



Parent Leadership Council

# WELCOME TO OUR PLC VIRTUAL MEETING



# OUR PARENT COORDINATOR

## MS. MELODY PINK

**YOU CAN REACH ME MONDAY -  
THURSDAY 9am-2pm  
I'M JUST AN EMAIL AWAY:  
[mpink@thewcs.org](mailto:mpink@thewcs.org)**





***OUR TRANSLATOR FOR THIS***

***EVENING IS MS. AURELINA RAMIREZ***

# MODERATOR



XAVIER M. WCHS CLASS 2022





**PLC**

Parent Leadership Council

# MEET OUR PLC COUNCIL MEMBERS



**OUR PLC PRESIDENT  
CHEVONNA HARDY**



**OUR PLC SECRETARY  
ROXANNE LIVERPOOL**



**OUR PLC VICE  
PRESIDENT CHERYL  
MCFADDEN**



## Quick Virtual Housekeeping

- Please Mute your Screen
- Please Do Not Click Present or Hook your Screen to the TV ( It Interferes with the Presentation)
- Please Type your Name, Scholar's First Name, Grade & Email Address in the Comment Section for Attendance
- Please type any Questions in the Comment Section relating to the Meeting
- NOTE: This PLC Virtual Meeting will be recorded & posted on our school website



# LET'S LEARN ABOUT EACH OTHER

Hello, my name is Emily!

I am excited to meet  
you, and I am here to  
help!



# AGENDA



- Introductions
- Virtual Summer Immersion Program Overview
- How to Apply
- Q&A





# **2021 VIRTUAL SUMMER IMMERSION PROGRAM Q&A**

**JOIN A SISTERHOOD | MAKE AN IMPACT | PREPARE FOR A CAREER IN TECH**

**BE THE CHANGE  
YOU WANT TO SEE**



**If you could change the  
world with technology,  
what would you change?**

## **OUR MISSION**

**“Girls Who Code works to inspire, educate, and equip girls and non-binary students with the computing skills needed to pursue 21st century opportunities.”**

## **OUR VISION**

**“Our vision is to reach gender parity in computing and technology sectors.”**

# **2021 VIRTUAL SUMMER IMMERSION PROGRAM**



# WELCOME TO THE SUMMER IMMERSION PROGRAM

Our 2021 Virtual Summer Immersion Program is a free 2-week virtual program for 9th–11th grade girls and non-binary students to learn the computer science skills they need to make an impact in their community and prepare for a career in tech.

## Learn

- 3-4 hours each day
- Learning formats for all students
- Weekly 30-min check-ins with your Teaching Team
- Optional Office Hours

## Community

- Ongoing support from GWC
- Sisterhood Activities
- Virtual events
- Exclusive alumni opportunities

# LEARNING TO CODE AND MORE

## CAREERS



Top-tier companies  
Industry leaders  
Inspiring role models

## SKILLS & IMPACT



HTML, CSS & JavaScript  
Hands-on learning  
Real-world projects

## SISTERHOOD



Supportive environment  
Lifelong friendships  
Robust alumni network



# A DAY IN THE LIFE

## GROUP LEARN

9:30-11:30 am

Systems & Tools

Sisterhood  
Activity

Intro to HTML

## SELF-STUDY

11:30-12:45 pm

Coding Module

Women in Tech  
Spotlight

Daily Reflection

## LUNCH BREAK

12:45-1:30 pm

Time to refuel!

## OFFICE HOURS

1:30-2:30 pm

Optional time to  
review with the  
Teaching Team  
and ask questions

## FUN EVENTS

Times vary

Career Panels  
Guest Speakers  
Town Halls  
Project Showcase

# PROGRAM DATES

Virtual SIP classrooms run in three rounds. Select the dates that work best with your summer schedule on the application!

**Round 1**  
**June 21-July 2**

**Round 2**  
**July 12-July 23**

**Round 3**  
**Aug. 2-Aug. 13**

# HOW WE SUPPORT YOUR SUCCESS



Free Program



Alumni Network &  
#HireMe Initiative

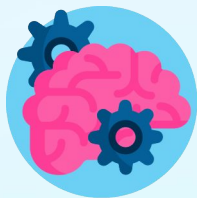


\$300 of Need-Based  
Stipend Funding



Teaching Team &  
Office Hours

# A FEW REASONS TO JOIN US THIS SUMMER



## Skills Demand

- **Employers hire for CS skills.** Demand for computing skills is 3X the national average. Plus, the average tech job pays over \$100K annually.



## Job Flexibility

- **CS skills are transferable.** You can apply coding in any industry, giving you flexibility in where and how you work.



## Lifelong Sisterhood

- **Networks matter.** Finding your next opportunity is easier when you have connections like the Girls Who Code alumni network.

**And of course, because tech is fun!**

# HOW TO APPLY

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15 min

Fill out the quick application at [girlswhocode.com/sipapply](https://girlswhocode.com/sipapply).

Early Acceptance  
Due Mid-Feb;  
Regular Deadline  
Mid-March

15 min

OPTIONAL: Complete the SIP stipend application after submitting the general application.

Hear back from GWC!

We'll share early acceptance admissions in mid-March & regular admissions in mid-April.

Ready?

Get ready for the summer of a lifetime!



# WE'RE HERE TO HELP!

## Questions about the application, stipend, or eligibility?

- Visit our website at [girlswhocode.com/sip](https://girlswhocode.com/sip).
- Check out our FAQ Page at [tiny.cc/girlswhocode\\_faq](https://tiny.cc/girlswhocode_faq).
- Email our Customer Care Team at [summerimmersion@girlswhocode.com](mailto:summerimmersion@girlswhocode.com).
- Sign up for one of our live application Q+A webinars at [tinyurl.com/girlswhocode-sipwebinar](https://tinyurl.com/girlswhocode-sipwebinar).



**ANY  
QUESTIONS?**





**What are you  
waiting for?  
Apply to join the  
movement today!**

## SCHOOL UPDATES WITH MS. LIVERPOOL



- WCHS school reopening will be gradual starting 1 day a week for scholars that need to be in the building then progress to more days.
- The 1<sup>st</sup> part of the class block is synchronous and the 2<sup>nd</sup> part is asynchronous.
- Recap of the Town Hall and Special Education Presentation - Expect a Town Hall once a month about the 3<sup>rd</sup> week of the month.
- Increasing parent outreach on graduation requirements & academic progress.



Join us at the  
next meeting!



**OUR NEXT PLC MEETING  
WILL TAKE PLACE ON  
APRIL 29th, 2021  
@ 6pm**





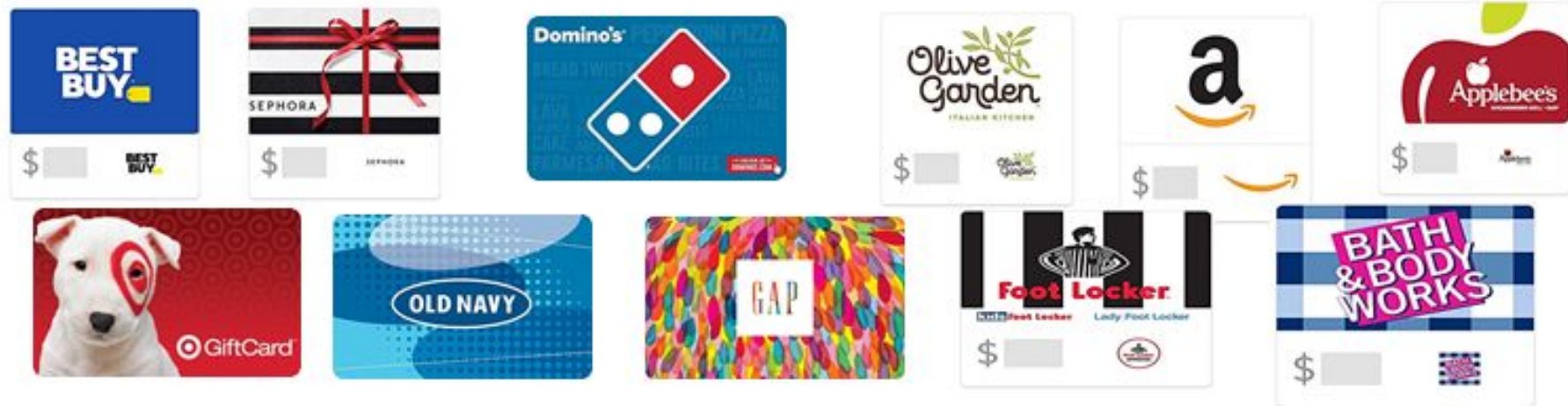
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Contact Us

**PLC CONTACT INFORMATION**  
**EMAIL: PLC@THEWCS.ORG**





### **April Showers Raffle**

**Parent's Gift Card Choice – Pick from these 10 gift cards . You will only get one card**

Enter now through April 28<sup>th</sup> at 6pm

Drawing will be held live at the next PLC meeting April 29<sup>th</sup> at 6pm. One entry per person. You must be present at the meeting and answer if your name is called. If you are not there another name will be called.

Email the PLC at [plc@thewcs.org](mailto:plc@thewcs.org)

Include:

1. Your full name
2. Your scholar's full name and grade
3. April

We've had 9 winners. You could be next

# **HOW TO SUPPORT YOUR SCHOLAR IN TRIMESTER 3, A FRESH START WITH MS. MCFADDEN**



## **INCOMPLETES FOR TRIMESTER 2**

- Check PowerSchool for your scholar's final grades for Trimester 2.
- If your scholar failed a class(es) they may still have a chance to pass that class with an incomplete.
- Incompletes are class assignments given to a scholar to help them pass failing class(es) in the prior Trimester.
- The highest grade they can receive in a class with the incomplete is a 70.
- If your scholar is in grades 9-11 and failed a class(es) you must request an incomplete contract from the teacher.
- Seniors do not have to request incompletes. Teachers will send the incomplete contact to them.
- Teachers will make a decision if your 9-11 grade scholar will receive the incomplete contact and assignments.



KEEP

CALM

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TRIMESTER

## **INCOMPLETE FOR TRIMESTER 2**

- **If your scholar did not attend class or make any attempt to pass the class. He/she may not be approved for an incomplete.**
- **Make sure your scholar completes the incomplete assignments and return it back to the teacher by the due date to received credit.**
- **2 weeks after the submission of the assignment , check PowerSchool to see if your scholar is now passing the failed class from Trimester 2.**
- **If your scholar still has a failing grade in that class. Contact the teacher to find out the reason for the failure. Your scholar may not have completed the assignment or turned it in on time.**



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## **TRIMESTER 3**

- **Spring Break is April 2 – 9. This is a great time for your scholar to work on their incomplete assignments from Trimester 2.**
- **March 25 and March 26 are Virtual Parent-Advisor Conferences. You will meet with your scholar's Grade advisor. The school will contact you for an appointment. Please attend to discuss grades, attendance, etc. This is not a Parent Teacher meeting.**
- **Make sure your scholar is staying on track by doing and submitting their class assignments daily.**
- **If your scholar has missing assignments. The weekend is a good time to catch up on missing assignments.**
- **Check PowerSchool for missing assignments.**
- **Look in google classroom for missing assignments. Your scholar can show you what assignments are missing in google classroom.**



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## TRIMESTER 3

- **Make sure your scholar is getting a good night's sleep.**
- **Make sure your scholar is attending class daily, on time and answering the advisory question for attendance.**
- **If you have a current Junior. Now is the time for you and your scholar to identify Teachers that can write your scholar a College Recommendation letter.**
- **Start looking for summer jobs, internships and programs for your scholar.**
- **Encourage your child to do their best. If you need support, reach out to your scholar's Academy Leader or Counselor. They are there to help with educational and emotional support for your scholar.**



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# IMPORTANT DATES & EVENTS TO REMEMBER MS. MCFADDEN

**WILLIAMSBURG**  
CHARTER HIGH SCHOOL

**Parent/Advisor  
Conferences**

**SAVE THE DATE**

**March 25th 2PM - 7PM**

**March 26th 2PM - 7PM**



**Students must be present!**

Parents will have a chance to meet with their student and advisor to discuss their student's current credits and their plan for Graduation/ College and Success!

**WILLIAMSBURG**  
CHARTER HIGH SCHOOL

**Conferencias de  
padres / asesores**

**RESERVA**

**25 de marzo 2PM - 7PM**

**26 de marzo 2PM - 7PM**

**¡Los estudiantes deben estar presentes!**

¡Los padres tendrán la oportunidad de reunirse con su estudiante y asesor para discutir los créditos actuales de su estudiante y su plan para la graduación / universidad y el éxito!



**WILLIAMSBURG**  
CHARTER HIGH SCHOOL



MARK YOUR CALENDARS APRIL 1st, 2021 WCHS WILL  
HOLD A TOWN-HALL WITH OUR PRINCIPAL MR. BASHIR  
ON THE SCHOOL REOPENING AT 6PM. PLEASE CHECK  
YOUR EMAILS FOR UPDATES AND LOGIN  
INFORMATION.



**WILLIAMSBURG**  
CHARTER HIGH SCHOOL



The April Board of Trustees Meeting will occur on April 20th, 2021 at 6 pm via Google Meets. The link to the Board meeting is on the school's website [www.thewcs.org](http://www.thewcs.org) under Board of Trustees. It is important to attend the Board meetings to gain a better understanding of how the school operates. All are welcome at these meetings.

# THE NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY presents INFLUENTIAL WOMEN

OUR NHS PRESENTERS ARE ANDRINA M. & AMIRA A.



# Congresswoman ALEXANDRIA OCASIO-CORTEZ



- Congresswoman Ocasio-Cortez (AOC) is a third-generation Bronxite, educator, and organizer serving the 14th district of New York in the Bronx and Queens. She has remained committed to serving working-class people over corporate interests and advocating for social, racial, economic, and environmental justice.

# Kamala Harris Vice President of the United States



- Kamala D. Harris is the first woman, the first African American woman, the first Indian-American, the first person of Asian-American descent, and the first graduate of an HBCU to be sworn in as the Vice President of the United States of America. Harris is a trailblazer, a wife and a stepmother (Momala) to 2.



# PEER TUTORING: NHS MEMBER PHILLYSCIA S. CLASS OF 2022



## SUBJECTS OFFERED:

- ALGEBRA I/II
- CHEMISTRY
- EARTH SCIENCE
- ENGLISH
- GEOMETRY
- GLOBAL 9/10
- LATIN
- LIVING ENVIRONMENT
- PRE-CALCULUS
- PHYSICS
- SPANISH
- US HISTORY

DO YOU WANT TO IMPROVE YOUR GRADES?

DO YOU NEED HOMEWORK HELP?

DO YOU HAVE A SPECIFIC QUESTION?

DO YOU WANT TO REVIEW FOR A TEST?

DO YOU NEED ANY ACADEMIC SUPPORT OUTSIDE OF THE CLASSROOM?

IF SO, FEEL FREE TO COME BY!

YOUR PEERS WILL BE ABLE TO ASSIST YOU WITH YOUR ACADEMIC NEEDS DURING THE HOURS PROVIDED

ALL YOU NEED IS A WORKING MIC AND A GOOD ATTITUDE!



WE HOPE TO SEE YOU THERE!

## PEER TUTORING

### WHEN ?

MONDAY 4:00-5:00pm

TUESDAY 4:00-5:00pm

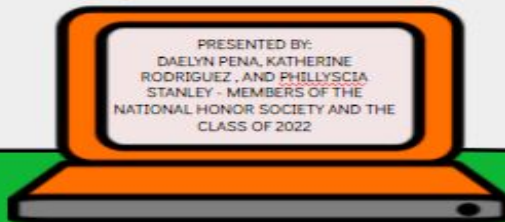
WEDNESDAY 1:00-2:00pm

COME AND BE TUTORED BY YOUR PEERS!

ASYNCHRONOUSLY ONLINE!

For more information please contact:

[cjohnson@thewcs.org](mailto:cjohnson@thewcs.org)



# MARCH FUNDRAISER: NHS MEMBER KATHERINE R. CLASS OF 2022



RALLY.ORG

WCHS National Honor Society Supports Casa  
Marianella | Rally.org

My name is Katherine R. and I am a junior here at WCHS!  
For the month of March, I have organized a fundraiser in  
support of Casa Marianella in Austin, Texas. Whether you  
are able to donate or not, I would still appreciate all of your  
support in this month's effort!

Please spread the word and help make a difference!

Our school donation page is linked below along with a flyer  
that can be used to spread the word.

Thank you so much for your ongoing support :)

Fundraiser Link:

<https://rally.org/casamarianella/cjDkUY2LWMN/katiemanion>



# SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT FROM YOUR PARENT COORDINATOR MS. PINK

OPEN POSITIONS ON THE PARENT  
LEADERSHIP COUNCIL (PLC)



## LOOKING FOR VOLUNTEERS!

AND NEW MEMBERS TO JOIN OUR PLC



### WHAT POSITIONS ARE OPEN?

WE ARE LOOKING FOR:

- PLC TREASURER
- PLC FUNDRAISER
- PLC PARENT VOLUNTEERS



Parent Involvement is so important for our scholars especially during this remote learning we are in. Join us & Make a Difference!

FOR MORE  
INFORMATION  
EMAIL MS. PINK AT  
[mpink@thewcs.org](mailto:mpink@thewcs.org)



# WHY JOIN WCHS PARENT LEADERSHIP COUNCIL (PLC)?

1. Joining the PLC gives a voice to all parents.
2. You will be in the KNOW. You will know what's happening in the school, suggest ideas, plan parent meetings and most importantly increase parent involvement in our school.
3. You can share your skills. All parents whether working or stay at home parents, all have individual talents they can share.
4. You can show you care. Becoming a member of the PLC demonstrates to your scholar the importance you place on education as well as being involved in their world.





Community  
Resources

# COMMUNITY RESOURCES FROM MS. PINK

## MOBILE PANTRY AND POP-UP DISTRIBUTIONS

Food Bank will be distributing fresh produce and shelf stable food at the sites below.

### Brooklyn – Coney Island

Saturday, March 13  
2945 West 33rd St.  
1 PM – 3 PM

### Queens – Far Rockaway

Wednesday, March 17  
15-44 Hassock St.  
12 PM – 2 PM

### The Bronx\*

Justice Sonia Sotomayor  
Community Center  
Saturday, March 20  
1000 Rosedale Avenue  
10 AM – 2 PM

### Queens – Cambria Heights

Saturday, March 20  
227-11 Linden Blvd.  
12 PM – 2 PM

### Brooklyn – Bedford-Stuyvesant

Saturday, March 27  
195 Sanford St.  
10 AM – 12 PM

### Manhattan – East Harlem

Saturday, March 20  
1641 Madison Ave.  
1 PM – 3 PM



\*Sponsored by Navillus Contracting



Open Door Family Life Center

## FOOD PANTRY

RESOURCES  
FROM MS.PINK



EVERY SATURDAY - 8:30AM - 10:30AM  
999 Greene Avenue, Brooklyn, NY 11221

[www.opendoorflc.org](http://www.opendoorflc.org)

**Need Food? We Can Help.**

**Text FOOD to 90847 to  
find free food near you**

OR CALL 844-995-0989. A REAL PERSON IS STANDING BY TO HELP.

We'll connect you to local resources quickly. It might be your neighborhood food pantry or soup kitchen, local volunteers offering food assistance, or government benefits. Learn about what's available near you—a member of our team is just text or call away.



# Summer Youth Employment Program 2021

AGES 14-21

**APPLICATION  
INFORMATION  
COMING SOON!**

VISIT [nyc.gov/SYEP](https://nyc.gov/SYEP)



    
**@NYCYOUTH**



**NYC**  
Department of  
Youth & Community  
Development

  
**WORKFORCE  
CONNECT**  
DYCD Youth Employment Programs

# Recruitment and Enrollment



**WILLIAMSBURG**  
CHARTER HIGH SCHOOL

Looking for the **best high school** for your child?

¿Buscando la mejor escuela secundaria para su hijo?

The Williamsburg  
Charter School

**APPLY NOW!**

For the 2021 - 2022 school  
year lottery!

Visit Us >>

[www.thewcs.org/apply](http://www.thewcs.org/apply)



Applications due April 1st by 6 pm!

¡Las solicitudes deben presentarse el 1 de abril a las 6 pm!

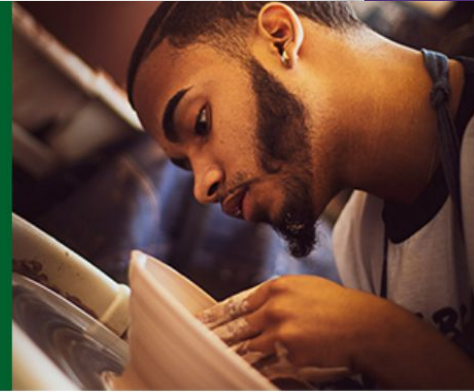
The Williamsburg  
Charter School

**¡SOLICITA AHORA!**

La lotería del año escolar  
2021 - 2022

Visite >>

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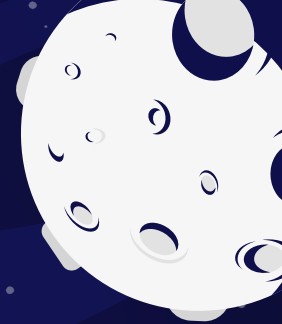


The Williamsburg Charter High School unites youth, families, staff, teachers and the community at large in providing young people with the tools necessary to make sense of the world, preparing them in their journey to become citizens of the local and global community. Young people will accomplish this through participation in a liberal arts education that includes language, literature, writing, science, history, mathematics, the visual and performing arts, technology and explorations in disciplines designed to teach justice, independent thinking, respect and compassion for themselves and others as well as the skills of critical thinking, communication and research.

Visit Us »



**CONTEST  
WINNER!**



## Community Table

### OPEN PARENT DISCUSSION

**When the school reopens will your scholar attend in - person learning or continue with Remote learning?**

