

THE WEEKLY TIE-DYE

THE OFFICIAL NEWS OF FREMONT OPEN PLAN

LOOKING AHEAD

MARK YOUR CALENDARS

Wed, Dec 12

- **Minimum Day**
- Open House for Prospective Families – 5:30-7:30pm (begin in Cafeteria)

Thu, Dec 13

- Special PAG Meeting (see below) – 6:00pm – Library

Tue, Dec 18

- Pajama Day (see below)

Fri, Dec 21

- **Minimum Day**
- Peace Assembly – Modesto High Auditorium
- Peace Feast – FOP Campus, in each department

Mon, Dec 24 - Fri, Jan 11

- **No School/Winter Break**

Wed, Jan 16

- **Minimum Day**

Mon, Jan 21

- **No School**

Thu, Jan 24, 6:00pm

- PAG Meeting (Open Forum) – Library

PAJAMA DAY

TIME TO GET COZY

On **Tuesday, December 18**, kids can come to school in their school-appropriate pajamas (no slippers allowed) and enjoy a fun, cozy day.

SPECIAL PAG MEETING RE: ART GRANT

PLEASE ATTEND ON THURSDAY

We all know how enjoyable and educational the classroom art classes have been over the years. PAG needs to discuss the upcoming art grant and associated funds needed at a **special meeting on Thursday, December 13, at 6pm in the library**. Normally there is no PAG meeting in December, but the art grant timeline has moved up, and it must be addressed. Please stop by for this short meeting if at all possible. **If we do not have enough parents at the meeting, we will not be able to move forward with the art funding.** Thank you!

FOP DECALS

PROUDLY DISPLAY FOP ON YOUR VEHICLE

The PAG Marketing Committee would like to give you a small gift. We have professionally cut white vinyl FOP decals for your car window or other application. If you would like to apply one of these decals to show the world that you're proud of FOP, ask your child's teacher for a decal. There is no charge for the decal, so please feel free to take one if you'll use it. (The actual decal is white lettering only with no background.)



INCOMING KINDERGARTENERS

PRIORITY ENROLLMENT FOR SIBLINGS

If you have a little one who will start kindergarten in the Fall of 2019, you may already be thinking about the enrollment process. Please plan to stop by the school office after Winter Break, no earlier than Monday, January 14 but no later than Friday, February 1, 2019, to fill out a green interest form, making sure to indicate that your child is a sibling of a current student. Siblings of current students have first priority for kinder enrollment. But please don't delay! **ALL incoming kinders (siblings of current students and new families) must have a green interest form completed and turned in to the office by February 1, 2019.**

NEW FOP FAMILIES

Word of mouth is the very best way to advertise our school, so please tell others about FOP! Any families interested in FOP should stop by the school office between January 14 and February 1, 2019 to complete an interest card, schedule a tour and learn about requirements and deadlines.

FOP OPEN HOUSE

PLEASE CONTINUE TO INVITE FAMILIES

The open house for families interested in FOP will be held **this Wednesday, December 12, beginning at 5:30pm in the cafeteria**. Please share this info with anyone you know who has kids ready to enter elementary school. You could also suggest that they check out our public Fremont Open Plan Facebook page.

GENRE DAYS

ITEMS DEPLETED; NEED YOUR HELP

Vivien and Danita are still collecting unopened personal hygiene items such as travel-sized shampoo, soap, toothbrushes, toothpaste, combs, or similar items for care packages. Please drop them off in Middle Department. Thank you for your generosity!

AMAZON SMILE

EARN MONEY FOR FOP WHILE SHOPPING

As you finish up your holiday shopping, please don't forget to use Amazon's Smile program, through which Amazon will donation a portion of your purchase price to FOP. It's easy! Point your web browser to smile.amazon.com. Designate Fremont Open Plan as your school of choice (if you haven't already). Everything is the same when you shop from this link – Prime benefits, prices, etc. – it simply tells Amazon that you want a portion of your purchase to go to your school. **NOTE:** Unfortunately Amazon has not yet incorporated the Smile program into its smartphone and tablet apps. You must shop via the smile.amazon.com website to make Smile donations happen. But you can do this on your phones and tablets – just use your mobile browser to shop rather than the Amazon app. It's easy to raise money for our school just by following a link!