

HOWARD B. MATTLIN MIDDLE SCHOOL
PLAINVIEW-OLD BETHPAGE CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

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April 8, 2022

Dear Parents and/or Guardians of Eighth Grade Students:

We are happy to share that Howard B. Mattlin Middle School will be going to Philadelphia, Pennsylvania! Our eighth grade students will have the opportunity to go on a field trip as a class on Wednesday, June 1, 2022. During this time, students will visit various landmarks and attractions. Specific examples include the following: *Reading Terminal Market, Carpenters Hall, Congress Hall, Christ Church, Franklin Court, Independence Hall, Liberty Bell, Elfreth's Alley, Betsy Ross House, and Dave & Buster's in New Jersey.*

The district will be picking up the cost for the trip to Philadelphia. The trip includes coach bus transportation to and from Philadelphia, bag lunch or lunch at your expense at Reading Terminal, a tour of Philadelphia, and two hours at Dave & Buster's for games and dinner. Students will need to bring spending money for the day.

Included you will find three links that require your electronic completion.

1. **Field Trip Consent Form and Responsibility Contract** <https://forms.gle/9REFwRHhngrsOvkVA>
2. **Emergency Contact Information Field Trip Form** <https://forms.gle/vncxdKWioxNjXw7M8>
3. **Philadelphia Group Request Form** <https://forms.gle/sCiTXpXpWiF8AdR8>

All forms are also available on our school website and <https://www.familyid.com> for your reference.

On Monday, May 2, 2022 at 7:00 pm, we will be hosting a mandatory expectations meeting on Zoom. A parent/guardian and the student who will be participating in the field trip must be in attendance for this 30 minute meeting. The purpose of the meeting will be to provide additional information regarding the trip and to review expectations for student behavior.

Time: May 2, 2022 07:00 PM

<https://pobschools-org.zoom.us/j/2894602358?pwd=d1N4YWxyMkp1azdlbWRMa2xKWHIGUT09>

Meeting ID: 289 460 2358

Passcode: 056341

As we move closer to the date of the field trip, additional information will be made available. If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact me at (516) 434-3250.

Sincerely,

Joseph Coladonato

Joseph Coladonato, Ed.D.
Principal, Howard B. Mattlin Middle School

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Enclosures