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Dear Parents/Guardians,

As we gear up for the end of the school year, I would like to provide you with important details regarding the upcoming Regents and Final exams. Our last full day of school is Friday, June 13th. Finals and Regents days will follow the attached schedule from June 16th – June 27th.

Here are important reminders:

- **Entry:** Students will only enter the building for their test session or Regent's review, and leave once the exam is over. If your child does not have an exam or Regent's review scheduled, they will **not** come to school that day. Please review the attached exam schedule, with numerous bus times to accommodate arrival to and departure from school.
- **Regents Review:** Optional review sessions will be scheduled by teachers to help students prepare for their Regents exams. These sessions are not mandatory. Teachers will provide detailed information about review session locations and additional availability.
- **Electronic Devices:** All personal electronic devices, including cell phones, smart watches, and air pods, will be collected before students enter testing locations for both Finals and Regents exams. Please ensure your child is aware of this policy. (Note: for certain Final exams students **must** bring their **charged** Chromebook, teachers will be notifying students on the format of their exam and if the Chromebook is needed).
- **Attendance Reminder:** It is crucial that students do not miss any Final exam sessions unless accompanied by documentation as per district policy. Vacations are **not** an excused absence. Students will not be allowed to retake their exam, resulting in a zero. Regents' exams are scheduled at specific times. Students who miss their exam will have to retake the exam in August.
- **Student Accommodations:** Student accommodations including additional time only applies for students receiving extended time as stated on their IEP or a 504 plan. Bussing will be available for students receiving this accommodation.
- **Regents Examination Release Time:** Students taking Regents exams **must** remain in the testing location until the New York State uniform release time of 10:00 a.m. for morning exams and 2:00 p.m. for afternoon exams.

Should you or your child have any questions or concerns about the exam schedule or any other related matters, please do not hesitate to reach out to their teacher or counselor for assistance. Thank you for your cooperation and support as we navigate through this exam period together.

Best regards,

Sincerely,

Sal Alaimo
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