



## Week of January 20<sup>th</sup>-January 23<sup>rd</sup>

### Weekly Reminders

**New School Schedule:** Today we started our new and improved expanded learning schedule. All scholars will participate and the school day will run from 7:40 to 4:30.

**New Bus Schedules:** Students were given bus routing sheets last week for our new schedule. Please check with the main office or online at [www.akiliacademy.org](http://www.akiliacademy.org) if you did not receive one.

**Car Pool:** Due to lack of response, we will not be having a car pool listserv. If you have any questions or concerns please call the main office.

**Open House for Prospective Student:** Spread the Word. Akili Academy will be hosting an Open House on January 28<sup>th</sup> from 5:00-6:30 pm. This is for all parents interested in enrolling their child in Akili for the 2015-2016 school year. Please have them rsvp to Ms. Gracin at 504-373-7029 or [zgracin@crescentcityschools.org](mailto:zgracin@crescentcityschools.org)

**Save the Date Krewe de Akili -Mardi Gras Parade:** Akili will be having its 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Mardi Gras Parade on Thursday, February 12<sup>th</sup>. We are collecting Mardi Gras beads. Please drop off **organized and tied Mardi Gras beads** to the main office.

**After School Detention:** On Thursday of this week, Akili Academy will begin holding after school detentions on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 4:30 to 5:30. Please see attached letter from our Dean of Students for more information.

## Geeks of the Week

Each week we will acknowledge a student from each grade that exemplified the value of the week. This month we are focusing on KINDNESS. Please ask your scholars to give you examples of ways they showed kindness this week.

### *Lunch Menu for the Week:*



**Tuesday:** Sausage Pizza with Cherry Tomatoes and Pinto Beans  
**Wednesday:** Pasta Chicken Marinara Bake with Fresh Broccoli Florets  
**Thursday:** Chicken Bites with Fresh Cucumber Slices  
**Friday:** All Natural Hot Dog with Glazed Carrot

### **Happy Birthday:**



Jorkin Flores  
Amare' Carriere  
Ke'von Nunnery  
Jariah Mcknight  
Eric Gant  
Tarrinika Turner  
Tayler McClendon

### **Upcoming Dates:**

1/20 School hours change from 7:40-4:30  
1/23 Birthday Friday  
1/30 Pajama Day for PBIS winners  
2/5- 2/10 Interim Assessments  
2/12 Krewe de Akili Mardi Gras Parade  
2/13-2/22 No School Mardi Gras Break  
2/27 Birthday Friday  
2/27 Dress Down Day

### **This Week in Gator Athletics**

1/23 5th/6th Girls Basketball at 5:30 pm (Akili v. LHA) @ Langston Hughes  
1/21 5th/6th Boys Basketball at 8:00 pm (Akili v. Success) @ Osborne  
  
1/24 7th Girls Basketball at 10:00 am (KBCP v. Akili ) @ Osborne  
1/24 7th Boys Basketball at 10:00 am (KBCP v. Akili) @ Langston Hughes