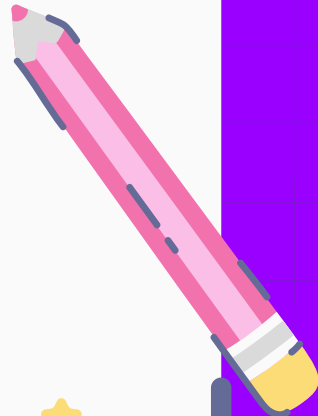




# APG Family Bulletin



May 20, 2026



# APG Calendar

<i>Reminder</i>	All partial-day and full-day student absences <b>MUST</b> be reported by parents/guardians.
TODAY! 5/20	Shake Shack + APG Fundraiser, 10am-11pm, 3251 20th Ave, Stonestown; Poetry Slam for Students, Lunchtime, APG Garden; School Site Council Meeting, 4:10pm, Office (see slide 5 for more info)
5/20 - 5/29	Pick up pre-ordered leis, stoles, signs (8th grade families, only)
<b>5/25</b>	<b>Memorial Day Holiday, No School</b>
5/28	End-of-Year BeaconFest, 4:45pm, Cafeteria; Free; all families welcome
5/31	Spring Family Social, 2:30-5:30pm, Tables 19-20, Hellman Hollow, GG Park; all families/staff welcome!
6/1	8th Grade Celebration, 1:30-4:00pm, APG Upper Yard <a href="#">10 VOLUNTEERS NEEDED. SIGN UP HERE</a>
6/2	8th Grade Promotion, 1pm, Lincoln HS Auditorium
6/10	Last Day of School
6/12	Deadline to fill out and complete 2026 APG TALKS Survey ( <a href="#">English</a> , <a href="#">中文</a> , <a href="#">Español</a> , <a href="#">Tiếng Việt</a> )
6/17	Final Day of School: <a href="#">SEVERAL THINGS TO DO FOR 2026-27 SCHOOL YEAR</a>

Students who are SICK should stay home and recover. If parents/guardians get a call from school to pick up their unwell student, please come to APG to pick as soon as possible; do not wait till the end of the school day.

To report a full-day student absence, parents/guardians may use the [ParentVUE](#) portal and select "[Report Absence](#)." Please report absences by 9am for current day. Absences may be reported for the current day or a future date.

Parents/guardians may fill out the PTL ([Permit To Leave School!](#)) online form by 9am for a partial day absence. You can also find the form on the [APG school website](#) under the [Attendance tab](#). Students should pick up their PTL form from the counseling clerk, Ms. Dawson, between 9:00-9:30am and bring it with them when signing out early.



**Please help our school office staff keep track of your and all 1,200 APG students by following the proper protocols for illnesses, partial day absences, or full day absences, as listed on the left table. Thank you!**



**AP GIANNINI AND ALL SFUSD SCHOOLS  
ARE CLOSED ON MONDAY, MAY 25TH  
IN OBSERVANCE OF MEMORIAL DAY**

**MEMORIAL  
DAY**

REMEMBER AND HONOR



TODAY!  
Don't miss  
our final  
fundraiser  
of the  
school year!

SHAKE  SHACK®

# DONATION DAY

**Wednesday, May 20th**  
**10AM - 11PM**

Mention Donation Day at the register or drive-thru, or use promo code **DONATE** on the Shack App, web or kiosk at checkout and we'll donate **25%** of your total meal purchase to

**AP Giannini Middle School PTA**

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3251 20th Ave | San Francisco CA, 94132

Order your  
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Shake Shack in  
Stonestown  
Galleria using the  
DONATE code  
online or  
DONATION DAY  
in person!

When using the Shack App/Web to place an order, please note the Shack location that is hosting your organization's Donation Day. Donations are only acceptable for dine-in, to-go or app & web pick up orders. Order placed through the Shack app & website for delivery or through a third party delivery partner will not count toward the Donation Day.

# Today - School Site Council Meeting

School Site Council Meeting - Wednesday, May 20th

[Agenda HERE](#)

Time: 4:10 - 5:10 p.m.

Location: In-Person, APG Main office

(Zoom can be provided, if requested)

*Questions?*

Contact Tai-Sun Schoeman, Principal: [schoemant@sfusd.edu](mailto:schoemant@sfusd.edu)

# Distribution of 8th Grade Leis, Stoles & Signs

*Attention: 8th Grade Parents and Students!*

Please come by the APG Main Office or Main Entrance Hallway to pick up your pre-ordered, prepaid Lei, Stole, and Yard Sign on these days/times before or after school:

- May 20th, 8:15am - 9:45am (office)
- May 22nd, 4:00pm - 5:30pm (hallway)
- May 26th, 8:15am - 9:45am (office)
- May 29th, 4:00pm - 5:30pm (hallway)

\* Note: we will not have any items for purchase; you may only pick up your pre-ordered, prepaid items.



PLEASE FILL OUT OUR  
PTSA GOOGLE FORM  
SHARING YOUR  
VOLUNTEER HOURS  
THIS SCHOOL YEAR.

[FILL OUT FORM HERE](#)

THANK YOU FOR YOUR  
TIME THIS YEAR!



## A.P. Giannini Volunteer Hours 2025-26 Aug/Sept/Oct/Nov/Dec/Jan/Feb/March/ April/May/June

Thank you APG volunteers for supporting our amazing community! We appreciate the time you have spent supporting our kids, teachers and staff!

Please **submit your volunteer hours TODAY!** for the 25-26 SY, which includes the months of Aug, Sept, Oct, Nov, Dec, Jan, Feb, March, April, May, and anticipated for June 2026. Please submit hours for EACH MONTH you volunteered. The time you have spent supporting our APG community will help maintain our 501(c)(3) non-profit status for our PTSA and allow us to continue supporting our school. Let's get ALL our VOLUNTEER HOURS counted asap!!!

See options below and check all the areas you volunteered. Select "other" if you don't see the volunteer option you participated in. If you have any questions regarding what is considered volunteer work, please email me at [leigh.meredith@gmail.com](mailto:leigh.meredith@gmail.com) (**but in general, EVERYTHING counts**).

- Please select the month for which you are reporting hours.
- Remember: EVERYTHING COUNTS, whether it was 1 hour or 25 hours.

# Yearbook Distribution



Thank you to our amazing  
APG Student Yearbook  
Committee, Mr. Ferraris,  
and Mr. Jang!

Yearbooks will be  
distributed to students  
who ordered one  
starting Tues 5/26.

**ORDER NOW**

LIMITED NEW MERCH

\$30 per hat



ORDER NOW AT  
[GEAR.APGSF.COM](http://gear.apgsf.com)



ORDER NEW JAG HATS  
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JOIN US FOR  
APG BEACON'S

# End of the year Beaconfest

## WE WILL CELEBRATE:

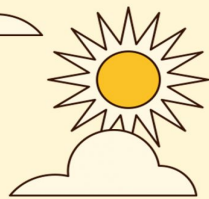
- Beacon Student Showcases
- End of the year activities
- Asian American and Pacific Islander Heritage Month

Thursday, May 28, 2026  
4:45 PM in the cafeteria



USE QR CODE  
TO RSVP

instagram: @apg\_beacon



**A.P GIANNINI**  
**SPRING**  
**SOCIAL EVENT**

**MAY 31**  
**FROM 2:30 - 5:30PM**

**HELLMAN HOLLOW**  
**(INSIDE GOLDEN GATE PARK)**  
**TABLES 19 & 20**

Snacks & drinks will be provided.  
Please bring your own outdoor  
seating & play equipment.



# 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 and we still need 15 more volunteers, from 1:30-4:00pm.

[SIGN UP HERE](#)





COMING

SOON

Fall  
'26-'27

SCHOOL YEAR  
APPLICATIONS

Early Bird  
After School  
Spanish Language Program

For more information:  
Subscribe to APG Family Newsletter



# 2026 APG TALKS SURVEY



We invite **all current** A.P. Giannini caregivers, students, and staff to fill out our survey! It is an 8-minute anonymous survey, and you have the option to enter a raffle for a \$25 Amazon gift card. **Deadline is June 12, 2026.**

APG Talks is a survey that allows students, caregivers, and teachers to share their thoughts and ideas on AP Giannini's school culture, resources, and areas of further improvement. Your input is important to us and will shape our decision making for the next school year.

\*Survey is in [English](#), [中文](#), [Español](#), and [Tiếng Việt](#) \*

**DEADLINE TO FILL OUT SURVEY IS FRIDAY JUNE 12TH, 2026**





# Summer Youth Volunteers

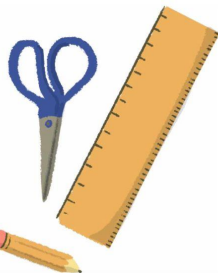
## If you are:

- entering Grade 8–12 next school year
- available 10+ hours this summer
- seeking experience for jobs & schools
- responsible and kind



## Please come help us:

- welcome everybody
- sign folks up for the Summer Stride learning program
- prepare activities and hand out prizes
- make your library a fun place to be!



## Important details:

- Parent | guardian signature **required**
- Limited spots, apply early
- Applications are on-line
- All library locations have free computers (2 hours/day)

## More information:

[sfpl.org/summerstride](http://sfpl.org/summerstride)

**Application: [on.sfpl.org/syv](http://on.sfpl.org/syv)**



# Summer Youth Volunteers for the San Francisco Public Library

Looking for volunteer experience this summer? If you will be in grades 8–12 next school year, can contribute at least 10 hours of service and would like to gain experience for school and job applications, [apply](#) to be a Summer Youth Volunteer.

Help greet patrons, sign up all ages for the [Summer Stride](#) learning challenge and help deliver an excellent Summer Stride for all of San Francisco!

*SFUSD neither endorses nor sponsors the organization or activity described in this announcement. This distribution is provided as a community service.*

# Attendance

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

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](mailto: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.