

A copy of the letter seen below is the welcome letter that is sent to all students in grades 3-5. This year they were sent them through school, the parent portal, and also mailed copies to homes due to the pandemic. Students are recruited through school when announcements are made throughout the building, and through class dojo. Each student's family received an email and links were shared across multiple platforms.



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"Together We Can. Juntos Nos Podemos, Juntos Podemos"

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WELCOME!

Your child has been invited to participate in the 21st Century Community Learning Center Program, which will begin virtually, for the 2020-2021 school year. This innovative program will be held Monday through Friday from 3:00 pm to 6:00 pm daily.

At 3:00 PM each program day, students will meet with Ms. Amy Zambrano for a 30 minute mindfulness/wellness session. At 3:30 PM each day we will begin the academic lab portion of our program. During this session, time will be allotted for homework, followed by academic enrichment and remediation as needed. After academics, all students will transition to the elective portion of our program at 5:00 PM. These electives will be based on our STEAM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts, and Mathematics) theme and will be rotated regularly throughout the year so that each child can experience a variety of opportunities. Since the program is operating remotely at this time, students have the opportunity to attend whatever sessions their schedules allow. All program sessions can be accessed through our Google Site which can be found here: <https://sites.google.com/longbranch.k12.nj.us/lbps-21st-cclc-program/home>

Your child will be able to begin the program as soon as their paperwork is received. All of the registration forms can be found at this link: <https://forms.gle/Q8GnXSFKVCwUqs2E9>

We have also enclosed a paper copy of the registration forms for those of you who are more comfortable completing them that way. Please return them to school with your child. Once we receive the registration information we will contact your child's teacher with their placement information. You will also receive an invitation to join our group REMIND in order to receive important program updates.

If you have any questions, feel free to reach out to me using the contact information listed below. Thank you so much and we look forward to working with you and your child(ren) this school year!

Sincerely,
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