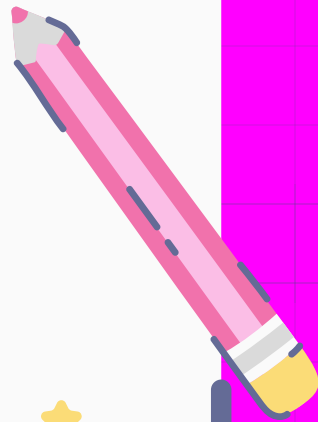


APG Family Bulletin



April 22, 2026



APG Calendar

TODAY! 4/22	Escape from New York Pizza + APG Fundraiser, 10am-9:30pm, Use 'AP GIANNINI' ORDER FOOD Tough Talks: Ms. E, Librarian Presentation about Online Safety, 4:00-5:15pm Intermediate Music Concert, APG Auditorium, 6:00pm (free, no tickets needed)
4/24	Dance Concert, APG Auditorium, 6:00pm (free, no tickets needed)
4/25	Open House + Art/Music Festival, 10am-2pm (see flyers) VOLUNTEERS STUDENT HELPERS
4/27 - 5/11	SBAC Testing for All Students SCHEDULE INFO
4/27 - 5/1	Track All City Trials and Final, early dismissal for student athletes daily (except Weds)
5/1	Staff Breakfast MANY DONATIONS NEEDED
5/3	Garden Workday, 12:30-3:30pm RSVP - everyone is welcome, last workday for this school year!
5/6	Beginner Music Concert, APG Auditorium, 6:00pm (free, no tickets needed)
5/14	Athletics Awards Dinner, Student Athletes + Parent, 6:00-8:30pm RSVP VOLUNTEER
5/15	Deadline to Register for APG Beacon Summer Program REGISTER
6/1	8th Grade Celebration, 44 PARENT VOLUNTEERS NEEDED, 1:30-4:00pm SIGN UP HERE

Traffic Advisory - 19th Avenue Closure Impacts Your School Commute

Beginning this Friday, April 24

We want to share an important traffic advisory that will likely affect your commute to and from AP Giannini, and other schools.

[Caltrans](#) has announced three weekend closures of 19th Avenue in San Francisco's Sunset District, beginning **this Friday, April 24 at 7:00 AM through Monday, April 27 at 5:00 AM. During this time, northbound 19th Avenue will be closed between Sloat Boulevard and Lincoln Way.** Additional [closures](#) will follow on upcoming weekends.

During these [closures](#), students, families, and staff traveling to and from our school may experience **traffic delays, detours, and longer travel times**, especially during morning drop-off and afternoon pick-up. We recommend you plan ahead by :

- Allowing extra travel time
- Considering alternate routes
- Checking [Muni service adjustments](#)
- Staying alert for changing traffic patterns in the area

For students currently using General Education or IEP bus transportation, our Transportation Office will work with Zum to plan alternate routes and notify families of any delays. Families who plan to pick up their students directly should cancel their scheduled rides in the Zum app.

For more information about the closures, please visit [the SFUSD website](#). Thank you for your flexibility as we navigate these temporary disruptions.

SBAC Testing

See more information at this [link](#) and [modified bell schedule](#)

Week	Grade Level	CAASPP Assessment
April 27 - May 1, 2026	6-8	English Language Arts
May 4 - May 8, 2026	6-8	Mathematics
May 11 - 15, 2026	8	Science



SPRING INTO ACTION TO SUPPORT APG

Together, let's support our
A.P. Giannini students!

apgsf.com/give/



THANK YOU



APG

Donate to the APG Jag Fund

to help our teachers get all the classroom supplies they need for all 1,200 students!

You can make a one-time donation or donate monthly (suggested \$150 from every family; we only need \$3,000 more to meet our annual goal!)

Don't forget to ask for matching donations from employers, non-profits, and trusts to double your contribution to APG.

TODAY!

PLEASE SUPPORT
OUR PIZZA + APG
FUNDRAISER!

ESCAPE FROM NY PIZZA
WEDNESDAY
APRIL 22ND
10:00AM - 9:30PM

SUPPORT A LOCAL,
APG-FAMILY OWNED BUSINESS
AND OUR
MIDDLE SCHOOL!



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HOW TO ORDER

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EscapeFromNewYorkPizza.com	415-668-5577	1737 HAIGHT STREET
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15%
OF YOUR ORDER
TOTAL GOES TO
A.P. GIANNINI!

SPRING '26 ARTS NEWSLETTER



5th Period Advanced Dance performed at Robert Louis Stevenson Elementary on March 17, giving them a sneak peak from the program of our April 24th show.

Join us on
Friday, April 24 6pm
APG Dance Concert

Sunset Beacon Summer 2026 Program

Hello APG Families,

We are thrilled to inform you that we are now accepting summer [applications](#) for incoming 6th to 9th Graders for Summer, 2026! The deadline for registration is May 15th, 2026 or when all spots are filled.

Sunset Beacon Summer Program is a partnership between Herbert Hoover MS and A.P. Giannini MS, offering a comprehensive 5-week summer program. This year, our summer camp will host our incoming 6th- 9th graders at Herbert Hoover Middle School. [Registration](#) for the program is paperless and can be accessed through the [link here](#).

IMPORTANT

When applying, please select the school your child is CURRENTLY enrolled in, for incoming 6th graders please select the school your elementary school feeds into (eg. Hoover is fed by Ulloa, etc.). If your child attends a different school, please select ONE of the following options: Hoover, or AP Giannini. *Also, submit your child's current school and grade level.* For applications for more than one child, please place siblings in the same registration [online](#).

Program Details:

Herbert Hoover Middle School

Location: 2290 14th Ave, 94116

Duration: June 15th to July 24th (Program is closed on June 19 and July 3)

Fee: \$400 or FREE with SFUSD Multipurpose Family Income Form

Schedule

8:00am to 10:00 AM - Breakfast and Community Time

10:00am to 4:00 PM - Program

4:00pm to 5:00 PM - Dismissal and Community Time

Please follow these steps to apply for Sunset Beacons Summer Program:

- 1) Go to Application Website: <https://bacr.my.site.com/afterschool/s/>
- 2) Create an Account (Please log in if you have already have an account)
- 3) Select "New Registration"
- 4) Select ONE of the schools listed below, 'Summer 2026'

AP Giannini Middle School (SFUSD)

Hoover Middle (SFUSD)

Deadline: May 15, 2026 or when spots are filled

If you have any questions, please reach out the Summer Program Coordinators.

Allison Bamaca (APG) - abamaca@bacr.org

Jamie Aguas-Fletes (APG) - jaguas@bacr.org

Jeremy Lee (Hoover) - jlee@bacr.org

Andrea Serpa (Hoover) - aserpa@bacr.org

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APG

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BE AVAILABLE FOR PURCHASE
AT OUR IN-PERSON SALE DURING OUR OPEN
HOUSE ON SAT, APRIL 25TH, 10AM - 2PM!**


DON'T MISS OUR BIGGEST SPRING EVENT: APG'S OPEN HOUSE ON SAT 4/25, 10AM - 2PM!

- Buy Jaguar Gear, including new hats & limited-release crewneck
- Meet our PTSA Board, Beacon Program Staff, and Language Programs' Staff
- Enjoy the Art & Music Festival with performances from our students
- Get free Bike lessons from Jason Serafino-Agar, [MyBikeSkills](#), from 11:30a-1:30p (BYO bike if under age 10)
- Get free bike tune-ups from the BikeMobile (first come, first served)
- Celebrate our amazing APG



A.P. GIANNINI MIDDLE SCHOOL OPEN HOUSE & MUSIC + ART FEST



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- Self-Guided Tour of Campus with an online map & guide
 - See Art and Music Performances from our Band, Choir, Dance, Orchestra, Graphic Design, Media, Theater, and Visual Arts students
 - Meet PTSA Board Members
 - Buy Jaguar Gear
 - Meet Beacon Program Staff
 - Meet Language Program Staff
 - Free Bike Tune-ups

**SATURDAY
APRIL 25, 2026
10AM - 2PM**

**MUSIC + ART
FESTIVAL SCHEDULE
WILL BE SHARED ON
APGSF.COM
ON 4/17**



3151 ORTEGA STREET SF CA 94122

APGSF.COM



BikeMobile



FREE Bike Repair Day

- **First come, first served. Space is limited.**
- Bike Repair & Education.
- We can fix most broken parts: flat tires, brakes, shifters.

QUESTIONS?

Contact the BikeMobile team at bike.repair@bikemobile.org

Location:

A.P. GIANNINI MIDDLE SCHOOL

3151 Ortega St, San Francisco, CA 94122

Date & Time:

SATURDAY, APRIL 25th, 2026

10:00am to 2:00pm

The BikeMobile will be offering free bike repair and bike education for APG students, families, and staff at our 4/25 Open House! First come, first served.



Bike Mobile



thebikemobile

APG OPEN HOUSE PRESENTS

ART & MUSIC FESTIVAL



SATURDAY APRIL 25TH 2026

10 AM - 2 PM

AP GIANNINI MIDDLE SCHOOL
3151 ORTEGA ST, SF CA

ART & MUSIC FESTIVAL LINEUP

Library

10-12 PM
12-2 PM

Computer Art & Science Interactive Showcase
Media Film Festival

Auditorium

11:00 AM
11:20 AM
11:40 AM
12:00 PM
1:20 PM
12:40 PM
1:00 PM
1:40 PM

Intermediate Orchestra
Treble Choir
Guitar Ensembles
Show Choir
Advanced Drama Scene from *WCKY*
Musical - Selections from *Something Rotten, Jr.*
Stage Band
Advanced Band

Cafeteria

11:30 AM
11:40 AM
11:50 PM
1:00 PM
1:10 PM

Dance 6
Dance 1
Dance 4
Dance 3
Dance Duets & Quartet

APG ARTS + MUSIC PERFORMANCES

[CLICK HERE FOR APG ARTS NEWSLETTER WITH DETAILS & UPDATES](#)

We've added these to our [APG PTSA Calendar](#) as well. Check with individual teachers about changes in the schedule shared; each group manages their own performances.

April 22nd: Intermediate Music Concert, Auditorium, 6:00pm - 7:30pm

April 24th: Dance Performance, Auditorium, 6:00pm

April 25th: Art & Music Festival, 10am-2pm, various locations inside school

May 6th: Beginner Music Concert, Auditorium, 6:00pm - 7:30pm

May 13th: Advanced Music Concert, Auditorium, 6:00pm - 7:30pm

*Concerts are free admission

Help Needed on May 1st - Staff Breakfast



APG STAFF BREAKFAST - SPRING 2026



[SIGN UP HERE](#)

We'd like YOUR help to get bagels, eggs, veggies, juices, cream cheese, yogurt, granola, and baked goods dropped off for our Staff Breakfast on Friday, May 1st! Thank you.



Follow APG Athletics
on [INSTAGRAM](#)

APG TRACK & FIELD

Student athletes for our Track Trials/Final have been selected.

Track All-City Trials and Final
April 27 - May 1

Thank you to all our team student athletes for making this season a great one! See you all at the Final at Kezar Stadium on May 1st - let's cheer on our Jaguars!

May 4 - Last practice, return your uniform jerseys and spikes.

APG ATHLETICS AWARDS DINNER

Our Annual Awards Dinner for our Students Athletes and their parent/guardian, as well as all our teams' Coaches, is on Thursday, May 14th, 6:00PM - 8:30PM. Payment to attend the event is due to Mr. Alfaro (cash or check, only) by May 11th, *before* the event. Donations are greatly appreciated!

[RSVP HERE](#) - Maximum of 3 people per student athlete

[VOLUNTEER](#) - We need 24 parents/guardians to help with this huge event; there are three shifts with which you can help.



Join us for a productive afternoon working on our garden before the school year wraps up!

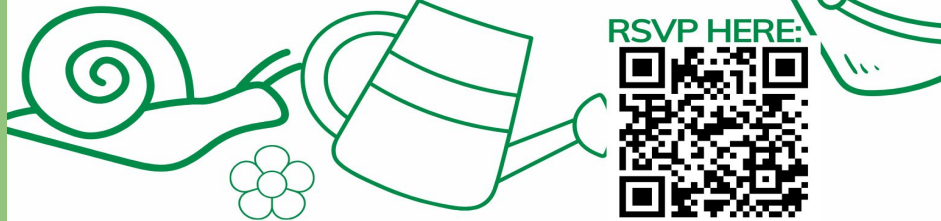
GARDEN WORKDAY

ALL ARE WELCOME!

AT A.P. GIANNINI MIDDLE SCHOOL

SUNDAY MAY 3RD

Help beautify the garden, get trained on chicken care, meet families!



RSVP HERE:



12:30 TO 3:30 PM

3151 ORTEGA STREET, SF, CA

Students, families, and staff are all welcome! We have light snacks for volunteers helping at our garden workday.



A.P. GIANNINI MIDDLE SCHOOL PTSA - 家长教师学生会



We'd love YOUR help
with our Chickens!

[Sign up for APG Chicken Care!](#)

We are looking for volunteers to help during breaks and Summer. Please consider volunteering to check on our chickens.

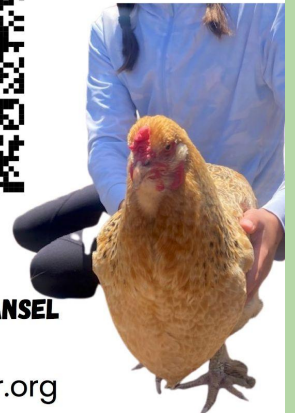
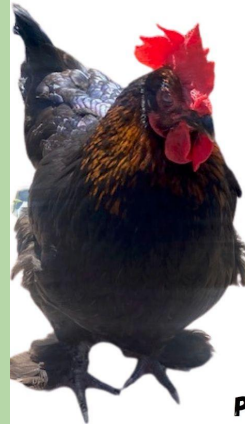
Questions? Please email Ansel (aschoonhoven@bacr.org).

Thanks!

**VOLUNTEER TO TAKE CARE OF
THE CHICKENS ON THE
WEEKENDS AND BREAKS!**

If you love the APG chickens, please consider signing up to do chicken care!

Scan the QR code to fill out the Chicken Care Survey and be added to the garden volunteer team. Anyone can sign up!



**PLEASE EMAIL TEACHER ANSEL
WITH QUESTIONS
aschoonhoven@bacr.org**

Help: 8th Grade Celebration - June 1st

We're looking for many
volunteers to make this big
celebration happen for our
400 graduating 8th
graders! There are 2 shifts
for 44 volunteers,
1:30-4:00pm.

[SIGN UP HERE](#)





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SF Youth Soccer

SF Youth Soccer is hosting a series of virtual Info Nights ahead of the Fall 2026 season for families who may be interested in joining, registering, or even forming a team at APG.

The first session is tonight 4/22 at 7:00-8:00PM via Google Meet:
(Link [Here](#))

We also have additional session scheduled for April 28 for families who cannot attend tonight.

More information is also available on our homepage:
(Link [Here](#))

Talk to Your Boys: How To Keep Our Boys Caring & Connected (Free online workshop)

Details:

April 23, 2026, 6-7 p.m.

This session will be 45 minutes followed by Q&A.

Open to all members of the SFUSD community

Translation available

Register today: tinyurl.com/Talk-to-Your-Boys

Description:

Many boys are struggling, and parents are often left wondering how to reach them. From academic and social pressures, declining college enrollment to rising rates of depression and loneliness, boys are struggling - and many are unable to articulate why or ask for help.

Join us to learn from SFUSD teacher Christopher Pepper, co-author of the bestselling book *Talk To Your Boys: 16 Conversations to Help Tweens and Teens Grow into Confident, Caring Young Men*.

He will share strategies for moving past the false "adolescent boys don't want to talk" narrative and get them to really open up. Gain insight on how to have crucial, but sometimes awkward, discussions on emotions, identity, respect, friendship, sex and more, with the larger goal to raise emotionally intelligent young men who care about themselves and others. You'll leave with practical ideas about how to help the boys in your life navigate today's world.

Part of SFUSD's CARING FOR OUR KIDS series - webinars for caregivers to address important issues and topics facing our students and families, presented by the SFUSD Wellness & Health Education Action Team.

VIRTUAL WORKSHOPS FOR FAMILIES



TALK TO YOUR BOYS

How To Keep Our Boys
Caring & Connected

Open to ALL members of our SFUSD community
(parents/guardians, educators, administrators, etc.)

Translation Available!

April 23

6 - 7 PM

Register TODAY!

tinyurl.com/Talk-to-Your-Boys



Attendance

Full-Day Absence	<p>To report a full-day student absence, use the ParentVUE portal and select "Report Absence."</p> <p>This can be done for the current day or a future date.</p>
Early Dismissal	<p>Use the PTL (Permit To Leave School) online form for partial day absences. You can also find it on the APG school website under the Attendance tab.</p>
Late Arrival, Past Absence, or Correction?	<p>For reporting a late arrival, past date absence or correction please email: 404_apgattendance@sfusd.edu</p>

Please do not email your counselor for attendance matters

EXCUSED ABSENCES & ILLNESSES

What to do if your student does not feel well? PLEASE STAY AT HOME!

If your student is exhibiting any of the symptoms below, please have your student stay home and rest. For fever: please return to school after 24 hours of being fever-free, without medication, has passed.

Fever of 100.4° F or higher, body chills/shivers	Sore throat	Shortness of breath	Headache	New loss of smell or taste
Nausea or Vomiting	Diarrhea	Body aches	Fatigue	Cough
Pinkeye	Rash	Mouth Sores	Abdominal Pain	Runny Nose

Families may be contacted for further follow up if needed for an ill student. If you are called to pick up your sick student, please do so promptly or arrange for them to get home safely immediately. We have limited spaces in our Wellness Center/School for sick students to wait without exposing others. If you have any questions regarding the SFUSD illness protocol, please [visit webpage HERE](#) or contact School Nurse, Judy (ZhengJ1@sfusd.edu).

HANDBOOK: EXCUSED/UNEXCUSED ABSENCES

4.1.4 Excused and Unexcused Absences

Student and Family Handbook

Chapter 1: Welcome ∨

Chapter 2: SFUSD's Commitment to Families and Students ∨

Chapter 3: Family Resources and Rights ∨

Chapter 4: Student Academic Expectations ∧

4.1 Attendance Guidelines ∧

4.1.1 Importance of Attendance

4.1.2 Recommendations for Temporary School Exclusion Due to Illness

4.1.3 What Parents/Caregivers Should Do When a Student Will Be Absent

4.1.4 Excused and Unexcused

Excused and Unexcused Absences

([SFUSD Board Policy 5113](#))

Valid Excused Absences (Absences Excused by State law)

Verification of student absences is accepted only from parents/guardians/caregivers, or the student if they are 18 years old or older.

CA Education Code 48205 states that a student shall be excused from school when the absence is:

- 1 Due to the pupil's illness, including an absence for the benefit of the pupil's mental or behavioral health.
- 2 Due to quarantine under the direction of a county or city health officer.
- 3 For the purpose of having medical, dental, optometric, or chiropractic services rendered.
- 4 For the purpose of attending the funeral services or grieving the death of either a member of the pupil's immediate family, or of a person that is determined by the pupil's parent or guardian to be in such close association with the pupil as to be considered the pupil's immediate family, so long as the absence is not more than five days per incident.
- 5 For the purpose of jury duty in the manner provided for by law.
- 6 Due to the illness or medical appointment during school hours of a child of whom the pupil is the custodial parent, including absences to care for a sick child, for which the school shall not require a note from a doctor.