

DOYON NEWS

Paul F. Doyon Memorial School

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Please visit the Doyon Website at www.ipsk12.net for access to Doyon events on our "live" Doyon Calendar and the monthly Lunch Menu.

Principal's Corner ~ Sheila Halloran, Principal

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Please read the attached three flyers. One is from our wonderful FRIES, the other two are about if you're in need of healthy free food located at the YMCA and ZUMI's. This is available to all families. Please read these flyers and pass this information on to anyone who would benefit from it.

Virtual Author Visit

Wednesday January 27th 9:00 am

We are very excited for our virtual visit with Jarrett Krosoczka! Jarrett will be spending most of the Zoom answering student questions. No student faces will be visible on the Zoom and students will have an opportunity to submit questions to the author during the virtual visit. If you did not get a chance to view Jarrett's videos about how he became a writer, you can view them [here](#). The presentation also contains a form for students to submit questions to the author ahead of time if they would like.



Lunchroom Assistant

Perfect job opportunity for parents or friends! Earn a few extra dollars while working 2 or 4 days per week while students are in school.

Hours are 11:15 am - 1:15 pm.

If interested, contact Sheila Halloran at shalloran@ipsk12.net or call the front office at 978-356-5506.

| | Friday 1/22 | Monday 1/25 | Tuesday 1/26 | Wednesday 1/27 | Thursday 1/28 | Friday 1/29 |
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| Lunch Menu | BBQ Ribbie on a Roll, Potato Salad, Baked Beans ~ Turkey BLT Wrap ~ Gills Cheese Pizza | Chicken Patty on a Hamburger Roll, Lettuce & Tomato, Mixed Vegetables ~ Hummus & Pita Power Pack ~ Gills Cheese Pizza | Pasta with Meatballs, Texas Toast, Fresh Tossed Salad ~ Hummus & Pita Power Pack ~ Gills Cheese Pizza | Tuna Sub, Cape Cod Chips | Chicken Patty on a Hamburger Roll, Lettuce & Tomato, Mixed Vegetables ~ Hummus & Pita Power Pack ~ Gills Cheese Pizza | Pasta with Meatballs, Texas Toast, Fresh Tossed Salad ~ Hummus & Pita Power Pack ~ Gills Cheese Pizza |

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DOYON FRIES

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<https://www.Doyon-Fries.org>

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/DoyonFRIES>

Newsletter

Inside the PTO



Enrichment

DO YOU HAVE AN ENRICHMENT IDEA?

Do you have an idea for an enrichment event, either grade-level specific or all-school? Please share it with us at fries.doyon@gmail.com.



THE BOARD

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FRIES MEETINGS

7 PM - Via Zoom

February 10, 2021

March 10, 2021

May 12, 2021

DOYON DEVOURS BOOKS COMING IN MARCH!

Doyon Devours Books (our yearly school-wide read-a-thon) encourages our children to excel in reading while raising supplemental funds for educational programs and materials at Paul F. Doyon Memorial School. During this special event, we highlight the importance of quality literature, while continuing to develop our reading skills and good reading habits. We hope our families will sustain this love of reading throughout the year and beyond.



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Check your card: Funds for October & November will be issued at the end of December.
 New to P-EBT? Check your active EBT card or check your mail in January.

Pandemic EBT (P-EBT) for the 2020-2021 School Year

Additional Food Funds for Students during COVID-19



You will get P-EBT if you qualify for free or reduced-price meals under the National School Lunch Program AND are in a hybrid or fully remote learning situation.



P-EBT funds are available to households regardless of immigration status and are not considered in a public charge test.

How much will I get?

Hybrid Learners
 \$58.60 per month

Fully Remote Learners
 \$117.20 per month



How & when will I get the funds?

"I got P-EBT in the past on my P-EBT card"

Check your P-EBT card for funds on the 25th of each month. If you do not have the card, request a new one at DTAConnect.com/PEBT.

"I got P-EBT in the past on my EBT card"

Check your EBT card for funds on the 25th of each month. If you do not have an EBT card, call DTA at 1-877-382-2363.

"I am new to P-EBT"

- Get SNAP and/or TAFDC? Check your DTA EBT card.
- If you do not get SNAP and/or TAFDC, look for a P-EBT card in the mail. Look for a DTA letter separately in the mail - Keep it to PIN your card!

What can I buy?

Buy food like fruits, dairy, breads, meats/poultry/fish. Use P-EBT at stores that accept SNAP, like grocery or corner stores, and online at ALDI, Amazon or Walmart.



Need More Food Help?

If you get P-EBT you are likely eligible for SNAP, monthly food funds. Apply at DTAconnect.com. You can also get grab and go school meals. Find a site at meals4kids.org.



Get P-EBT Help • www.MAp-EBT.org • DTA Assistance Line: 877-382-2363 - Press "6"



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An IMS/IHS GreenTeam Initiative in partnership with:
Three Sisters Garden Project, Russell Orchards &
The Open Door Food Pantry



If you're
in need of
healthy **FREE**
FOOD, the *hello*
neighbor fridges
can help.

**LOCATED IN LOWER LEVEL
IPSWICH TOWN HALL & ZUMI'S**

Town Hall hours: Mon. 8am to 7pm, Tues-Thurs 8am to 4pm and Fridays 8am to 12pm • ZUMI'S everyday 7am to 4pm

For more info email us: sustainable.ipswich@gmail.com | Your neighborhood is here for you!

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