



A Note from Ms. Loughran, Interim Principal

Someone in your classroom is waiting for a friend,
Somewhere in your brain, there's a story to be penned.
Something in this school year, is waiting to be known,
And when you discover it, your mind will be blown!

- Anonymous

It was great to welcome students back to the building for our first in-person day of school this year! We hope all students enjoyed their first week back in the building and we are looking forward to seeing more Hale Hedges next week.

Announcements

COVID TESTING: Boston Public Schools will start student Covid testing on March 8th for students who are attending school. Attached you will find the letter explaining the testing, and the links for electronic consent. Please sign your consent for this to help keep everyone at the Nathan Hale School healthy. We will send paper consent forms home starting Monday.

SCHOOL UNIFORMS: Students who are returning to school are expected to wear white or navy collared shirts. Shirts do not need to have the school emblem. If you need shirts, we have some at the school to share with students. We are not requiring navy pants, but they are encouraged. Please call the school and talk with Ms. Lewis, our substitute secretary, if you need uniforms.

WINTER COATS: We will be going outside every day, unless it is raining or snowing. Please dress your child for winter weather! If your child is in need of a winter coat or winter gear, please contact Ms. Lewis in the main office. We recently received a donation of over 50 coats!

COMMUNITY EVENT: The Honoring Henry Hampton committee is excited to announce its second event, titled "Keeping Our Eyes on the Prize: Education, Equity & Justice." The focus will be on family advocacy for transformative education in communities of color in Boston, with a focus on Roxbury. This family friendly event is open to all Nathan Hale families and will feature guest speakers, community dialogue, and student performances will be online on Saturday 3/6, 5-7 pm. The zoom link is here: <https://zoom.us/j/93885978227?pwd=b2NFYjVRczhHcmpHWWxLcTNNc3BEQT09> Meeting ID: 938 8597 8227
[Passcode: Hampton](#)

