



# DEMOCRACY PREP HARLEM MIDDLE

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January 29, 2018

Dear DPHMS Families,

We will be preparing for State Exams by practicing state exams on the follow mandated dates:

Friday February 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2018 - ELA (**regular school hours 7:30am - 1:00pm**)

Saturday February 3<sup>rd</sup> 2018 - ELA (**8:00am - 11:00am**)

Friday February 9<sup>th</sup> 2018 - MATH (**regular school hours 7:30am - 1:00 pm**)

Saturday February 10<sup>th</sup> 2018 - MATH (**8:00am - 11:00am**)

This Friday, February 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2018, we will begin our ELA practice state exam. It is crucial that your scholar arrive on time, you scholar should be in their seat by 7:45 am.

This Saturday February, 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2018, school will be open for mandated practice testing from 8:00am to 11:00am. Our doors will open at **8:00am**, and our doors will close at 8:30am. Any scholar that arrives after **8:30am will be turned away**. Scholars that require extended time to finish the exam will have until noon.

Scholars must arrive in full uniform, with sneakers of choice. Scholars can wear either regular uniform or gym uniform.

Your scholars' attendance is mandatory unless the absence is communicated to your scholars homeroom advisor or to our main office at 212-281-1248 in advance. **Makeups will only be granted to those who communicate absence in advance, if you do not communicate your absence your scholar will not be able to make up the exam.**

Scholars in attendance of Saturday school will received a Dress down pass for Monday February 5th, 2018.

**Thank you for your commitment to your scholar's education. Please reach out if you have any questions.**

Jonquille Eley-Richards  
Principal

OUR MISSION IS TO EDUCATE RESPONSIBLE CITIZEN-SCHOLARS  
FOR SUCCESS IN THE COLLEGE OF THEIR CHOICE AND A LIFE OF ACTIVE CITIZENSHIP.