

Good afternoon! For those of you who celebrate Easter, I hope you have had a wonderful day. We certainly have been blessed with beautiful weather! It's a busy week ahead at BIS:

- **Allied Arts** this week:
 - MONDAY: Red
 - TUESDAY: Orange
 - WEDNESDAY: Yellow
 - THURSDAY: Green
 - FRIDAY: Blue (No Allied Arts classes - Chalk the Walk presentations)
- The **April breakfast and lunch menu** is attached [here](#).
- To help celebrate the upcoming eclipse, we invite all students and staff to participate in **dress-up days**. Check out the themed days [here](#).
- As a reminder, there is **NO SCHOOL on Monday, April 8** as Batesville prepares for the solar eclipse!
- Welcome to **Kristin Rowland**, who will step in as PE teacher through the remainder of the year. Mrs. Rowland will begin this Thursday, April 4, and work with Mr. Linkel to ensure a smooth transition. Mr. Linkel's last day at BIS is this Friday, April 5. We will miss you, Mr. Linkel!
 - Please make sure your child wears gym shoes on PE days! No boots or sandals, please.
- **Spring Picture Day** is coming up this Tuesday, April 2nd. Order online at inter-state.com/order using Order Code 85153HF. Only students who preorder will be photographed. *Club pictures for the yearbook will take place on Tuesday, as well.*
- **Kids Heart Challenge** paperwork is due this Thursday, April 4.
- Many of our community partners have begun promoting **Summer Camp** information. Please watch for announcements in Class Dojo and on Sunday updates:
 - **Kids Discovery Factory** is excited to again partner with **Hillenbrand**, for our 12th annual summer STEAM camp! Campers will experience hands-on Science, Technology, Engineering, Art and Math projects. In addition, campers will explore the on-site Kids Discovery Mobile Factory's collection of engaging STEAM exhibits! Our goal is to ensure each child has the opportunity to **COMMUNICATE, COLLABORATE**, think **CRITICALLY**, and **CREATE** in a fun, interactive, and meaningful way! [STEAM Camp](#) meets July 8-11 from 9:00am-11:30pm at the Batesville Intermediate School. Register Online at: www.kidsdiscoveryfactory.org/steam-camp
 - **WAVE Youth Leadership Camp** - June 17-21 for current 4th and 5th graders. Check out the [flyer](#) and get registration info [here](#).
 - Genesis: Pathways to Success offers [24 different camp opportunities](#) for students entering grades 5-8. A Summer of STREAM Camp Registration is opening on Monday, April 1st at 12:00PM. Details [here](#).
- Save the date for our annual **BIS FAMILY FUN NIGHT** on Tuesday, May 14 from 5-7pm. It's an evening filled with student performances, book fair shopping, many presentations, booths, and family-friendly activities. ALL students will have artwork on display, as well. Batesville's Concepts Custom Framing offers custom framing of your child's work for \$25. Check out details and order information [here](#).

Enjoy the rest of the day!