The main title is 'SUNNYSIDE AFTERSCHOOL PROGRAMS AT I.S.5Q' in large, bold, green letters. Below this, it says 'FREE AFTERSCHOOL PROGRAMMING'. There are two main program offerings: 'AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAM' (Monday to Friday: 2:30PM-6PM) and 'EVENING & SATURDAY PROGRAM OFFERINGS' (Evening Clubs: Monday to Friday: 6PM-7PM; Saturday Clubs: 10 AM-3PM). A QR code is provided for scanning the interest form. The location is listed as I.S.5 Q, 50-40 JACOBUS ST, ELMHURST, NY 11373. Activities include Homework Help, S.T.E.M., Social-Emotional Learning, Arts & Crafts and MORE!. At the bottom, it asks about the free PS7 pick-up service and provides contact information: Email us at BeaconIS5admin@scsny.org | Text us at (917) 843-7948. A small note at the bottom states: *PROGRAM FOLLOWS ALL DOE, DYCD, DOHMH AND OCFS HEALTH AND SAFETY PROTOCOLS!.

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@IS5QUEENS

Our Instagram

Please visit our school Instagram for quick news and announcements, flyers for virtual and in-person events, and more!

¡Visite el Instagram de nuestra escuela para obtener noticias y anuncios rápidos, folletos para eventos virtuales y en persona, y más!



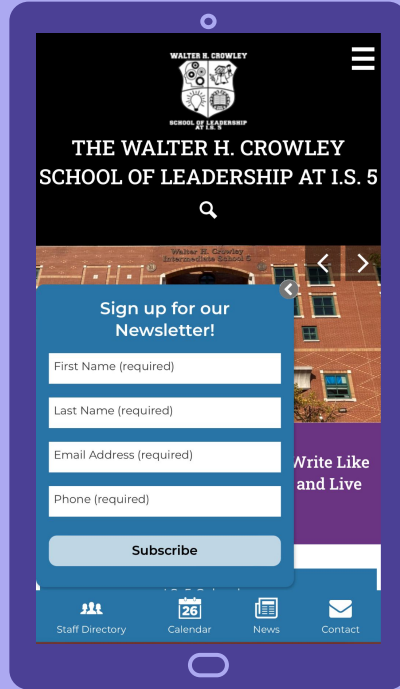
School Website

Please visit our school website for news and announcements, uploads of documents and presentations, and more!

Please scan the QR Code to sign up for our newsletter.

Visite el sitio web de nuestra escuela para obtener noticias y anuncios, cargar documentos y presentaciones, ¡y más!

Escanee el código QR para suscribirse a nuestro boletín.



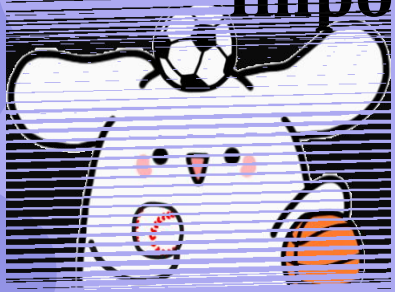
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YOU are also a part of making our school a safe, inclusive and supportive environment for everyone! Be proud of being an I.S. 5 student & take that pride through every school day in your studies, decisions & conduct ✨ ✨ ✨

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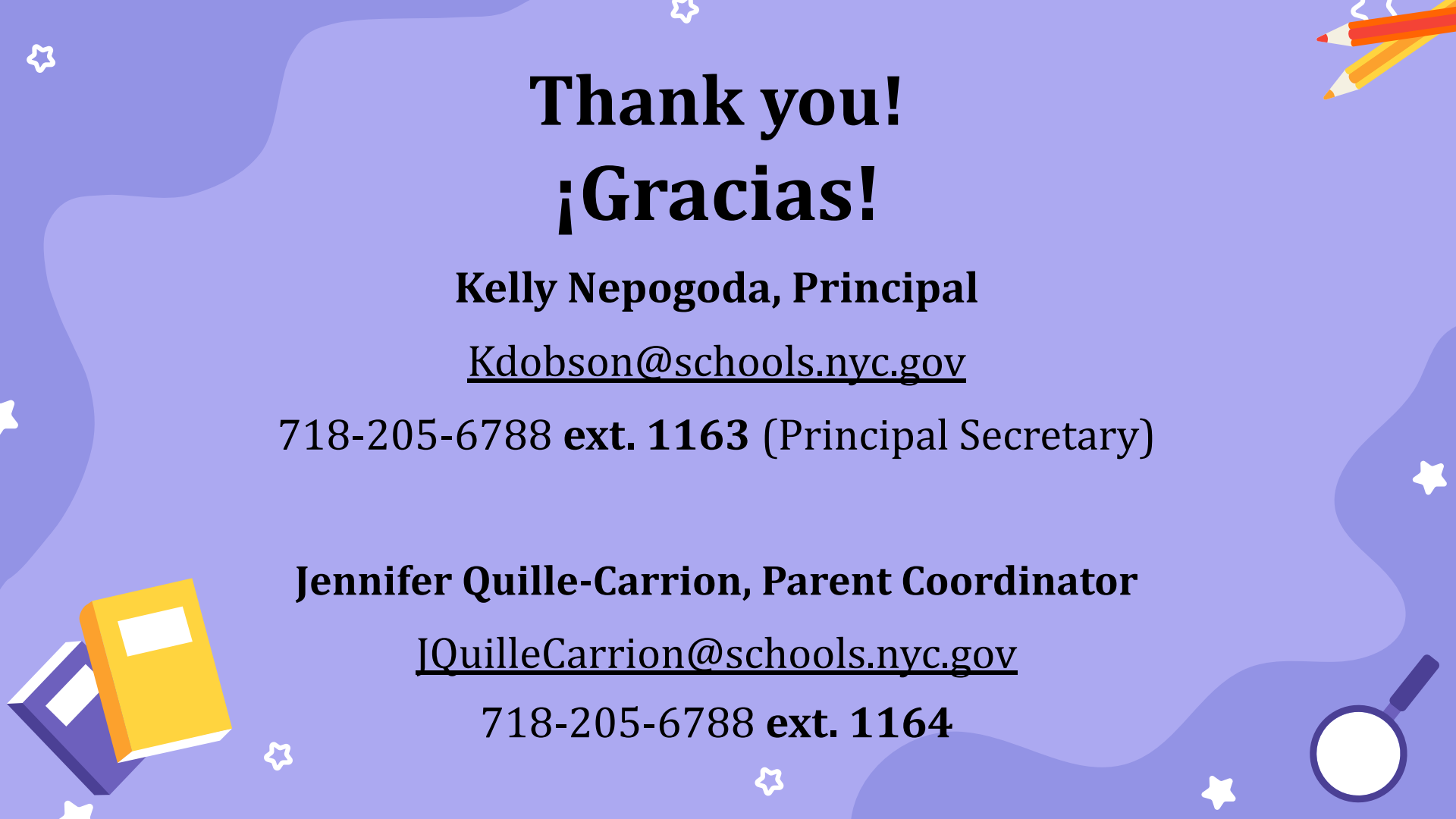


Build relationships and connect with our staff. Find those trusted adults that you can reach out to through the best and the most challenging of times.

Know that we are here for you! We will help you stay focused, engaged and supported - and we will do that together!

Use your voice to advocate for what you need - and if you need to find your voice, we are here to help you, too!

And by the time you leave us, you will be able to say with confidence 'I became a better student, a better friend and a better me at I.S. 5!'



Thank you! ¡Gracias!

Kelly Nepogoda, Principal

Kdobson@schools.nyc.gov

718-205-6788 ext. 1163 (Principal Secretary)

Jennifer Quille-Carrion, Parent Coordinator

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