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If you have any comments or questions please see me in room B210 during ODD days, email jpilarca@mac.com or you can call at 633-MATH.

ANOTHER YEAR!



Its been a rough start since the beginning of the school year. Gear up for another year or two full of meetings about accreditation. As you know, faculty meetings switch gears towards staff development. The faculty

meeting focuses on Literacy to implement in your classroom. Please submit your terrific ideas, lesson plans, and student's evidence to your Department Chairperson (DC) no later than the end of the month. In addition, communication about any matters about the school can be addressed to your DC's or can be directed to any Administrator. Please utilize your department meetings to discuss issues and matters concerning the school. Furthermore, the environment of our school community has been addressed by the JFK Task Force and hopefully be back in our school campus soon. Teachers... Keep up the good work and continue to strive for excellence.

Accreditation Visit in SY 2007-2008

With the visiting committee commending teachers dedicated, hardworking, and collaborative, involved and caring, there are few areas needing top priority for the school's ongoing improvement. Areas on communications, data collections: disaggregation,

and analysis of data, maintenance and upkeep of Facility, and resources for instructional materials and supplies. Within your departments focus on improving these areas as best as you can.

FOCUS GROUPS

The Focus Groups (FG) will have different leaders compared from last year. The department chairpersons will be the leaders for the variety of focus groups. Please visit A100 by Monday October 6, 2008 to see what focus group you will be in and you will be notified from your FG leaders when you will meet and location of the meeting. Be Proactive and Involve Yourself in the Process of Accreditation.

IMPORTANT DATES



Month of October: Implement Literacy Strategy in your classroom. Turn in students evidence to your DC.

October 15: End of 1st Qtr.

October 20-24: FOCUS GROUP WEEK

October 30: Parent Teacher Conference

November 4: Staff Development Location: TBA