Aurora Academy Charter School

Falcon Flash

AACS Falcon Flash February 19th 2024

Sibling Priority

AACS Families,



Our enrollment process is open for the 2024-2025 school year. If you have a sibling of an AACS student that you would like to attend our school next year please fill out this form:

https://forms.gle/vzzMxwm43zs8yB7EA

2024-2025 Enrollment is Open!

AACS Families!

If you have friends or family that are interested in our school, please have them visit our Enrollment Page on our website for the **Enrollment Application and Open House dates!**

Our next school tour date is **Thursday, February 22nd at 8:15am**.

Click on the Falcon to go to our Enrollment Page.



AACS Sports Corner

Spring Sports Tryouts!

Boys Volleyball Tuesday, February 20th and Wednesday, February 21st from 3:30-5pm in the Gym

Boys Soccer and Girls Soccer Tuesday, February 20th and Wednesday, February 21st from 3:30 - 5:00 pm at McMullen Park

Students must have an updated physical on file with Ms. Starkey to try-out. If you have questions please email Ms. Starkey at mstarkey@auroraacademycharter.com



Girls & Boys Basketball Season Recap!

Girls basketball finished the season with 5 wins and 3 losses. Unfortunately, due to our tie-breaker rules, they did not qualify for any postseason games and ended #5 out of 8 teams.

Boys basketball finished the regular season with 7 wins and 1 loss. They secured the #1 seed in the postseason and hosted the first game against AXL Academy. Aurora Academy beat AXL Academy 32-20 on Feb 7 to advance to the semi-finals. On Saturday, Feb 10, we were matched up with the previously undefeated Global Village team. Unfortunately, Aurora Academy lost the lead late in the fourth quarter and was not able to secure a victory, losing to Global Village 31-29.





Upcoming Events

Audition Notice:



Auditions for Aurora Academy's Spring musical

Who: Anyone in 3rd-8th grade

When: Tues., February 20, or Weds., February 21

Callbacks*: Thursday, February 22

Audition Workshops:** Tuesday February 6, and Thursday February 7 from 3:30-4:30

Please Join the Google Classroom for auditions using this code: ctppghx

*Callbacks are ONLY for a select few students that we may need to see again. If you are asked to come to callbacks, we will email your parents and give you a note by Thursday morning. If you are not asked to come to callbacks, do not assume you won't be in the play.

**Not Required, but If you are interested in coaching before you audition, come to one or both of the audition workshops! You will learn what we are looking for, what to practice, and how to prepare!





Valentines Day!

Our students had a fun mid-week surprise with Valentines Day being on Wednesday, February 14th.

Students brought in snacks to exchange and made beautiful boxes!



Volunteers We Need You!

Lost & Found Clean Up:

https://www.signupgenius.com/go/70A0C4FA8AF2DABF85-44646194-lost



Lunch/Recess Help: https://www.signupgenius.com/go/70A0C4FA8AF2DABF85-47187289-lunch

Gifted & Talented

Parents and teachers are invited to nominate students for the Gifted and Talented program.

This is a multi-step process that will involved the following items:

- 1. Fill out one of the nomination forms below
- 2. Fill out the SIGS form for each child nominated
- 3. Student will take the CogAT Assessment
- 4. Mrs. Greenwood will collect data from the students, teachers and parents (including qualitative and quantitative data)
- 5. The GT Team will meet to determine a designation
- 6. All parties will be notified

If you are interested in nominating a student, please fill out the nomination form and I will contact you with the next steps. We will be testing during the week of March 18th and all nominations are due by March 8th (Friday before Spring Break)

Mrs. Greenwood
Gifted and Talented Coordinator K-8
Aurora Academy
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Board Information

Board of Directors Meeting

Monday, March 4th, 2024 6:00 pm AACS Library



You can find the Board Agenda and Minutes on our website: AACS Board Agenda & Minutes





Attention Visitors



We have an increased number of people with stomach illness.



Everyone should wash hands.



Keep your child home if they have any vomiting or diarrhea.



Stay home until free of symptoms for 48 hours.

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Parents and Guardians You can take advantage of our

You can take advantage of our Text Messaging Service

Our school utilizes the SchoolMessenger system to deliver text messages straight to your mobile phone with important information about events, school closings, safety alerts and more.*

If you have a cell phone on file at your child's school, you can participate in this free service* just by sending a text message of "Y" or "Yes" to our school's short code number, 67587.

You can also opt out of these messages at any time by simply replying to one of our messages with "Stop"



SchoolMessenger is compliant with the <u>Student Privacy Pledge™</u>, so you can rest assured that your information is safe and will never be given or sold to anyone.

Opt-In from your mobile phone now!



Just send "Y" or "Yes" to 67587

Information on SMS text messaging and Short Codes.

SMS stands for Short Message Service and is commonly referred to as a "text message". Most cell phones support this type of text messaging. Our notification provider, SchoolMessenger, uses a true SMS protocol developed by the telecommunications industry specifically for mass text messaging, referred to as "short code" texting. This method is fast, secure and highly reliable because it is strictly regulated by the wireless carriers and only allows access to approved providers. If you've ever sent a text vote for a TV show to a number like 46999, you have used short code texting.

*Tems and Conditions – Message frequency varies. Standard message and data rates may apply. Reply HELP for help. Text STOP to cancel. Mobile carriers are not liable for delayed or undelivered messages. See <a href="mailto:schooler:school

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The Trusted Platform for School Community Engagement

<u>Padres y Tutores</u>

Ustedes pueden aprovechar nuestro Servicio de Mensajes de Texto

Nuestra escuela utiliza el sistema de SchoolMessenger para enviar mensajes de texto, directamente a su teléfono móvil con información importante sobre eventos, cierres de escuelas, alertas de seguridad y mucho más.

Usted puede participar en este servicio gratuito* con sólo enviar un mensaje de texto con la "Y" o "Yes" al número de código corto de nuestra escuela, 67587.

También puede optar por no recibir estos mensajes en cualquier momento, simplemente respondiendo a uno de nuestros mensajes con "Stop".



SchoolMessenger es compatible con el **Student Privacy Pledge**™ (Compromiso Con La Privacidad de Los Estudiantes). Puede estar seguro que su información se encuentra en buenas manos y nunca será entregada o vendida a nadie.

Opte por recibir mensajes de texto en su teléfono móvil ahora!



Sólo tiene que enviar "Y" o "Yes"

al: 67587

Información sobre los mensajes de texto SMS y códigos cortos.

SMS significa "servicio de mensajes cortos" y comúnmente se conoce como un "mensaje de texto". La mayoría de los teléfonos celulares son compatibles con este tipo de mensajes de texto. Nuestro proveedor de notificación, SchooliMessenger, utiliza un cierto protocol SMS desarrollado por la industria de las telecomunicaciones específicamente para enviar mensajes de texto en masa, referido como mensajes de texto "código corto." Este método es rápido, seguro y muy confiable, y está estrictamente regulado por los proveedores de servicios inalámbricos y sólo permite el acceso a los proveedores aprobados. Si alguna vez ha enviado un voto de texto para un programa de televisión a un número como 46999, usted ha usado los mensajes de texto de código corto.

* Términos y Condiciones - las frecuencias de los mensajes pueden variar, mensajes y datos estándar pueden aplicar. Responda HELP para obtener ayuda. Responda STOP para cancelar. Los operadores móviles no son nesponsables por los mensajes retrasados o los que no se puedan entregar. Para más información visite la pagina Veb: schoolmessenger.com/txt



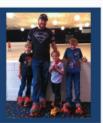
YOUR school's students & parents get FREE membership to the Skate City Family Freebies Club!



We appreciate all of your help and efforts coordinating & promoting Skate City events throughout the year, & wanted to offer your students & parents a GREAT perk of membership into the Family Freebies Club!

- FREE admission on every Friday from 4-6pm, 6-8pm, or 7-9pm
 \$10 in FREE game play every Saturday from 4-6pm, 6-8pm, or 7-9pm
 FREE pizza every Sunday from 6-8pm

- Parents MUST be present with children to
- Traditionally \$5 per family member annually, but YOUR students and families can join for FREE for a year!
- Full snack bar and arcade available for an evening of Skate City fun



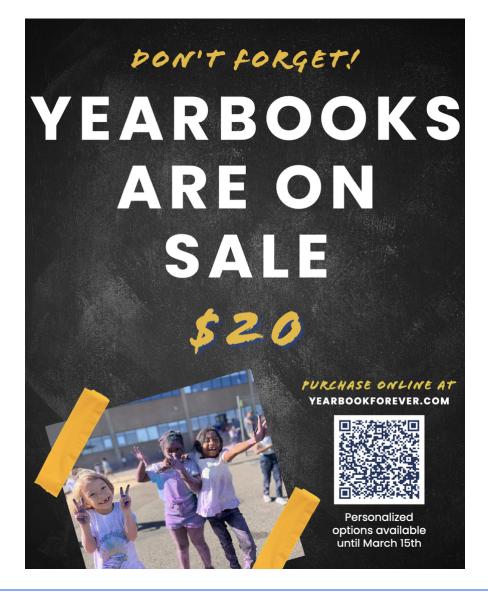
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FAMILY FREEBIES CLUB!



MAKING DENVER SMILE

Pediatric Dental Hygiene Day

No Cost Dental Cleanings for Children!

Pre-Registration Required



■ **Scan to Register**or visit
https://concorde.fyi/DenverSmile

Monday, February 19th 8 a.m. - 1 p.m.

Concorde Career College Dental Hygiene Clinic

111 N. Havana Street Aurora, Colorado 80010





MUSEUM FOR Black Girls

All dental services will be provided by Concorde Dental Hygiene Students under the direct supervision of faculty and licensed dental professionals.

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Museum for Black Girls

"Black Girl Magic" is more than a buzz-word or trend. It's the essence of Black women. The Museum for Black Girls is a space to celebrate this essence, as well as educate about the journey to our present state and liberation. Finally, and most importantly, our museum serves as a love letter to Black women and our experience.

The museum is ultimately a creative celebration of self-love and was created with the intention to highlight black girl magic moments and to recreate some of our memories in. This grassroots endeavor is all installed and put together by family and local artist collaborations.

Guests are invited to experience the joy of black girl magic through interactive installations, immersive rooms, and carefully curated moments....through the lens of black women.

Click on the picture for more information.

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