April 24, 2006

Dear New Scientite:

Welcome to Bronx Science. We want to make your adjustment to your new school as smooth as possible so we have arranged a special day for you on June 8, 2006. On this day New York City public schools will be closed for students. If you attend public school, you will have the day off. You can spend the day at Bronx Science.

If you attend a private or parochial school and you can take the day off, you will be able to participate. If you cannot attend, you will be able to participate in Camp Science at the end of the summer. However, it would be best for you to attend on June 8th if at all possible.

The day will include:

8:30 a.m. to 10 a.m.  •  The math placement exam for all students.
10:05 a.m. to 12:10 p.m.  •  A session where your photo will be taken for your Bronx Science photo - I.D. card.
                        •  A session about which high school courses you will be taking.
                        •  A session about Technology at which time you will receive your Bronx Science e-mail account, your computer account and your Naviance college prep account.
                        •  A question and answer session where you will be able to ask questions of teachers, students and administrators.
                        •  Lunch and a chance to meet Big Sibs.

Prospective Math Team Students Only

12:15 p.m. to 1:55 p.m.  •  Students who are interested in participating in the Math Team will take the Math Team qualifying test from 12:15 p.m. to 1:55 p.m. All other students will be released at 12:15 p.m.

You will soon receive a packet of information and forms to complete and mail back to help us know more about you.

Near the end of May, you will receive a copy of your schedule for your freshmen year and an application for our summer program. Watch our website for information about when our mailings are made.

In order for us to communicate with you by e-mail, you must send an e-mail to Freshmanhelp@bxscience.edu. Include in this e-mail: your name, OSIS#, date of birth and both parents’ names and e-mail addresses.

Sincerely

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