

October 2015

Dear Parent/Guardian:

Parent Conferences are scheduled for next Wednesday, November 4^{th} from 1:00-4:30. There is a break from 4:30-5:30 and conferences resume again from 5:30-7:00 PM.

The majority of the teachers at North Park Academy of the Arts run student led conferences. Student-led conferences are facilitated by the student. The students will show their work samples, explain their academic progress, and discuss goals. Teachers are a facilitator to clarify and/or answer any questions along the way. We believe that student-led conferences encourage students to take ownership for their academic performance, and it teaches them the process of self-evaluation and reflection.

Your students will be preparing throughout this week to lead you through the conferences. It is very important that your son/daughter accompany you on November 6th.

Thank you and we look forward to seeing you next Wednesday.

Sincerely,

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