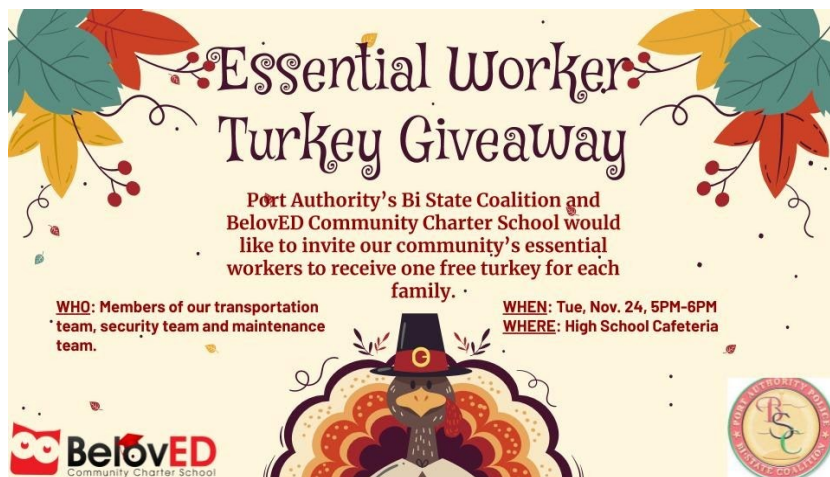


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BiState Coalitions 2nd Annual Turkey Giveaway

On Tuesday, Nov. 24th, in collaboration with the BiState Coalition of the Port Authority Police Department, BelovED was able to offer free turkeys to our essential workers who've been keeping our community safe, clean and fed throughout 2020. Thank you to all of our transportation, maintenance and security personnel for being here day in and day out! We appreciate you and are THANKFUL to have you in our community!

Thank you to the BiState Coalition for their generous donation of 75+ turkeys for our community members! We are so lucky to have such wonderful community partners. The BiState Coalition is a fraternal organization, within the Port Authority Police Department, dedicated to fostering bonds between African American Officers and the community.



Dates to Remember

Dec 16 Health and Wellness Night
Dec 17 MS/HS Conferences
Dec 18 1/2 Day
Dec 21-Jan 1: No School Winter Break

BelovED Reads LIT LIVE Book talks

Starting Wednesday Dec. 2, Ms. Torres will be hosting two Booktalk book rooms during Wellness Wednesday! There will be challenges, activities, read alouds and more! All students K-10 are welcome to participate!

Our Read Aloud time will be from 2pm - 3pm and we will be reading the picture books :

- Fry Bread
- We are Water Protectors
- At the Mountains Base

From 3pm-4pm, we will talk about the Book of the Month "Prairie Lotus"! Email Ms. Torres at jtortes@belovedccs.org to get access to our Zoom Room!



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STAR Winter Benchmark

During the week of 12/7 - 12/11, our scholars in grades K-10 will be taking the STAR Winter Benchmark. The purpose of the STAR assessment is to help teachers better understand what students know and can do in the areas of early literacy, reading, and math. By pinpointing exactly what your child knows, teachers can personalize your child's practice to keep them growing. In addition, the STAR assessments see how students are progressing toward the ACT, SAT, and NJSLA, allowing us to identify students who need additional support to get everyone on track for college and career readiness.





Each test should take about 20 minutes to complete. It is important that **ALL** students take the assessments on the day that it is assigned by your child's teacher and **take it independently**. To prepare your students for taking the test:

- Make sure your child gets a good night's rest
- Make sure they have had a good breakfast
- Make sure students have their BelovED email address and password written down
- Make sure they have a well lit place to work, free of distractions
- Make sure they have a pair of headphones (to aid in focus as well as to be able to listen in to any prompts)

Family Literacy Night

On Wednesday, November 11, the K-10 ELA department hosted our first event of the year, virtually! Scholars were able to participate in a variety of literacy activities with their families, like Mystery Sight Word, Literacy Scavenger Hunt, and Jeopardy! Our HS students also participated in a Poetry Workshop! All scholars who participated received a HW pass, good for one ELA HW assignment of their choice and there were special prizes in each room!

Login Steps

If your school uses a Renaissance link...	If your school uses a single sign-on solution like ClassLink or Clever...
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Open an internet browser and enter the Renaissance link received from your school. 2. Click I'm a Student. 3. Enter the student's username and password. (If multiple students are using the same computer, verify it is the correct username and password.) Then click Log In. 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Log in to your single sign-on portal. 2. Select the Renaissance tile. 
<p>Select the appropriate tile for the test your student needs to take. (Students may not see all of the test options.)</p> 	
<p>Verify the student's name is correct at the top of the screen and that the correct test name is shown.</p> <p>Do NOT click Start (or enter a monitor password) until test instructions have been read to the student and the student is completely ready to begin the test.</p> 	



(FLN Night, cont.)

Ms. Torres also held a LIVE book talk of our October Book of the Month, "Born a Crime" and students faced off to become the Kahoot champion! Congratulations to Adam Soto, who took home the top prize—a BelovED Reads Lit shirt

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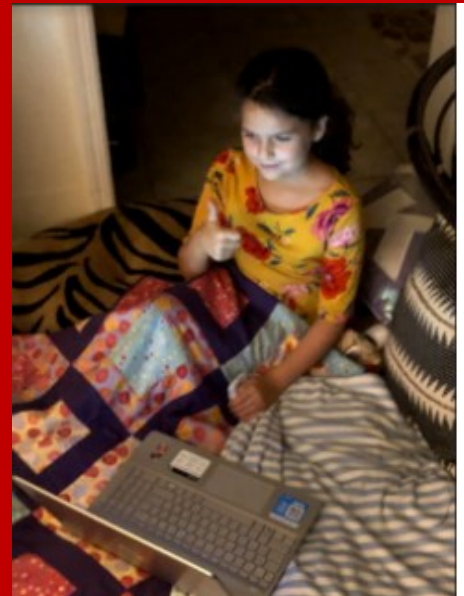
(FLN, cont.)

Congratulations to all our Prize Winners!



Ms. Jomayra Torres

Atharva Sharma 1E
Tanuj Vijayasekar 1A
Anish Sharma 3A
Katelyn Link 4D
Mina Toma
Jayvan Avila
Sara Elhaddad 9.4
Ahmad Khilji 10.3
Marcus Judge 10.5



Katelyn Link

Athletics Update

School winter sports have been postponed statewide by the Governor and the NJSIAA. Our hope is that we will be able to begin tryouts and practices in January when we return from winter break. We are still taking registration for all high school, and middle school winter sports and will announce tryout dates as we get closer to January. If you have not registered your scholar yet please see the registration email that was sent home.

Any questions about school athletics please contact our Athletic Director Mr. Waldron jwaldron@belovedccs.org

Rho Kappa National Honor Society

Under the leadership of Ms. Bianca Muligan, this month the Middle School introduced the Rho Kappa National Honor Society to Beloved. The RKNHS provides national recognition for outstanding students and encourages an interest in, understanding of and appreciation for the social studies.



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Invention Convention

At BelovED's annual Invention Convention, students identified problems in their every day lives then created their very own inventions using materials from home to solve them. Our scholars worked very hard on their inventions and we are so proud of them. A few projects are displayed here. Winners will be announced on December 11th.



Edible Water Bottle



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High School College and Career Day

On Wednesday, November 25th, the BelovED High School hosted their first Virtual College/Career Day!

At this important stage in their lives, making plans for their post-secondary journey becomes paramount (colleges and careers). During this event our 9th and 10th grade students had the opportunity to participate in various panels ranging from meeting with college students and professionals who can jump start their college/career journey, to researching colleges that offer what they would like to study in the future, to speaking with a college admissions officer who answered their questions about what the college application process is like.

Our amazing career volunteers came from all walks of life. We had professionals practicing in STEM fields, members of the law enforcement and legal community, business and financial experts, air traffic controllers, members of the military, hair colorists, and many more. Their expertise enlightened our scholars to what life beyond high school can truly be like.

College students from various academic institutions also provided guidance for life as a post-secondary scholar. From tips and tricks for dorm life to how to navigate selecting a major, our high school scholars were granted a valuable insider's look at college and university life.

The feedback from our volunteer panelists, teacher moderators, and most importantly our scholars has been across-the-board positive and many cannot wait to do it again soon.



Elementary School Scholars of the Month of November

KA Ayman Fersha
KB Gianna Hagood
KC Dhruv Terli
KD J ohan Smith
KE Stella Martin

1A Caroline Gonzalez
1B Kidane Kibreab
1C Rihanna Ellahya
1D Kyla Charles
1E Mohamed Mosilhy

2A Dalwin Castillo
2B Aarya Jha
2C Abdallah Ibrahim
2D Justice Woodard
2E Juanna Ann Lijo

3A Toby Esteban
3B Layla Sandomato
3C Logan Woods
3D Ganesh Matam
3E Adam Mousa



4A Damien Capilli
4B Elias Aziz
4C Aditii Karthik
4D Omar Gad

5A Kendell Edwards
5B Matthew Gadalla
5C Isabella Lancellotti
5D Saswini Medinis

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Middle School Honor Roll Students for First Quarter

Summa Cum Laude (A+)

David Zhu 8A

Magna Cum Laude (A+, A, A-)

Cameron, Katalina 6A
Kerolos, Mena 6A
Aboukalila, Shrouk 7B
Almazan, Samantha 7B
Amante, Rainn 7B
Armando, Vinny 7B
Bolden, Hazel 7B
Chourikar, Shrihan 7A
Cosme, Jeremiah 7D
Cabrera, Jeremie 8A
Czaplicki, Alexa 8A
David, Chloe 8C
Duarte-Moran, Shaila 8B
Fouad, Abanoub 8B
Galang, Angel 8B
Jackson, Madison 8C
Olujobi, Sharon 8B
Villalobos, Vianca 8A
Woodard, Josephyne 8E

Cum Laude (A+, A, A-, B+, B)

Alexander, Erica Rose 6C
Avila, Janellys 6B
Barriga, Erick 6E
Bobiles, Caitlin Rae 6D
Cruz Rodriguez, Ivana 6A
Douglas, Vance 6B
Lawrence, Kyla 6E
Martin, Kai 6A
Munishi, Vincent 6A
Ortiz, Cristina 6B
Pilco, Samantha 6B
Ramroop, Joshua 6D
Sandonato, Simon 6A
Toma, Mina 6E
Villavert, Ryan 6A
Watson, Stephen 6D
Aleem, Muhammad 7B
Alonso, Tristan 7A
Ashfaq, Minahil 7D
Avila, Jayvan 7C
Bodian, Jessica 7E
De-Paz, Alexander 7C
Diaz, Esme 7A
Elsayed, Shaza 7B
Enerio, Denise 7A
Estipona, Ritchell D. 7A

Hernandez, Adrian 7B
Kalai, Alaeeddine 7B
Khera, Nitya 7A
Mejia, Emmanuel J. 7A
Mota, Ayden 7C
Owusu-Cobby, Erick 7B
Quinones, Marcel 7B
Ramirez, Amairani 7E
Roberson, Jenna 7D
Saleb, Lellian 7A
Salgado, Ruth 7B
Sindiong, Anthony 7B
Sumcad, Vivien 7A
Torres, Jayden 7B
Vineza, Jullian 7A
Almazan, Derek J. 8A
Aziz, Zack 8A
Casciano, Nicholas 8A
Elshenawy, Adam 8C
Jolaosho, Oyinoluwa 8A
Ortiz, Victor 8A
Peterson, Jaycen 8C
Poblete, John 8D
Roman, Jayla 8B
Rosales, Chloe Anne 8A
Shipman, Znyjah 8E
Sylla, Fatimah 8C
Vitug, Colin Philippe 8A
Zheng, Edward 8B



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High School Honor Roll Scholars

9th Grade Cum Laude

Fayada Adam
Rofaida Ahmed
Harley Alvarado
Zubaya Amin
Keshav Anandapadmanaban
Mecca Chandler
Ayman Dydough
Yanise Edmond
Sara Elhaddad
Adam Fountain
Victoria Lenga
Faith Marasigan
Aeris Martinez
Jamary Miranda
Henry Morales
Maisha Mungai
Joshua Okah
Ariana Persaud
Nicole Rodriguez
Nathalie Santiago
Maya Santos
Miguel Spratley
Eva Vega

Magna Cum Laude

Anusha Alam
Reyina Boereau
Damani Charles
Fatima Faisal
Angelica Harris
Aya Louzi
Sahara Martin
Farba Ndiaye
Janrex Panlilio
Bola Zakhary

Summa Cum Laude

Sylvia Aguayo-Olivares
Mame Niang
Mariam Rasslan

10th Grade Cum Laude

Duha Aboukalila
Nicole Arroyo-Gonzalez
Abdou Ceesay
Kathleen Gatan
Nasir Grant
Adonis Ibrahim
Augustin Iskander
Youstina Keresto
Chloe Laygo
Abdul Malik
Asiya Muhammed
Joan Onsongo
Sophia Paredes
Eddie Pastrana
Anaxi Polimar
Wade Ramos
Melanie Reyes
A'Blessin Robinson
Anthony Sanchez
Samantha Sonsona
Zenab Souare
Mousa Sylla
Jameah Thompson
Lanell Williams

Magna Cum Laude

Hayley Alvarado
Kiara Cooper
Yarlin Henriquez
Ariana Miller
Julian Punzal
Makiyah Sanders

Summa Cum Laude

Amaya Jimenez
Diorianni Pepin
Khadija Souare

Honor Roll Grades 3-5

Grade 3 – Cum Laude

Awad, Veronica
Chavadi, Harini
Esteban, Toby
Kanamarlupudi, Anish Mourya
Krim, Zaid
Malik, Abdulbari
McNamee, Thomas
Mejia, Jairus Rozhoel
Mohammed, Ezzah
Patel, Aashka
Patil, Akshaj Nilesh
Rodriguez, Sophia
Saleb, Maroska
Sy Savane, Aminata
Valerius, Miles
Varshney, Samarth

Grade 3 – Magna Cum Laude

Arun, Rennita
Bhide, Arya
Chopade, Advait
Fersha, Ryan
Mosilhy, Sama
Nabdali, Marwa
Ortiz, Angelique
Sandonato, Layla
Sharma, Anish
Sudhir, Kimaya
Woods, Ethan
Woods, Logan

Grade 4 – Cum Laude

Anaam, Misk
Awad, Angelina
Chandaluri, Shravya
Flores, Braden Matthews
Gad, Omar
Krajewski, Anezzariyah
Maher, Nour
Narvaez, Ethan
Natividad, Artciel Caleb

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(Gr. 4 Cum Laude, cont.)

Omar, Eyad
Omar, Hala
Polimar, Jeremiah
Shasha, Adam
Wilson, Mikael
Yadav, Nabhya

Grade 4 – Magna Cum Laude

Ahmed, Adham
Battle, Mia
Bhandagi, Anika
Capili, Damien
Charles, Nolah
Dutta, Kaivalya
Galang, Jaiden
Garibaldi, Joelle
Ghobrial, Olivea
Jackson, Mikayla
Karthik, Aditii
Mujtaba, Hamad
Mustafa, Ahmad
Patel, Akanksha
Patidar, Satvik
Shaikh, Ehan
Shaikh, Rohaan

Grade 5 – Cum Laude

Abdelmesih, Holy
Aleem, Rania
Allen, Andrea
Bautista, Briella
Edwards, Kendall
Geronimo, Francese
Martinez, Aurys
Mohammed, Hariz
Noronha, Viola
Shahid, And

Grade 5 – Magna Cum Laude

Ahmed, Fareda
Borade, Maahi
Dilworth, Noelle
Gad, Adam
Garg, Saket

Hanno, Lojayne
Keskar, Anish
Kibreab, Gideon
Lancellotti, Isabella
Lin, Zoie
Meselhy, Salma
Meselhy, Sara
Yildiz, Beliz

Grade 5 – Summa Cum Laude

Sy Savane, Makhosazana
Verma, Tanisha

Honor Roll Grades 1-2

Grade 1 - Cum Laude

Ahmed, Boshra
Ahmed, Omar
Alcantara, Gianna
Anaam, Muath
Arora, Arnay
Avila, Arianna
Bernard, Austin
Bridgemohan, Leah
Diaz, Britney
Eid, Moaaz
Gadi, Havish
Gerges, Jacob
Gomez, Aiden
Gonzalez, Jacob
Gulraiz, Aira
Hines, Mylaa
Karima, Lara
Katari, Yuvan
Khedr, Ann
Kibreab, Kidane
Mahmood, Hifza
Mejia-Martinez, Lynosca
Monroe, Chris
Nabdali, Aya
Omar, Adam
Oussalem, Thiziri
Pavlenko, Julian
Romano, Asch Yossef

Uffre, Bradley
Vazquez-Hernandez, Sandy
Ziyani, Yahya

Grade 1 - Magna Cum Laude

Abdelmesih, Karas
Anoche, Osten
Arunprakash, Aarav
Baisden, Malayna
Banfoul, Yasmine
Bashir, Aizah
Brown, Kaylani
Capili, Dwight
Charles, Kylah
Cherkaoui, Marwa
Chunawala, Rehan
Douglas, Myles
Ebrahim, Mina
Ellahya, Rihanna
Estipona, Natalia
Garg, Anaya
Ghobrial, Kero
Gonzalez, Carlee
Gonzalez, Caroline
Hanmantgad, Siddarth
Harish, Viidhyuth
Hassan, Yomna
Hill-Castro, Ayden
Inoa, Jayson
Kolli, Tanvi
Krim, Marwa
Mosilhy, Mohamed
Nanton, Nersiah
Ortiz, Brianna
Punith, Tavisha
Sathish, Mirthika
Sharma, Atharva
Sharma, Samar
Silverio, Lenny
Thangarajan, Mohanesh
Thapaliya, Rudrakshi
Umana, Jesse
Welsh, John
Yede, Idhika

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Grade 1 - Summa Cum Laude

Abdelhadi, Aya
Diarra, Salif
Gupta, Anika
Justin, Merwinjoe
Kalangi, Saket
Premjith, Pranay
Santos Orozco, Nicolas
Thakkar, Veda
Vijayasekar, Tanuj

Makhija, Priyansh
Nagpal, Tanushka
Nair, Prayaag
Ndombi, Hudson
Omar, Heidi
Ortiz, Sofia
Persaud, Sahana
Rajgaria, Yashvi
Rolon, Dayren
Romero, Selena
Saleb, Maryse
Shimberg, Owen
Smith, Skyler
Taha, Muhammad
Vallarasu, Prakulveeraj
Woodard, Justice

Grade 2 - Cum Laude

Abd Elrahim, Shorouk
Azizov, Adam
Barley, Desiree
Fargas, Mark Daniel
Gonzalez, Imaryerie
Hilliard, Noah
Ibrahim, Abdallah
Jakoub, Klara
Kalai, Esrae
Kerolos, Dolage
Lijo, Juanna Ann
Marshall, Matthew
Militante, Aiden James
Rivera, Lilac
San Elias, Erik
Vargas, Max
Welsh, Charlotte
Williams, Lorelyn
Wynn, David
Yadav, Akshaj
Youssef, Javen

Grade 2 - Summa Cum Laude

Haley, Jaxson
Pintor, Ashley Jade
Vitug, Codi Ethan

Grade 2 - Magna Cum Laude

Banjara, Sadikshya
Cosme, Mckayla
Fekroune, Takoua
Goodman, Kevin
Jain, Mihika
Jasti, Laasya Chowdary
Jha, Aarya
Jha, Abhigyan
Kapur, Mishika

