



**SEPTEMBER
NEWS & SUPER
RESOURCES
FROM YOUR
PARENT
COORDINATOR
MS. PINK**



**BACK
TO
SCHOOL!**



**BACK TO SCHOOL
EDITION 2022**

Hello Families,

It's your Parent Coordinator Ms. Pink. Welcome Back to the 2022-2023 School Year. I hope all is well with you and your family. I put together this resource packet for you with some Amazing resources. Scroll through the entire packet and take advantage of the youth opportunities to build your scholar's resume for college & beyond. Remember I'm just an email away. You can reach me at mpink@thewcs.org Mon - Thurs 9am-2pm



ALL ABOUT WCHS
WHAT YOU NEED
TO KNOW



OUR HEADS OF SCHOOL



Mr. Bashir

Head of School



Ms. Jacobson

Head of Operations

YOUR PARENT COORDINATOR MS. PINK



Remember I'm just an email away.

You can reach me at

mpink@thewcs.org Mon - Thurs

9am-2pm

For All Parent Concerns &

Resources



CORE VALUES: P.R.I.D.E.



PERSEVERANCE

Consistently strive toward excellence. The ability to work diligently, be patient, and never give up. Even if there are problems, you still continue. If at first you don't succeed try and try again.



RESPECT

Respect for Self, Peers, Adults, Differences, and Property



INTEGRITY

Doing what you know is right to do even when no one is looking--honor and honesty in academic and social interactions.



DISCOVERY

Embrace the diversity of our community, look for ways to contribute positively to those around you, explore solutions and respond to challenges with innovation.



EMPATHY

Compassion for others. Considering the perspective of others.

Grade Team Contacts:

<u>Class of</u>	<u>Academy Leader</u>	<u>Academic Counselor</u>
2026	ahelliger@thewcs.org	ydorcely@thewcs.org
2025	lcombs@thewcs.org	kbobe@thewcs.org
2024	jmack@thewcs.org	rdelyon@thewcs.org
2023	smartin@thewcs.org	orodriguez@thewcs.org

Covid Safety: covidconcerns@thewcs.org



**WILLIAMSBURG
CHARTER HIGH SCHOOL**
1000 W. 10th Street, Williamsburg, VA 23186
www.williamsburgcharter.org

Visit the WCHS Campus Store

Choose at
least one of
these items



WCHS Polo
\$25



WCHS Long Sleeve
Sweatshirt \$15

WCHS Long Sleeve
shirt \$10

WCHS
Track Jacket
\$35



Open Monday
Through Friday
at WCHS

Beginning
Thursday,
August 18

7:30 AM until
9:00 AM*

CASH ONLY!
**NO RETURNS OR
EXCHANGES**

*1:45pm-2:45pm on
8/24, 8/25, 8/26 during
Summer Bridge

Uniforms

WCHS is a full uniform school

School polo or school long sleeve

School jacket or school sweater

Black pants (khakis, jeans, slacks, skirts, and shorts)

Black, white, grey, or green shoes (or any combination
of these school colors)

No hats, beanies, bandanas, durags, or any headwear



Uniformes

WCHS es una escuela de uniforme completo

Polo escolar o manga larga escolar

Chaqueta escolar o suéter escolar

Pantalones negros (caquis, jeans, pantalones, faldas y
pantalones cortos)

Zapatos negros, blancos, gris o verdes (o cualquier
combinación de estos colores escolares)

No se permiten sombreros, gorros, pañuelos, durags o
cualquier accesorio para la cabeza





Bell Schedule

PERIOD	MON	Mins	TUE	Mins	WED	Mins	THU	Mins	FRI	Mins
<i>BFAST/0</i>	<i>7:15 AM</i>	<i>40</i>	<i>7:15 AM</i>	<i>40</i>	<i>7:15 AM</i>	<i>40</i>	<i>7:15 AM</i>	<i>40</i>	<i>7:15 AM</i>	<i>40</i>
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5	11:40 AM	45	11:40 AM	45	11:25 AM	35	11:40 AM	45	11:40 AM	45
6	12:30 PM	45	12:30 PM	45	12:05 PM	35	12:30 PM	45	12:30 PM	45
7	1:20 PM	45	1:20 PM	45	12:45 PM	35	1:20 PM	45	1:20 PM	45
8	2:10 PM	45	2:10 PM	45	1:25 PM	35	2:10 PM	45	2:10 PM	45
9	3:00 PM	55	3:00 PM	55			3:00 PM	55	3:00 PM	55

ADVISORY / LUNCH

Please arrive by 7:40AM for check in and bag check.

Clear Book Bags are recommended (not mandatory) for easier Bag Checking

MASK AND UNIFORM ARE MANDATORY EVERYDAY!

¡MÁSCARA Y UNIFORME SON OBLIGATORIAS!

HOW NOT TO WEAR A FACE MASK



Do not
wear your mask
below your nose



Do not
leave your
chin exposed



Do not
wear a mask that
is loose or has
gaps on the side



Do not
wear your mask
such that it only
covers the tip
of your nose



Do not
push your
mask on
your neck



Wear your mask all the
way up, close to the bridge
of your nose, and all the
way down under your chin.
The mask should snug
around your face without
gaps. Do your best to
tighten the loops.

WORKING PAPERS

Working papers are also known as Employment Certification.

Who needs working papers?

All students between 14 - 17 years of age must get an employment certificate in order to work.

How do I get working papers?

Contact Ms. Allison Witkowski via email at:

awitkowski@thewcs.org for further details.

Things to keep in mind:

You must have a current medical on file or go to the doctor to update form. You must complete a working paper form.

You must sign for & pick up your working paper in person.

Note: Some employers may phone your school to see if you are a student and have good attendance, especially during this virtual time of learning.

AT-18

THE UNIVERSITY OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK
THE STATE EDUCATION DEPARTMENT
ALBANY, NEW YORK 12234

Nonfactory Employment Certificate

Valid for Lawful

Employment of a Minor 14 or 15 Years of Age

Enrolled in Day School When Attendance
Is Not Required

(This certificate expires the day preceding the minors sixteenth birthday)

Number

Date of Issuance

Name of Minor

Date of Birth

Social Security Number

Signature of Minor in Presence of Issuing Official

(School Building and Public School District)

Signature of Issuing Official

Rev. 9/91

C. F. Williams & Son, P.O. Box 828, Albany, N. Y. 12201



OVERVIEW FOR WORKING PAPERS

If you are aged 14-17 you will need an employment certificate, also called working papers, in order to hold a job in New York State.

This rule covers:

- High school graduates
- Minors who work for their parents
- Minors who do industrial homework

Working papers are divided into two age groups (14-15 and 16-17):

14-15-year-olds - Your working papers are blue. If you are 14 and 15 years old, you are issued these working papers because you are not allowed to work in a factory.

16-17-year-olds (in school) - Your working papers are green. The difference between 14-15 year old working papers and 16-17 year old working papers is that you are allowed to work in a factory. You cannot work around certain machines, do construction work, help on a motor vehicle, clean, oil, wipe, or adjust belts on machinery.

Hours You Can Work When in School



Age Maximum, Daily Work Hours, Maximum Weekly, Work Hours Maximum,, Number Of Days Worked Per Week & Work Times

Ages 14-15

- 3 hours on school days
- 8 hours on non-school days (most likely Saturday and Sunday)

18 hours (max weekly hours) 6 days (max number of days worked per week) 7am to 7pm

Ages 16-17

- 4 hours on Monday-Thursday on school days
- 8 hours on Friday, Saturday, Sunday and Holidays

28 hours (max weekly hours) 6 days (max number of day worked per week) 6am to 10pm

Note: Scholars must work after school hours & MUST balance school and work life. Scholars of WCHS must attend school every day, complete all assignments, homework, study & pass All exams if they choose to obtain employment. Scholars must locate employment on their own.

When School is Not in Session



Age Maximum Daily Work Hours Maximum Weekly Work Hours Maximum Number Of Days Worked Per Week Work Times

Ages 14-15

- 8 hours daily, 40 hours weekly, 6 days per week
- 7am to 9pm (June 21 to Labor Day) - hours to work between

Ages 16-17

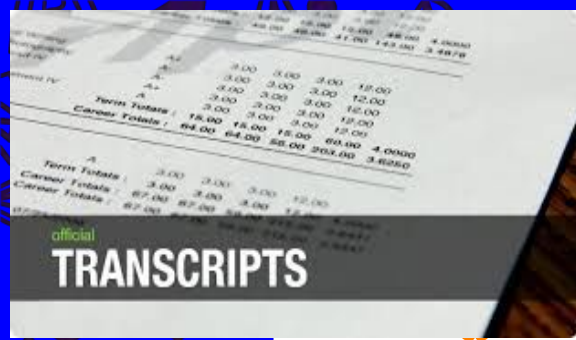
- 8 hours daily, 48 hours weekly, 6 days per week
- 6am to Midnight - hours to work between

Visit this link for more details:

[Youth Ages 14-17 | Department of Labor \(ny.gov\)](#)

SPECIAL NOTE: **Be careful with Social Media**

What you post on social media does matter. Check your privacy settings to allow only certain people to see your posts. Some employers check social media profiles—so think before you post!



**IF YOU NEED A COPY OF YOUR
SCHOLAR'S TRANSCRIPT, UPDATE YOUR
ADDRESS or LETTER OF ATTENDANCE
PLEASE EMAIL:
Ms. Cooper at
ecooper@thewcs.org**



A vibrant, colorful border surrounds the text, featuring stylized flowers in orange, red, and yellow, green leaves, and various scrollwork and swirls in yellow, orange, and red. The background is a blue pattern with white floral motifs.

**COMMUNITY
HAPPENINGS &
RESOURCES**

YOUTH OPPORTUNITIES

GET PAID \$1000 AS PART OF OUR CAREER DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM.

8 month program includes training, certifications and a paid internship, all at no cost to students.

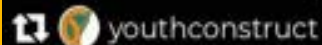


Apply by
September 28

- 11th or 12th grade only
- NO GPA requirement
- Must be interested in learning about Architecture, Construction, Engineering or Development (ACED)
- Residents of New York City
- BIPOC students from underserved communities are highly encouraged to apply



[YOUTHCONSTRUCT.ORG/STUDENT-APPLICATION](https://youthconstruct.org/student-application)



📞 212-234-1443

✉ info@youthconstruct.org

🌐 youthconstruct.org



BELIEVE & INSPIRE IS HOSTING
VIRTUAL AFTER-SCHOOL PROGRAMS

FALL 2022 PROGRAMS

FINANCIAL LITERACY 101

This program covers learning about budgeting, banking, credit, investing, financial stability, understanding your spending habits and much more!

Sept 21 - Nov 30 | Wednesdays | 4pm-5pm | Cost: Free

JOB READINESS

This program covers creating achievable career goals, writing a professional resume & cover letter, navigating the interview process, building confidence in communication skills, and more!

Sept 22 - Dec 1 | Thursdays | 4pm-5pm | Cost: Free

COLLEGE ADMISSIONS PREPARATION

This program covers navigating the admissions process and the Common App, applying for financial aid, understanding how to make your college essay stand out, completing two college essays, and more!

Sept 19 - Dec 12 | Mondays | 4pm-5pm | Cost: \$120

Details & Registration:

Ages: 15 - 19

More details: believeandinspire.org/programs

Register: believeandinspire.org/registration

Registration deadline: Sept 15



MHAP

MENTAL HEALTH AWARENESS PROJECT

Interested in Mental Health and being a
Peer Advocate?

APPLY TO MHAP

The Mental Health Awareness Project (MHAP)
is recruiting young people from the ages of 16 to 24 for our next
cohort of Mental Health Peer Advocates.

This is a great opportunity to become an advocate and make
a change in your community.

LINK TO MHAP 2022 APPLICATION
CAN BE FOUND IN OUR LINK TREE IN OUR BIO



Application Deadline: September 26

Internship Details



Location: Hybrid

Required Skills & Qualifications:

- Must be motivated and hard-working with a desire to make a difference in their community
- Must be comfortable with using technology and video conferencing platforms (ex. ZOOM, Google Classroom, etc.,).
- Must have access to an electronic device (ex. computer, laptop, tablet, etc.,) and have an adequate internet connection.
- Comfortable using public transportation and working in various locations throughout NYC.
- Must be committed to attending Saturday morning training (10:30 am - 1 pm) and have availability throughout the weekday, a minimum of 2 - 5 hours is recommended.



HAVE ANY QUESTIONS?

SEND US A MESSAGE



@advocacycorps

OR EMAIL



info@advocacycorps.org



Open Door Family Life Center

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RESOURCES
FROM MS. PINK



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2022

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SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 10, AT 2 PM

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Elder Robert L. Madison, Pastor




CAREER FAIR

September 21, 2022
10am-3pm

Employment & Support Services Administration (ESSA) in Collaboration with Queens Borough President Donovan Richards

Queens Borough Hall
Helen Marshall Cultural Center / Lower-Level Atrium
120-55 Queens Blvd, Queens, NY 11424



Pre-register to attend by scanning the QR Code or sending an email to: DonovanRichards@nyc.gov

 Masks are required  Security check

Positions Available Include and are not limited to the following:

- Employment Coach
- Receptionist
- Social Worker
- MTA Police Officer
- Housing Specialist
- Counselor
- Outreach Crisis Coordinator
- Transit Electrical Helper
- Clinical Psychologist and many more!

TELECOMMUNICATIONS & COPPER CABLING CERTIFICATION CLASS

CLASSES ARE HELD AT
BROOKLYN NAVY YARD STEAM CENTER
141 Flushing Avenue
Building 77 | Suite 301, 11205

FALL CLASSES BEGINS SEPTEMBER 12TH!

+ 6 WEEK COURSE +

SATURDAYS

9:00AM - 2:00PM

APPOINTMENT REQUIRED FOR REGISTRATION

** MUST BE 21 OR OLDER**

CONTACT

718-384-5028

TEXT 'CABLE' to

917-612-7831

SCHOOL7ADULTED@GMAIL.COM

SCAN ME!



MEDICAL ASSISTANT TRAINING

(CERTIFICATION NOT INCLUDED)

FREE

MUST BE 21 YEARS AND OVER

CLARA BARTON HIGH SCHOOL

901 CLASSON AVE, BROOKLYN
NY 11225

CLASS WILL BE HELD ON

MONDAYS & WEDNESDAYS

5:00PM - 8:00PM

CALL FOR REGISTRATION

APPOINTMENT:

718-384-5028

TEXT 'MED' to

917-612-7831

EMAIL:

OACES7@SCHOOLS.NYC.GOV



CLASS STARTS SEPTEMBER 12TH !

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718-789-3636

bw@bwiny.org



<https://bwiny.org/brooklyn-woods/overview/>



REP. YVETTE D. CLARKE
DISTRICT 9



REP. HAKEEM JEFFRIES
DISTRICT 8



REP. NYDIA M. VELÁZQUEZ
DISTRICT 7

SAVE THE DATE!
SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 17, 2022

**BROOKLYN
CONGRESSIONAL
CAREER FAIR**



SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 17, 2022
10:00 AM - 2:00 PM

RSVP & REGISTER
[HTTPS://TINYURL.COM/BKCAREERFAIR2022](https://tinyurl.com/bkcareerfair2022)

NYC CITY COLLEGE OF TECHNOLOGY
GYMNASIUM
285 JAY STREET
BROOKLYN, NY 11201



BRING A RESUME (few copies) & BE PREPARED TO INTERVIEW



Job placement assistance

Tuition-free programs

Recruiting Now!



Academic Programs

- College Preparation
- English for Speakers of Other Languages
- High School Equivalency

Short term training:

- OSHA 30 Construction and Site Safety Training
- Security Guard Training

All in-person classes and activities require vaccination

Career Programs

- Direct Support Professional* (Medical Assisting*)
 - Medical Billing and Coding
 - Office Administrative Professional w/ Microsoft Office
 - Patient Care Technician
 - Tourism and Hospitality
- *Includes in-person instruction*

Most programs offered online (subject to change)

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111 Livingston Street
Brooklyn, NY 11201



For application & eligibility requirements visit:
www.sunybeoc.org

For more info: 718-602-3344 or admissions@beoc.cuny.edu

Administered by New York City College of Technology

FLATBUSH BEACON AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAM

APPLICATION DISTRIBUTION

(BRING A PHOTOCOPY OF THE FOLLOWING REQUIRED DOCUMENTS):

1. PROOF OF ADDRESS, 2. PHOTO OF CHILD, 3. BIRTH CERTIFICATE, 4. LAST REPORT CARD

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2:30PM - 4:30PM

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9/16 - 10/7
6:30PM

PROGRAM SITE:
PARKSIDE PREPARATORY ACADEMY

655 Parkside Avenue, Brooklyn NY 11226

MORE INFORMATION EMAIL:

- jhudson@mec.cuny.edu - Director
- cmcnell@mec.cuny.edu - Assistant Director
- dburke@mec.cuny.edu - Outreach Coordinator

DAYS OF OPERATION:

MON - THURS 2:30PM - 6PM
FRI 2:30PM - 5:30PM*
SAT 10AM - 5PM**



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NYC Department of Youth & Community Development



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APPLY NOW FALL 2022 FREE GED PREP PROGRAM

A free 16-week program that helps young fathers work towards their High School Diplomas (GED) while working on their personal development.


ELIGIBILITY

- Ages 18-30
- Father or expectant father
- NYC resident
- Willing to comply with CUNY vaccine policies

WHAT WE OFFER

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 **Financial Assistance:** \$1750 Stipends and incentives

 **Job Readiness and Employment Assistance:** Explore careers and receive assistance with employment resources

 **Parenting Workshops:** Gain valuable information on your rights and responsibilities as a father, learn about parenting, health, and financial literacy

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REGISTER TO TAKE **EXAM**
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NYC's African Heritage Celebration and Festival

Saturday, September 17, 2022
10:00am - 5:00pm

Lou Gehrig Plaza
Grand Concourse & East 161 St.
The Bronx, NY 10451
(3 161 St. & Walton Ave.)

Please RSVP at bit.ly/africancelebration

To request an assistive listening device, interpretation, or another accommodation, please email Christelle Onwu at conwu@cchr.nyc.gov by **September 12**.

The 5th Annual African Heritage interagency collaborative event for people of African descent brings together this diverse community to celebrate its experiences and culture.

Are you a person with a disability who likes working with computers?

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Check out ICD's free technology training programs!



- **Certification:** Cisco Certified Network Associate (CCNA)
- **Time Commitment:** 6 months
- **Core Skills:** Network and Security Fundamentals; Network Access; IP Connectivity; IP Services; Automation; and Programmability



- **Certification:** A+
- **Time Commitment:** 5 months
- **Core Skills:** Hardware, Software, and Network Troubleshooting; Virtualization and Cloud Computing; Operating System; Security; Mobile Devices; and Operational Procedures

Contact us to learn more and apply for your free training:



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info@icdnyc.org



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New York, NY 10038



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Open to kids ages 12-19



Saturdays | 11AM-12.30PM
Classes begin Sept 10th

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Brooklyn, NY 11207



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Taylormadeinc2@aol.com
(646) 875-4480



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Adriano Espallat is
currently looking to fill a
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following position:

IMMIGRATION CASEWORKER

- Full-time position in New York office
- Responsible for handling local immigration cases, providing constituent assistance, answering related correspondence
- Fluent English and Spanish required
- NYC ties are a plus
- Prior immigration casework or immigration service experience required.

APPLY NOW

Send your resume to :


Espallat_Jobs@mail.house.gov

subject line: "Immigration Caseworker"

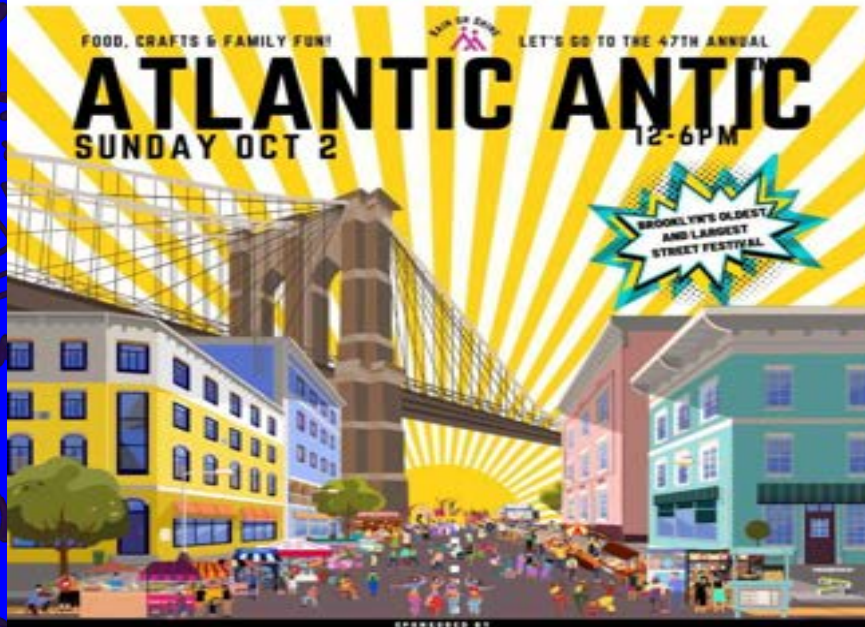
ESPAILLAT.HOUSE.GOV



Submit your contact information: <https://tinyurl.com/bderdwfm>
Full job posting: www.majorityleader.gov/jobs/2282

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WORKFORCE 1

JOB Fair

September 14th, 2022 / 10AM -3PM
630 Flushing Ave 2nd Fl, Brooklyn NY 11206
Building Skills NYC, Brooklyn Workforce 1, Helping U Homecare and
Brooklyn Navy Yard
will be onsite screening for the following:

- Construction Laborers
- Flaggers
- Security Guards (Licensed & Unlicensed)
- Maintenance
- Food Service Workers (JFK)
- HHA & PCA (Free Trainings Available)
- Various other positions!

District 79 Adult Education will be onsite offering Free GED & Training Classes

MetroPlus Health will be onsite offering Free Health Insurance

Please Call or Email:

Rupert Stewart
Jobs Plus Employment Coordinator

917.267.5588

rstewart@restorationplaza.org



Helping U
Homecare





Do you need more afterschool programs, food banks, or tutoring services? Complete the Community Needs Assessment survey to help plan and prioritize future spending for your neighborhood. Fill out your survey today, <https://bit.ly/DYCDCNA22!>

NYC Department of Health & Community Engagement

YOUR VOICE MATTERS

Take the Community Needs Assessment today!

We want to hear directly from New Yorkers about what they think is needed to improve the well-being of their own community

The poster features a grid of six circular images showing diverse people in various community settings, such as a group discussion, a person at a computer, and a person in a classroom.



September Trainings with NeON Works!

- 9/9: Learning on the Job (Queens, In-Person, 3:00-4:30)
- 9/14: Identifying Your Skillset (East New York, In-Person, 3:00-5:00)
- 9/13: Financial Literacy (Brownsville, In-Person, 2:00-5:00)
- 9/15: Working Your Strengths (Staten Island, Hybrid, 3:00-4:00)
- 9/19-9/23: Building Connections (Harlem, In-Person, 4:30-6:00)
- 9/20: Busting Career Myths (Bed-Stuy, In-Person, 3:00-4:30)
- 9/21: Creating a Budget and Saving Money (South Bronx, In-Person, 4:30-6:00)

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9/17/22**

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DATE: SEPTEMBER 17, 2022

TIME: 10 am - 1 pm

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**HEALTH, MENTAL
HEALTH &
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TOGETHER
for Mental Health

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Warning Signs for Suicide

SWIPE TO LEARN MORE




Warning Signs

- Increased alcohol and drug use
- Aggressive behavior
- Withdrawal from friends, family and community
- Dramatic mood swings
- Impulsive or reckless behavior



About Warning Signs




Comments or thoughts about suicide – also known as suicidal ideation – can begin small like “I wish I wasn’t here” or “nothing matters.” But over time, they can become more explicit and dangerous.

Knowing the risk factors and warning signs can assist you in finding help for yourself, a loved one or a friend.


See nami.org/suicideprevention for more information.



Is There Immediate Danger?



Suicidal behaviors are a psychiatric emergency. If you or a loved one starts to take any of these steps, seek immediate help from a health care provider or call 911:

- Collecting and saving pills or buying a weapon
 - Giving away possessions
 - Tying up loose ends, like organizing personal papers or paying off debts
 - Saying goodbye to friends and family
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If you're in crisis,
call or text the 988 Suicide and
Crisis Lifeline, available 24/7, at

988

and for information, support or
to learn about the NAMI HelpLine visit:

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**Mon. – Fri. from
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-  **Call:** 1-800-950-NAMI (6264)
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-  **Text:** "HelpLine" to 62640
-  **Chat:** nami.org/help

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Things You Can Do To Help With Back-to-School Anxiety

Approach anxiety instead of avoiding it.

Try acknowledging your child's emotions and help him think of small steps he can take to confront his worries. * Be sure to offer praise and positive affirmation to any brave behaviors, reinforcing approaching his worries.

Focus on healthy habits before the first day of school.

Push up bedtime by twenty minutes or so every few nights until you are back on a school bedtime sleep schedule, keep them hydrated and reintroduce nutritional foods.

Practice school routines.

Do a school day walk-through of the morning routine & confer with your child about things that went well and things that present a challenge. Support your child in problem-solving around potential challenges.

Model behavior you'd like them to replicate.

When an anxious child has a tough moment it's normal to feel frustrated. Try to model the calm behavior you would like to see. Slow, deep breaths. Step away. Grounding techniques.

Develop an anxiety plan.

Regardless of the severity of your child's anxiety, we recommend having an anxiety plan in place. In an ideal world, this will involve, the parent, child, and the child's teacher.

Avoid over-scheduling your child.

Kids with anxiety, need adjustment time to settle into their new routine and establish coping strategies for their anxious thoughts during the transition.

Seek professional help.

When anxiety is impairing your child's ability to function, it may be time to seek out a mental health professional.



5-Minute Mental Health Check



Have I stretched?

Have I been nice to myself and others?

Have I eaten?



Have I had good enough sleep?



How am I feeling?

Am I hydrated enough?



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- Individual Counseling
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one step
at a time



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Stay informed about monkeypox: learn about common symptoms, what typical monkeypox rashes look like, and how it spreads so you can protect yourself and your community. Our website is always updated with the latest information in New York State: health.ny.gov/monkeypox

What does monkeypox look like?



health.ny.gov/monkeypox



Do you have COVID-19 symptoms? Get tested at one of NYC's new mobile clinics. If you test positive and are eligible, you can get free treatment on-site. No ID or health insurance is required.

Find a location near you:
<https://on.nyc.gov/3uGWkIE>

A graphic titled "Mobile Test to Treat" with a pharmacy icon. It features a blue car icon, a person icon with a syringe, and a hand holding a pill bottle. Below the graphic is a banner that reads "NO ID, NO IL, NO INSURANCE. Same-day, on-site COVID-19 treatment available." At the bottom, it says "NYC HEALTH + HOSPITALS" and "Find a Test Location". At the very bottom, it says "TO FIND A COVID-19 TEST SITE OR PICK UP AN AT-HOME TEST, CALL 311 OR VISIT NYC.GOV/COVIDTEST".

New Yorkers: It's your last chance to order free at-home rapid COVID-19 tests from the **US Postal Service** before the program ends on September 2! Addresses with multiple unrelated families can order multiple tests.

Place an order: on.nyc.gov/3KPPIhM



Order free at-home COVID-19 tests from USPS!

Every home in the U.S. is eligible to order a 3rd round of free at-home tests. Order yours today.

Order Free At-Home Tests

Need help placing an order for your at-home tests? Call 1-800-232-6233 (TTY: 1-888-726-2855).

All New Yorkers are eligible. No ID, credit card or health insurance required.

The advertisement features a smartphone displaying the USPS website interface. The phone screen shows the headline 'Get free at-home COVID-19 tests' and a 'Order Free At-Home Tests' button. Below the phone, there is a small photo of a woman and a landscape image.

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Lost your CDC vaccination card? If you got vaccinated in NYC, you can download your official immunization records with My Vaccine Record! These are official reports that can be used as proof of your COVID-19 vaccination:

<http://on.nyc.gov/myvaccinerecord>

Exciting news! NAMI is introducing the option of text messaging our HelpLine in your state. Now you can text HELPLINENY to 62640 to connect M-F 10am to 10pm ET with a trained volunteer specialist for information and support. Have a mental health related question? Text us today!



As the omicron BA.5 subvariant spreads in NYC, it's important to wear a mask in all indoor public settings. This subvariant may be more contagious and more likely to infect people who have been vaccinated, as well as those who have already had COVID-19: on.nyc.gov/covid19prevention





There is
NO CURE
for food allergies yet.



kidswithfoodallergies.org



The social impact of food allergies on families:

-  **9 out of 10** avoid certain restaurants
-  **8 out of 10** change family traditions
-  **5 out of 10** skip important school functions
-  **4.5 out of 10** avoid airline travel (due to food allergy)



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Source: My Life With Food Allergies Survey, April 2016

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**PARENTING TIPS &
RESOURCES**



HOW TO SUPPORT YOUR CHILD DURING BACK-TO-SCHOOL SEASON →

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1 TALK IT OUT

If your child is nervous about the return to school, engage them in a discussion about what is worrying them. Only after that and fully validating their feelings, you might ask them to consider the bright side about returning to school.

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2 USE TEAMWORK

Engage in a collaborative process with your child around managing the stress of going back. Ask them what they think would be helpful to address their fears/discomforts.

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3 GET CREATIVE

Consider other ways of creating a supportive environment when addressing back-to-school stress. Depending on the age of your child, writing, drawing, using clay, or using action figures to express feelings could be less intimidating than just talking.

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4 ENLIST OTHERS

If your child is having a tough time, reach out to their teacher or support people in their school so they can get further help. Explain to your child why you're doing this so it doesn't surprise them. Also consider reaching out to a mental health clinician to work with your child if they're having trouble functioning or their difficulties don't improve after a couple of weeks.

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5 PLAN AHEAD

Run through with your child how the days will look and the details of their schedule. Do this in a fun way, perhaps with drawing, stickers, etc.

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6 CREATE FUN TO LOOK FORWARD TO

Plan an after-school or weekend activity during the first week of school that your child can look ahead to with excitement. This will make the back-to-school adjustment not feel like the only thing in their life right now.

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RESOURCES & FURTHER READING

Child Mind Institute

On Our Sleeves

Anxiety and Depression Association of America (ADAA)

The Trevor Project

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What Is Section 504 and Why Is It Important?



NYC Mayor's Office for
People with Disabilities



Section 504 protects individuals with disabilities from discrimination. Section 504 ensures that children with disabilities have equal access to an education.

If the child has a disability that adversely affects educational performance, the child is eligible for special education services under IDEA



If you or your child is in school and have a disability with no accommodations, contact your school about setting up a 504 plan with the accommodations that you need!





THINGS TEENAGERS LOVE

(EVEN THOUGH THEY'D NEVER ADMIT IT)



BALANCING SCREEN TIME

Advice for Parents

@connectsafely

Not all screen time is created equal. Filming a family TikTok? Great. Endless solo social media scrolling? Not so much.

Talk to kids about their device use in a positive, non-confrontational way. What's their favorite app or game? What are the best/worst things about it?

Think about your own screen time.

Do you use tech to unwind before bed? Do you check texts during family time? Kids often learn more from what we do than what we say.

Make family rules about device use. Smart times to ban devices: short car trips, during meals, an hour before bed.

Strict time limits around tech usually don't work. Relaxed, open conversations about tech-life balance are key.

Parental controls are fine, but talk to your kids about them and revisit the settings every 6-12 months as they grow and mature.



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DELICIOUS FALL RECIPES



Creamy Pumpkin Hummus

**GO TO THIS LINK FOR THE
RECIPE: [Creamy Pumpkin
Hummus Recipe: How to Make
It \(tasteofhome.com\)](https://www.tasteofhome.com/recipes/creamy-pumpkin-hummus)**



Banana Bread

GO TO THIS

LINK FOR

THE

RECIPE: [Banana](#)

[Bread Recipe -](#)

[BettyCrocker.com](#)

Chef John's Pumpkin Pancakes



This basic pancake recipe turns into a delicious holiday breakfast simply by adding pumpkin and some fall spices! Recipe by [Chef John](#)

GO TO THIS LINK FOR THE RECIPE:
[Chef John's Pumpkin Pancakes | Allrecipes](#)

Creamed Spinach-Stuffed Salmon will be your new fave weeknight dinner. Full recipe: <http://dlsht.it/EAIUD2c>



Air Fryer Chili-Spiced Chickpeas are the most fun crunchy snack. Full recipe: <http://dlsht.it/dAsvTGp>



Why is shrimp salad so perfect?! Full recipe:
<http://dish.it/RGOBI16>



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recipe: <http://dish.it/ga0PsH6>



Banana Pudding + Cheesecake = BEST. DESSERT. EVER. 🍌 Full recipe: <http://dlsh.it/XcfpMEc>



Instant Pot Vanilla Bean Rice Pudding

BY: LISA CHILDS VISIT THIS LINK FOR RECIPE:

[Instant Pot Vanilla Bean Rice Pudding | DEMO VIDEO](http://triedtestedandtrue.com)
(triedtestedandtrue.com)

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