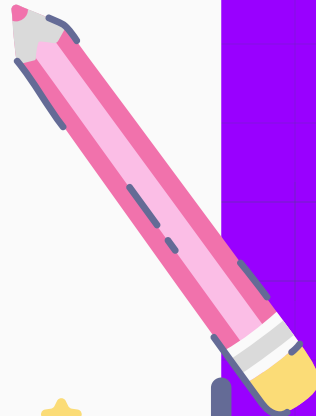




# APG Family Bulletin



May 27, 2026



# APG Calendar

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| Reminder    | All partial-day and full-day student absences MUST be reported by parents/guardians.   |
| Ongoing     | Application for 2026-27 Spanish, Before-School, and After School Beacon Programs <a href="#">REGISTER</a>  |
| 5/28        | End-of-Year BeaconFest, 4:45pm, APG Cafeteria; FREE; all families welcome  |
| 5/29        | Pick up pre-ordered/prepaid leis, stoles, signs, 8th Grade families, 4:00-5:30 pm  |
| 5/31        | Spring Family Social, 2:30-5:30pm, Tables 19-20, Hellman Hollow, GG Park; FREE, families + staff   |
| 6/1         | 8th Grade Celebration, 2:15-4:00pm, APG Upper Yard   |
| 6/2         | 8th Grade Promotion, 1:00pm, Lincoln HS Auditorium   |
| 6/4         | Help with chromebook and other supply organization, 9:30am <a href="#">VOLUNTEER</a>   |
| 6/10        | Last Day of School   |
| 6/12        | Deadline to fill out 2026 APG TALKS Survey ( <a href="#">English</a> , <a href="#">中文</a> , <a href="#">Español</a> , <a href="#">Tiếng Việt</a> ) |
| 6/11 - 8/16 | Enjoy your Summer Break!   |
| 8/17        | First Day of School <a href="#">SFUSD Calendar 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!**

Dear APG Parents and Guardians,

**We are pleased to inform you that our registrations for Early Bird, Before School Spanish and After School for the school year of 2026-2027 is now available to families.**

**Please follow these steps to apply:**

- 1) Go to Application Website: <https://bacr.my.site.com/afterschool/s/login>
- 2) Create an Account (If you have an account, please log into your account)
- 3) Select "New Registration"
- 4) Select 'A.P. Giannini Middle School', '**INSERT TERM**'
  - 2026/2027 - After School
  - 2026/2027 - Early Bird
  - 2026/2027 - Before School (Spanish)



**Reminder to please put siblings applying for the same program on the same registration so that their fees are accurately calculated.** I would also like to add that **Chrome is the best browser** to use to access Salesforce as other browsers such as Safari are known to cause issues. Please be sure that your application is **SUBMIT**. If the application says Incomplete that means it is incomplete and has not yet been submitted.

**For questions or concerns for each program please contact:**

Jamie Aguas-Fletes for ASP: [jaguas@bacr.org](mailto:jaguas@bacr.org)

Allison Bamaca for Early Bird: [abamaca@bacr.org](mailto:abamaca@bacr.org)

Allison Bamaca for billing/enrollment for Spanish: [abamaca@bacr.org](mailto:abamaca@bacr.org)

Carla Suhr for classroom and curriculum for Spanish: [carla@idesli.com](mailto:carla@idesli.com)



# LOST & FOUND!

Our APG Lost and Found is overflowing and continues to grow each day. We have unlabeled water bottles, lunch boxes, jackets, tees, and sweatshirts waiting to be claimed by the students who lost them. **All unlabeled items not picked up by students/ parents by Wed, June 3rd will be DONATED to a local organization.**

STUDENTS are encouraged to check for their missing belongings. PARENTS/ CAREGIVERS are also welcome to stop by the school office, sign-in, and visit the Lost and Found area during school hours, 9:00am - 4:00pm. The Lost and Found is located in the outdoor schoolyard, near the lunch tables. **Don't wait - drop by soon, before 6/3.**

# Yearbook Distribution



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

Yearbooks are being  
distributed to students  
who ordered one from  
Tues 5/26 to Weds 5/27.

## HELP NEEDED FOR APG CHICKEN COOP

We are looking for someone in our community with building experience, ideally a licensed contractor, carpenter, or someone familiar with outdoor structures, who would be willing to evaluate our existing APG chicken coop and enclosure, which are now about ten years old and housed in our garden.

At this stage, we are hoping for an experienced eye, practical advice, and a rough sense of what this project could entail so we can begin planning, fundraising, and rallying volunteers by the start of the next school year. If you, or someone you know in the APG community, might be willing to help with our school chicken coop, please reach out to coordinate a visit/walk-through before June 10th.

### Contact:

Ansel, Garden Teacher, at [aschoonhoven@bacr.org](mailto:aschoonhoven@bacr.org) (707-980-4321), and/or Annie Tahtinen, PTSA Garden Co-Chair at [annietahtinen@gmail.com](mailto:annietahtinen@gmail.com) (510-827-0077). Thanks so much!

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

# Distribution of 8th Grade Leis, Stoles & Signs

**Attention: 8th Grade Parents and Students!**

Please come by the APG Main Entrance Hallway this week to pick up your pre-ordered, prepaid Lei, Stole, and Yard Sign on the final pick-up date after school:

→ **Friday, May 29th, 4:00pm - 5:30pm**

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



FREE EVENT  
FOR OUR APG  
FAMILIES AND  
STAFF THIS  
SUNDAY 5/31!!!



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.

SWING BY FOR  
SNACKS AND A  
VERY FUN  
COMMUNITY  
HANGOUT!



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**A.P. Giannini Middle School**

# **8TH GRADE CARNIVAL**

**Monday, June 1st, 2026 from 2:15 to 4:00PM**

Upper Yard

Sponsored by APG, PTSA and Beacon

**DUNK  
TANK**

**OBSTACLE  
COURSE**

**DJ**

**COTTON  
CANDY**



**We're excited to  
celebrate our  
8th Graders on  
Monday 6/1!!!**

**Thanks to all the parent  
volunteers who signed  
up to help at the  
Carnival!**

# June 2nd – 8th Grade Promotion

Congrats to our 8th graders on this milestone event in their educational journey! We look forward to our 8th Grade Promotion Event on Tuesday 6/2! All 8th Grade students & parents are encouraged to read the detailed, logistical information about the event that's been sent to you via Email/ParentVue from Mr. Jang and/or school admin.

Any questions about the promotion event should be directed to Mr. Jang, 8th Grade Counselor, by this Friday, May 29th.

Thank you to all the parent volunteers who signed up to help make our promotion event run smoothly and be a memorable one for our 8th Grade students & families. We greatly appreciate your help!

# 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**



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CAN SUBSCRIBE  
HERE



JOIN THE PTSA GOOGLE GROUP & STAY  
UP-TO-DATE OF ALL SCHOOL NEWS.



# March with SFUSD in the SF Pride Parade!

San Francisco Unified School District invites students, families, and staff to join our fifth annual SF Pride contingent on Sunday, June 28th! Our district has been a leader in providing LGBTQ+ Student Services and promoting inclusive practices for over 35 years. Celebrate all our SF families by joining SFUSD's official Pride contingent.

*Register by June 26th*

**SIGN UP HERE**



Eligible families must ensure that their mailing address with SFUSD Enrollment Center is up to date so their SunBucks card gets to them in a timely manner, per dates shared below. To update contact in ParentVue, visit the website [portal.sfusd.edu](https://portal.sfusd.edu), email [enrollinschool@sfusd.edu](mailto:enrollinschool@sfusd.edu), or call 415-241-6085.

### Timeline:

- Eligibility for SunBucks 2026 began on July 1, 2025, and goes through August 31, 2026.
- Eligible students whose families applied by March 31, 2026 should receive the SunBucks during this 2026 summer.
- Eligible students who apply between April 1 through August 31, 2026, should receive the SunBucks during the 2026 winter.
- This information can be found on the California Department of Education website: <https://www.cdss.ca.gov/sun-bucks/how-to-get-sun-bucks>
- **Info:** <https://www.cde.ca.gov/ls/nu/sunbucks.asp>





# 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

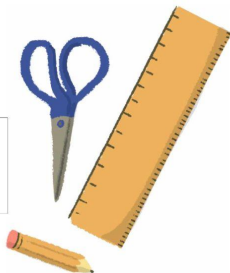


Please come help us:

- 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](https://sfpl.org/summerstride)

**Application: [on.sfpl.org/syv](https://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! Spots are still available at specific library branches throughout SF.

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

# Attendance

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| <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.