

## Connections Day School

# 2018-2019 ~ Parent Activities Calendar

PLEASE NOTE...for *Parents' Group Meetings in November, February, March & May:*

- Don't forget to bring your Appetite and your Kids (including CDS students), because dinner (pizza & pop) and child care will be provided.
- Make sure to RSVP (847.680.8349 / ext. 301), no later than the day before the meeting...so we know how much food to order, and how many staff members will be needed to provide child care.

Date & Time	Activity / Presenter	Description / Discussion Topic
<b>Thursday</b> <b>September 6<sup>th</sup></b> <b>2:30 - 6:00pm</b>	<b>CDS Open House</b>	Come to CDS to meet the Teachers, Therapists, Behavior Specialists, Administrators and other Support Staff that work with your child every day. Tour the school, check out your child's classroom(s), and get information about the curriculum planned for this new school year.
<b>Thursday</b> <b>October 11<sup>th</sup></b> <b>2:20 - 6:00pm</b>	<b>Parent/Teacher/Therapist Conferences</b>	Come to CDS for personal appointments with your child's Homeroom Teacher & Therapist. You can discuss your child's progress, areas that need improvement, behavior, current grades and work in therapy.
<b>Thursday</b> <b>November 15<sup>th</sup></b> <b>5:30 - 7:00pm</b>	<b>Ms. Rachel Merke</b> CDS, SC, NCA & CAE Senior Transition Services Specialist	Tips for Transitioning: How to Help your Child Prepare for Life after High School.
<b>Thursday</b> <b>February 7<sup>th</sup></b> <b>5:30 - 7:00pm</b>	<b>Mr. John Nelson, Ms. Laura Grimes, Mr. Arnold MaGee &amp; Mr. Donte Fain</b> CDS Behavior Intervention Services (BIS) Team	The CDS Behavioral Management Program, and best practices for School & Home collaboration.
<b>Thursday</b> <b>March 14<sup>th</sup></b> <b>5:30 - 7:00pm</b>	<b>Ms. Diana McNelis</b> CDS Substance Abuse Specialist	What Parents can do to Prevent, Identify and Address Issues with Alcohol & Drugs.
<b>Thursday</b> <b>April 18<sup>th</sup></b> <b>2:20 - 6:00pm</b>	<b>Parent/Teacher/Therapist Conferences</b>	Come to CDS for personal appointments with your child's Homeroom Teacher & Therapist. You can discuss your child's progress, areas that need improvement, behavior, current grades and work in therapy.
<b>Thursday</b> <b>May 16<sup>th</sup></b> <b>5:30 - 7:00pm</b>	<b>Ms. Samantha Daab</b> CDS Art Therapists	Multi-Family Art Therapy Group. The <u>Whole Family</u> is welcome to participate in this activity.

