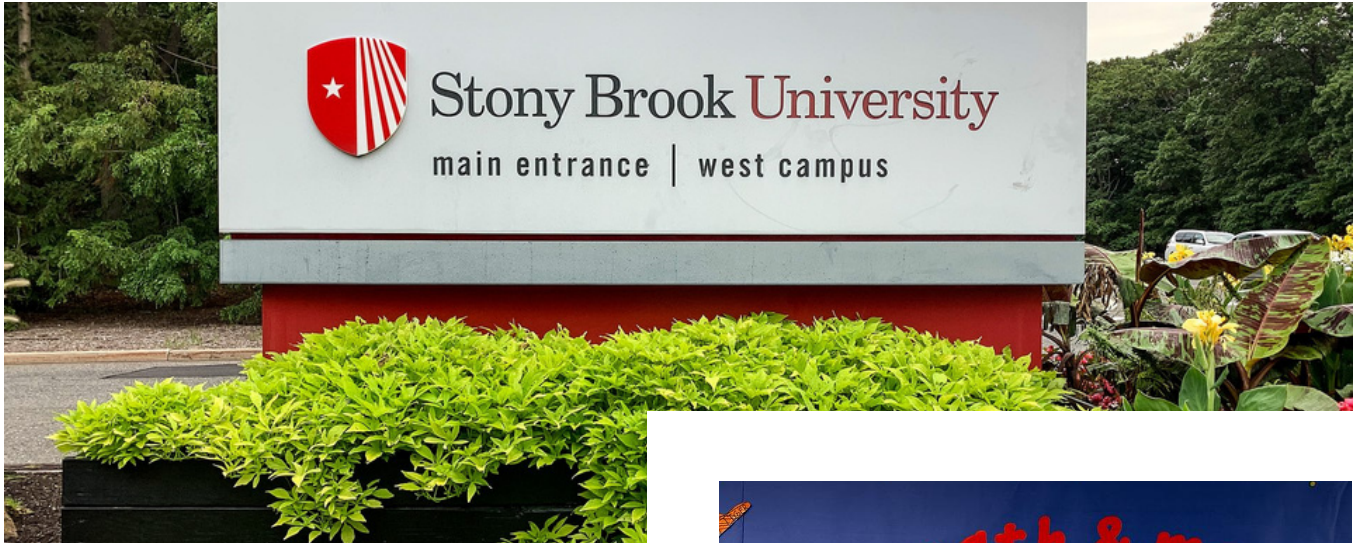




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## EARN COLLEGE CREDIT THROUGH STONY BROOK UNIVERSITY'S ACE PROGRAM

It's great to hear that Brooklyn Amity School has started offering Stony Brook University ACE courses for high school students this year.



## ACCELERATED COLLEGE EDUCATION

These ACE courses are college-level courses that can provide students with valuable educational opportunities. The courses being offered this academic year at Stony Brook University ACE are:

**Mastering the Movie by Ms. Zippo:** This course likely focuses on the art and techniques of filmmaking, providing students with insights into the world of cinema and how movies are made.

**Intro to Calculus by Ms. Su:** An introductory calculus course is a fundamental math course that covers the basics of calculus, which is a crucial subject for students planning to pursue higher education in fields like mathematics, engineering, or the sciences.

### **Marine Biology by Ms. Mahreen:**

Marine biology is the study of marine organisms and ecosystems. This course is a great opportunity for students interested in biology, ecology, or environmental science, as it allows them to explore the fascinating world of marine life.

These courses can be a fantastic way for high school students to challenge themselves academically and gain college-level experience. If students successfully complete these ACE courses, they may also earn college credit, which can be advantageous when they eventually enter higher education. It's important for interested students to inquire about registration and eligibility criteria through school or the Stony Brook University ACE program.

## MATH AND ME: THE STORY OF A FRIENDSHIP WITH MATH

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### MATH AND ME..

Here, Math teacher Ms. Bulut works her wonders, not just with numbers, but with the hearts and minds of her students. In a world where some may fear math as an insurmountable challenge, Ms. Bulut is on a mission to change the narrative. She's fostering a unique friendship between her students and math itself, and it all starts with a simple exercise in growth mindset.

#### **The Power of a Growth Mindset:**

Ms. Bulut firmly believes that math is not an adversary; it's a friend waiting to be embraced. To instill this mindset in her students, she introduces an inspiring and innovative activity. The classroom becomes a space for self-reflection, goal-setting, and a little bit of magic.

#### **Letters to Math:**

Imagine elementary and middle school students, sitting at their desks with pens in hand, ready to pour their thoughts onto paper. They begin by writing everything about themselves on the inside of their hands—a symbol of self-awareness and self-acceptance. Then, on the sleeve of their hands, they write a heartfelt letter to math, addressing it as if it were a dear friend.

#### **The Conversation with Math:**

In these letters, students share their unique relationship with math, their feelings towards it, and their personal experiences. They talk about what ..





they like and dislike, how their math journey has been thus far, and what they hope to achieve in the future. Through these letters, math transforms from an abstract concept to a cherished companion.

### **A Different Perspective:**

By approaching math in this manner, students gain a fresh perspective. They begin to see math as a friend who is there to help, challenge, and grow with them. This shift in mindset sets the stage for a year filled with positive math experiences.

### **Setting Goals for a Math Journey:**

As the year progresses, students revisit their letters and their goals for their friendship with math. They see how their perception of math has evolved, and it becomes a source of motivation. Ms. Bulut's classroom becomes a place where students not only learn math but also learn about themselves and the power of a growth mindset.

### **A Year-Long Friendship:**

The letters to math are a continuous reminder of the friendship that's been established. Students look back at their words throughout the year and reflect on how far they've come in their journey with math. It's a testament to their growth, resilience, and evolving mindset.

In Ms. Bulut's classroom, math is not just a subject—it's a friend, a confidant, and a source of inspiration. Through the simple act of writing letters, students learn that math is not to be feared but embraced. It's a journey of self-discovery, empowerment, and, most importantly, friendship.

As we celebrate Ms. Bulut's dedication to fostering a positive math mindset, we're reminded that with the right perspective, anything is possible—even forming a lifelong friendship with math.



## MIDDLE SCHOOL STUDENTS ENJOY 'BEGINNING OF THE YEAR' BREAKFAST

The new school year at Brooklyn Amity School kicked off with a delightful and meaningful event – the "Beginning of the Year" Breakfast for our middle school students.



### STARTING THE YEAR RIGHT:

It was a morning filled with delicious food, refreshing fruit juices, and inspiring words from our Principal, Mr. Olimi.

The day began with an air of excitement as students gathered to enjoy a hearty breakfast spread. From fresh cheese to fruit juices and everything in between, there was something to satisfy every palate. Laughter and cheerful conversations filled the room as students savored their meal, setting a positive tone for the year ahead.

One of the highlights of the event was the short talk delivered by our Principal, Mr. Olimi.

With his words of wisdom, he reminded our students about the importance of setting and working towards their goals. He encouraged them to approach their studies and extracurricular activities with determination, dedication, and smart strategies. It was a moment of motivation that left a lasting impact on our young learners, setting the stage for a year of growth and achievement.

As the breakfast drew to a close, the students and staff came together for a group photo, capturing the happy and positive atmosphere of the morning. It was a snapshot of unity and togetherness, symbolizing the strong sense of community that defines Brooklyn Amity School.





The "Beginning of the Year" Breakfast was not just about delicious food and enjoyable moments; it was about setting the tone for the year ahead. It reminded our students that they have a supportive school community behind them, cheering them on as they strive for success.

We look forward to a year filled with learning, growth, and accomplishment. With our students' dedication and the guidance of our committed staff, we are confident that the 2023-2024 school year will be one of great achievements and memorable experiences.

Stay tuned for more exciting updates and events as we embark on this new academic journey together!



## HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS ENJOYED THE NEW SCHOOL YEAR KICKOFF BBQ EVENT

Brooklyn Amity School is excited to share the highlights of our recent "New School Year Kickoff BBQ Event" for high school students.



### A MEMORABLE START:

It was an incredible day filled with delicious food, music, and fun activities that brought our students together to kick off the school year on a high note.

#### **Delightful BBQ Delights:**

The event started with the mouthwatering aroma of hotdogs and corn on the cob sizzling on the grill. Our students indulged in these delectable treats, savoring the flavors of summer and creating unforgettable memories. It was the perfect way to satisfy appetites and fuel the day's excitement.

#### **Grooving to the Beats:**

Music played a significant role in setting the mood for the event. Our students grooved to the beats, danced, and enjoyed the lively atmosphere.

The music added an extra layer of joy to the occasion, making it a memorable experience for everyone.

#### **Friendly Volleyball Match:**

The volleyball court was a hub of activity as students engaged in a friendly and spirited game. It was a great opportunity to showcase their volleyball skills and connect with peers. Laughter and camaraderie filled the air as they served, spiked, and dove for the ball.

The "New School Year Kickoff BBQ Event" was more than just a gathering; it was a celebration of the vibrant and close-knit community we have at Brooklyn Amity School.





It provided our high school students with the chance to forge new friendships, strengthen existing bonds, and create lasting memories that will carry them through the academic year.

We are grateful for the enthusiastic participation of our students, the dedication of our staff, and the support of our school community. Events like these remind us of the warmth and unity that define Brooklyn Amity School.

As we move forward into the new school year, we carry with us the positive energy and connections formed during this event. It's a testament to our commitment to creating a supportive and engaging learning environment for our students.

Stay tuned for more exciting events and updates as we embark on this journey together in the 2023-2024 academic year!





## EMBRACING LIFE'S JOURNEY WITH POSITIVITY


Life is a remarkable journey, filled with twists and turns, ups and downs, and countless experiences that shape our unique stories. It's a voyage that becomes even more beautiful when we learn to embrace it with a heart full of positivity and self-acceptance.



### LESSONS FROM MR. KAHYA

Today, we'd like to share with you the inspiring wisdom of our music teacher, Mr. Kahya, through the lyrics of a song that resonates deeply with the essence of his teachings:



"I'm good, I'm good, I'm good, I'm good  
Living life just like I should  
Wouldn't change it if I could  
I'm good, I'm good, I'm good" 

These simple yet profound lyrics hold a powerful message about living life authentically and finding contentment in who we are and the path we're on.

#### **Embrace Yourself:**

Mr. Kahya often reminds us that self-acceptance is the first step toward a positive and fulfilling life.

Just like the lyrics suggest, being "good" doesn't mean striving for perfection or conforming to someone else's standards. It means acknowledging our strengths and weaknesses, embracing our quirks, and loving ourselves for who we are. Each of us is a unique individual with our own set of talents and imperfections, and that's something to celebrate.

#### **Stay Positive:**

In a world where negativity can often overwhelm us, Mr. Kahya encourages us to maintain a positive outlook. Life may throw challenges our way, but it's our response to these challenges that truly matters.





By focusing on the good in every situation and keeping a positive mindset, we can navigate life's ups and downs with grace and resilience.

**Find Happiness in Every Moment:**

Happiness isn't a destination; it's a journey. Mr. Kahya's teachings remind us to savor the present moment and find joy in the little things. Whether it's the melody of a favorite song, the warmth of a smile, or the beauty of nature, happiness can be discovered in the most ordinary moments if we look for it.

**Be Yourself:**

Perhaps one of the most profound lessons from Mr. Kahya is the importance of authenticity. When we are true to ourselves, we radiate a unique and beautiful light that brightens not only our own lives but the lives of those around us. Embracing our individuality and being unapologetically ourselves is a gift we can give to the world.

**Inner Peace:**

Ultimately, embracing life's journey with positivity and self-acceptance leads to inner peace. It's that serene state of mind where we are comfortable with who we are and where we're going. It's a place where external circumstances have less power to disrupt our equilibrium.

As we carry these lessons from Mr. Kahya with us on our life journey, let's remember that life is an adventure, and every day is a new chapter waiting to be written. By embracing ourselves, staying positive, and finding happiness in every moment, we can make this journey a truly extraordinary one.



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## HOW MS. ELMEDINA'S 1ST GRADE CLASS EXPLORES CREATIVITY WITH PLAYDOUGH

In Ms. Elmedina's 1st-grade classroom, learning is an adventure filled with creativity, innovation, and a whole lot of fun.



### LEARNING THROUGH PLAY:

One of the exciting and unconventional ways she encourages her young students to explore their imaginations is through the use of playdough. This hands-on activity has captivated the hearts and minds of her students, making learning a delightful journey.

#### **The Magic of Playdough:**

Playdough, with its vibrant colors and malleable texture, has always held a special place in the hearts of young learners. However, Ms. Elmedina takes it a step further by incorporating playdough into her curriculum as a tool for enhancing creativity and fine motor skills. As the saying goes, "Play is the highest form of research," and in Ms. Elmedina's class, playdough is the ultimate research tool.

#### **Why Playdough?**

**Engagement:** Ms. Elmedina understands that students learn best when they are actively engaged. Playdough provides a hands-on experience that keeps her students focused and excited about learning.

**Creativity Unleashed:** Playdough is a blank canvas for young minds. It allows students to mold and shape their ideas, turning their imagination into tangible creations. From miniature animals to abstract sculptures, the possibilities are endless.

**Fine Motor Development:** Working with playdough requires precision and control, which are crucial for





developing fine motor skills. Students roll, flatten, pinch, and mold the dough, unknowingly improving their dexterity.

### **Learning Through Play:**

Ms. Elmedina integrates playdough into various subjects, making it an educational adventure:

**Math:** Students create numbers, shapes, and patterns with playdough, reinforcing mathematical concepts in a hands-on way.

**Literacy:** The tactile experience of forming letters and words with playdough helps students connect with language in a memorable and enjoyable manner.

**Science:** Playdough can be transformed into simple models of plants, animals, or even the solar system, making science lessons come alive.

**Art:** Beyond its educational benefits, playdough is also a fantastic medium for artistic expression. Students craft their own sculptures, which are proudly displayed in the classroom.

The joy in Ms. Elmedina's classroom is palpable. Students eagerly anticipate their playdough sessions, excited to explore, create, and learn. It's more than an activity; it's a mindset that encourages curiosity, imagination, and a lifelong love for learning.

In the world of education, Ms. Elmedina's approach is a shining example of how creativity and play can be powerful tools for teaching. It reminds us that learning should be an adventure, and in her classroom, every day is an opportunity for students to shape their dreams with playdough.

As we witness the smiles and laughter in Ms. Elmedina's 1st-grade class, we're reminded that education is not just about knowledge; it's also about fostering a sense of wonder and a passion for discovery. And in the hands of a dedicated teacher like Ms. Elmedina, playdough becomes the gateway to a world of limitless possibilities.

So, the next time you see a blob of playdough, remember the magic it holds—a magic that Ms. Elmedina has harnessed to ignite the love of learning in her students' hearts.



## FUN TIME HOMEWORK FOR YOUNG ARTISTS

In the colorful world of Mr. Yasar's art class, learning is not just a task but a joyous adventure. This year, he introduced a unique and engaging approach to homework for his second and third graders that has brought smiles and inspiration to every young artist's face.



## THE CREATIVE GENIUS OF MR. YASAR

Mr. Yasar's goal? To expand this creative homework initiative to all grades, with each having its own distinct format.

### **A Storyteller and an Artist:**

Mr. Yasar is not just an art teacher; he's a storyteller too. He knows that imagination knows no bounds, and young minds thrive on creativity. His innovative homework assignments begin with a short story crafted especially for kids. These stories are like magical portals that transport students to a world of wonder and inspiration.

### **A Homework Journey in 8 Steps:**

After reading the delightful stories, students are introduced to a unique

template—a canvas awaiting their artistic touch. This template breaks down the drawing process into eight simple steps, making art accessible and enjoyable for all. From intricate details to broad strokes, Mr. Yasar's approach ensures that every student can create something beautiful.

### **The Benefits of Fun Time Homework:**

Mr. Yasar's fun time homework is more than just an assignment; it's a vehicle for holistic growth:

**Cultivating Creativity:** By combining storytelling and art, Mr. Yasar nurtures creativity in a way that traditional homework assignments cannot.





Students are encouraged to think outside the box, and their imaginations flourish.

**Reading Comprehension:** Reading the stories enhances students' reading comprehension skills, as they follow narratives and understand context.

**Fine Motor Skills:** The six-step drawing process sharpens fine motor skills, helping students develop better hand-eye coordination.

**Confidence Boost:** Completing each drawing step-by-step instills a sense of accomplishment and confidence in young artists, nurturing their self-esteem.

**Joy of Learning:** Most importantly, this homework is a reminder that learning can and should be joyful. It sparks a love for both reading and creating art, fostering a lifelong passion for both.

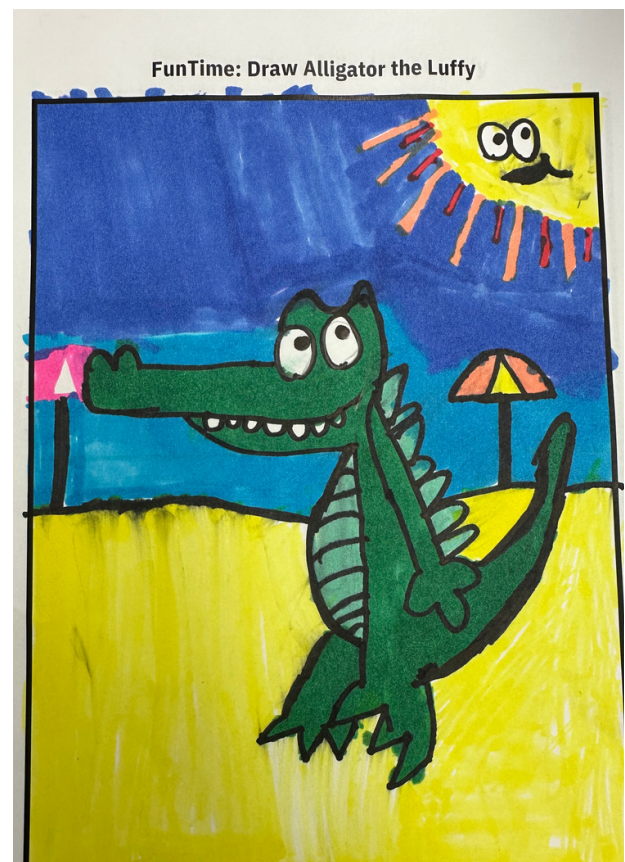
#### **Expanding the Initiative:**

Mr. Yasar's vision doesn't stop with second and third graders. He plans to expand this creative initiative to all grades, tailoring the format to suit different age groups. This means more stories, more art, and more opportunities for students to express themselves and learn in a fun and interactive way.

In Mr. Yasar's class, homework isn't a chore; it's a delightful journey into the realms of imagination and creativity.

It's a testament to the idea that learning should be engaging, holistic, and enjoyable.

As we celebrate Mr. Yasar's dedication to nurturing young artists and storytellers, we're reminded that great teachers, like him, have the power to shape not just students' skills but their hearts and minds as well. Here's to the creative adventures that lie ahead in Mr. Yasar's classroom!



Artwork by  
Adil Abdulvatov  
3rd Grade

## ELEVATING LUNCHTIME FUN: BROOKLYN AMITY SCHOOL ADDS EXCITING ACTIVITIES FOR STUDENTS

At Brooklyn Amity School, we believe in the power of a well-rounded education that extends beyond the classroom.



That's why we're thrilled to announce some exciting additions to our students' lunchtime break. Get ready for more fun, more interaction, and more opportunities to unwind and recharge during this special time of day!

### **A Feast of Fun Activities:**

We understand the importance of providing students with not just nutritious meals but also a chance to socialize, relax, and engage in activities they love. That's why we're introducing an array of exciting activities during lunchtime that cater to different interests and age groups.

**1. Ping Pong:** Whether you're a seasoned pro or just looking for a friendly match, our new ping pong tables will provide hours of thrilling competition and exercise.

**2. Corn Bags:** Cornhole, a beloved classic, is now a part of our lunchtime repertoire. Gather your friends and test your aim in this entertaining and skill-building game.

**3. Chess:** For those who enjoy a cerebral challenge, our chess corner offers a space to practice your strategic skills and engage in friendly battles of wits.

**4. Drawing:** Unleash your inner artist in our dedicated drawing area. Grab some paper and pencils, and let your imagination run wild as you create masterpieces.

**5. More to Come:** We're not stopping there! We have plans to introduce even more activities based on your feedback and preferences. From board games to outdoor sports, we're committed to making your lunch break enjoyable and fulfilling.

# SPANISH EDUCATION AT BROOKLYN AMITY SCHOOL: A JOURNEY THAT BEGINS IN KINDERGARTEN AND THRIVES THROUGH THE YEARS

At Brooklyn Amity School, we believe in the power of early education to broaden horizons and instill a lifelong love for learning.



At Brooklyn Amity School, we believe in nurturing young minds and preparing our students to become global citizens from the very beginning of their educational journey. Our commitment to this vision is evident in our Spanish language program, which starts in kindergarten and extends seamlessly through elementary, middle school, and high school. Led by our passionate educator, Ms. Arevalo, our Spanish classes are a dynamic experience that empowers students to learn through diverse perspectives and exciting activities.

## **A Multigenerational Learning Adventure:**

Our Spanish program is designed to grow with our students, creating a continuum of language learning that spans their entire academic career. Here's a glimpse of how our students are mastering Spanish through various stages of their education:

### **1. Kindergarten Adventures:**

Kindergarten students immerse themselves in the world of language through interactive and playful games conducted entirely in Spanish.

**2. Drama and Storytelling:** As students progress through elementary school, drama becomes a captivating way to learn Spanish. They act out scenes and stories, not only improving their language proficiency but also enhancing their cultural awareness. Our elementary students are budding linguists and performers!

**3. Short Films for Middle Schoolers:** In middle school, students take their language skills to the next level by creating trifold presentations, and short movies in Spanish. This innovative approach not only hones their linguistic abilities but also fosters creativity and teamwork.





High School Mastery: By the time our students reach high school, they are well on their way to becoming fluent in Spanish. The curriculum becomes more advanced, encompassing literature, history, and culture. Our high schoolers not only communicate confidently in Spanish but also engage deeply with the language's rich cultural heritage.

**A Holistic Learning Experience:**

Ms. Arevalo's classes are more than language lessons; they are a gateway to a world of knowledge and understanding. Through various activities, students experience the benefits of bilingualism:

**Cultural Immersion:** Our curriculum ensures students develop a profound appreciation for the cultures, traditions, and histories of Spanish-speaking countries.

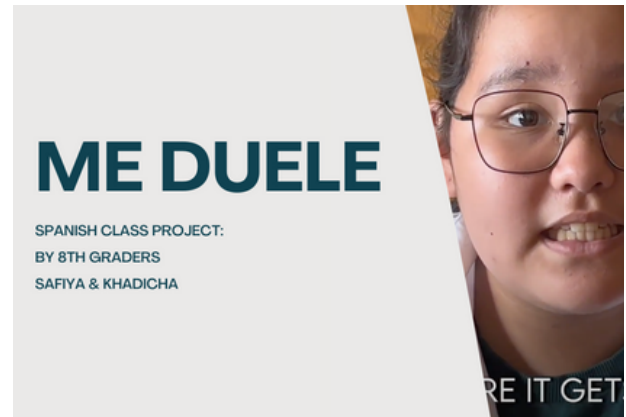
**Critical Thinking:** Learning through different perspectives cultivates critical thinking skills, enabling our students to navigate complex global issues with empathy and insight.

**Lifelong Connections:** As students progress through the program, they form bonds with their fellow learners, creating a supportive community of bilingual students.

**A Heartfelt Gratitude:**

We extend our heartfelt gratitude to Ms. Arevalo for her dedication and commitment to providing a diverse and engaging Spanish education. Her passion enriches the lives of our students and prepares them for a future where multiculturalism and multilingualism are valued.

Brooklyn Amity School is proud to offer a comprehensive Spanish program that not only equips our students with language skills but also fosters a deep appreciation for the world's diversity. As our students journey through kindergarten to high school, they become not just fluent Spanish speakers but global citizens who are prepared to thrive in an interconnected world.



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## **BROOKLYN AMITY SCHOOL'S SCIENCE OLYMPIAD TEAM GEARS UP FOR 2024 NATIONALS AT MICHIGAN STATE UNIVERSITY**

The spirit of scientific inquiry is alive and thriving at Brooklyn Amity School as 18 talented middle school students prepare to represent their institution at the 2024 Science Olympiad National Tournament.



With a passion for knowledge and a thirst for scientific discovery, these students are eager to showcase their skills in various disciplines of science.

### **The National Stage:**

The prestigious 2024 Science Olympiad National Tournament is set to take place in person at the esteemed Michigan State University. From May 24th to 25th, 2024, these two days will be filled with intense competition, camaraderie, and a celebration of scientific excellence.

### **A Multifaceted Challenge:**

The Science Olympiad encompasses a wide array of scientific fields, testing participants' knowledge, problem-solving abilities, and teamwork. Here are some of the exciting topics the Brooklyn Amity School team will tackle:

### **LIFE, PERSONAL & SOCIAL SCIENCE:**

Anatomy and Physiology  
Disease Detectives  
Ecology  
Forestry  
Microbe Mission

### **EARTH AND SPACE SCIENCE:**

Dynamic Planet  
Fossils  
Meteorology  
Reach for the Stars  
Road Scholar

### **PHYSICAL SCIENCE & CHEMISTRY:**

Air Trajectory  
Can't Judge a Powder  
Crime Busters  
Optics  
Wind Power



**TECHNOLOGY & ENGINEERING:**

- Flight
- Roller Coaster
- Tower
- Wheeled Vehicle

**INQUIRY & NATURE OF SCIENCE:**

- Codebusters
- Experimental Design
- Fast Facts
- Write It Do It

**The Journey to Nationals:**

Before the grand event at Michigan State University, teams often participate in smaller competitions like Invitationals and Regionals. These contests, frequently held on college campuses, provide valuable experience and the chance to refine their skills.

**A Collective Effort:**

Success in the Science Olympiad is not only a testament to the students' dedication and hard work but also a reflection of the guidance and mentorship they receive from their coaches. The entire team, along with their coaches, will embark on this exciting journey to represent Brooklyn Amity School proudly.

As these young scientists prepare to embark on their journey to the 2024 Science Olympiad National Tournament, they carry with them the school's legacy of academic excellence and a passion for discovery.

Brooklyn Amity School stands behind them, cheering for their success and celebrating their commitment to the pursuit of knowledge. We wish them the best of luck as they prepare to shine on the national stage and demonstrate the power of science to inspire, educate, and transform young minds.



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## BROOKLYN'S MIDDLE SCHOOL MATH ENTHUSIASTS GEAR UP FOR MATHCOUNTS

In the bustling borough of Brooklyn, the month of February is not just about winter chills; it's also a season of mathematical excitement as middle school students eagerly prepare to join MathCounts.



With two teams in the spotlight, this math competition isn't just about numbers; it's a journey that builds problem-solving skills, boosts confidence, and transforms attitudes toward math.

### **The Countdown to MathCounts:**

As February approaches, the air is abuzz with anticipation as middle school students in Brooklyn get ready to take on MathCounts, a nationwide math competition that challenges young mathematicians in grades 6-8. It's a momentous occasion that symbolizes the pursuit of mathematical excellence.

### **Two Teams, One Goal:**

In the heart of Brooklyn, two dedicated teams are on a mission to conquer MathCounts. They are not just preparing; they're honing their

problem-solving skills, exploring the depths of middle school math, and fostering a camaraderie that only a shared mathematical journey can bring.

### **The MathCounts Experience:**

MathCounts isn't your ordinary math competition. It's a transformative experience that goes beyond arithmetic and algebra. It's about cultivating a love for math and instilling confidence in problem-solving abilities. This nationwide initiative is championed by the MATHCOUNTS Foundation, a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization on a mission to make math accessible and exciting for all.

### **A Nationwide Impact:**

The MATHCOUNTS Foundation reaches students in grades 6-8 across all



states and territories in the U.S. with its two extracurricular math programs. These programs are designed to inspire young minds, helping them build a positive attitude toward math and cultivate essential problem-solving skills.

### **Countless Success Stories:**

Year after year, hundreds of thousands of students across the nation participate in MathCounts programs or benefit from their valuable resources. The impact is immeasurable as students discover the thrill of mathematical discovery and build a solid foundation for their academic journeys.

As Brooklyn's middle school students prepare to take the MathCounts stage, they embark on a journey that extends beyond equations and theorems. It's a journey of self-discovery, teamwork, and the cultivation of mathematical passion. We eagerly await their achievements and celebrate their dedication to mathematical excellence.

We would also like to extend our heartfelt gratitude to our dedicated Math teacher, Ms. Bulut, whose unwavering support and guidance have been instrumental in preparing our students for this remarkable journey. Her commitment to nurturing young mathematical minds is truly commendable, and we are grateful for her tireless efforts.

MathCounts isn't just a competition; it's a testament to the enduring power of mathematics to inspire, challenge, and transform young minds. Thank you, Ms. Bulut, for your dedication and passion for mathematics education.



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## EXPANDING EXCELLENCE: MORE UPK CLASSES ADDED TO BROOKLYN AMITY SCHOOL

Brooklyn Amity School has always been dedicated to providing quality education, and our commitment to this mission extended even to our youngest learners.



We were excited to announce that we added more Universal Pre-K (UPK) classes to our roster. This expansion was a testament to our unwavering dedication to early childhood education and the continued trust and support of our incredible community.

### **A Tradition of Excellence:**

Our UPK program had been a shining beacon of quality education since its inception, offering free education to young learners and preparing them for a bright academic future. We took immense pride in the success stories that emerged from our UPK classrooms, where children's curiosity and love for learning were nurtured.

### **A Growing Demand:**

The decision to add more UPK classes came in response to the growing demand for this exceptional program.

We were humbled by the trust our community placed in us to provide their children with a strong educational foundation, and we were committed to meeting this demand with enthusiasm and dedication.

### **A Heartfelt Thank You:**

We would like to take this opportunity to express our heartfelt gratitude to our community for their unwavering trust and support. Your belief in our educational mission drove us to continually strive for excellence. It was your support that enabled us to expand our UPK program and provide more young learners with the best possible start to their educational journey.

## ILLUMINATING LIVES, RESTORING HOPE – OUR MISSION IN TANZANIA 2023-2024

The Little Healers Collective at Brooklyn Amity School's Elementary division is a dedicated group of compassionate young minds who have united with a profound mission:



To bring light and hope to underserved communities through cataract surgeries. With unwavering determination, we embark on a journey in the 2023-2024 school season to provide essential cataract surgeries in Tanzania. Our goal is clear - to perform 100 cataract surgeries and restore vision for those in need.

Driven by the belief that even the smallest hands can make a significant impact, our collective is committed to transforming lives and spreading the gift of sight. Guided by empathy, empathy, and a deep sense of responsibility, we channel our energies towards eradicating preventable blindness in underserved regions.

By rallying together, raising funds, and advocating for the cause, we aim to illuminate the lives of those who have been living in darkness.

With each surgery, we aim not only to restore eyesight but also to reignite dreams, potential, and independence. As the Little Healers Collective, we pledge to be the catalysts of change, the agents of compassion, and the bearers of hope. Through our collective efforts, we aspire to touch hearts, change lives, and leave a lasting legacy of healing and empathy.

Support Little Healers



## UPCOMING EVENTS

### >>> OCTOBER 2, 2023

Epic Showdown: Teachers vs. Students  
Volleyball

### >>> OCTOBER 4, 2023

11th Grade Parent Info Session

### >>> OCTOBER 5, 2023

SUNY College Fair at Javits Center

### >>> OCTOBER 13, 2023

Exciting Adventure Ahead: Elementary  
Kids' Pumpkin Picking & Animal Farm  
Visit!

### >>> OCTOBER 24, 2023

Strikes and Spares Await: Middle School  
Students' Bowling Time!

[More Upcoming Events](#)



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Join us in this exciting journey of impact and advancement.



## Brooklyn Amity School Annual Fundraising Campaign

As we embark on another year of growth and transformation, we invite you to be part of a collective effort that empowers our students, enhances our facilities, and shapes the future of our school. Your support propels us forward, and together, we can achieve remarkable goals that benefit the entire community.

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