

Merrick Avenue Middle School



R.A.P.

(Rams Academic Program)

Attention MAMS Students!

If you need a place to complete homework with friends, to collaborate and help out your classmates, find extra guidance with schoolwork, or if you want to make new friends, come and join R.A.P. Everyone is Welcome! ☺

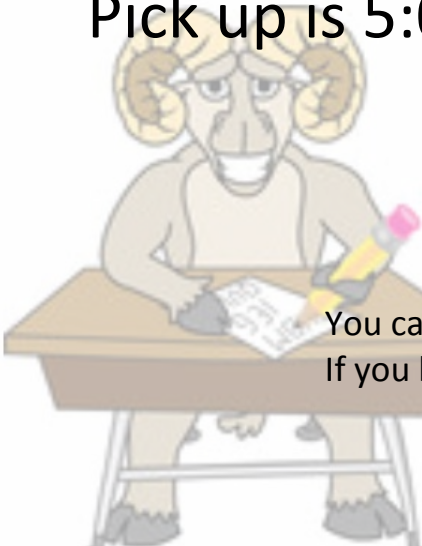
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Monday -Thursday

3:05 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Starts: **October 9th** Ends: **May 22nd**

Pick up is 5:00 p.m. Sharp!



You can pick up permission slips from either Ms. Colangelo or Mr. Conway.

If you have any questions, phone us at (992-1232) or please Email:

Ms. Colangelo at icolangelo@bellmore-merrick.k12.ny.us

Mr. Conway at tconway@bellmore-merrick.k12.ny.us

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Welcome Parents and Students,

The RAMS Academic Program is a free program that will run after school from **October 9th, 2018 until May 22nd, 2019**. Students may receive homework and studying help, work on group projects, or utilize computers to complete school assignments. Although the program is mainly focused on the academic needs of participants, there is a social component as well. We provide a great place for your student to meet new friends. In addition to completing schoolwork together, students will interact and participate in scheduled activities including board games, competitions, and digital applications. The program also plans to integrate with existing after school clubs. The school provides a snack for those students remaining in the library past 4:00 p.m. Students are welcome to bring their own snack from home as well. However, please be aware that we are a nut free environment.

- The program is offered Monday – Thursday from 3:05 p.m. (after extra help) until 5:00 p.m. Students may take the bus at 3:30 p.m., 4:15 p.m., or 5:15 p.m. The buses meet by the auditorium entrance where a faculty member is on duty. **Parents/Guardians picking up their children should meet their child promptly at 5:00 p.m. by the Main Office Entrance ONLY.**
- Parents/Guardians who will be picking up their students prior to 5:00 should call the library phone number **(516) 992 – 1232** to inform the library supervisors of the pick up time. To help maintain the security of the building, parents/guardians are asked to wait outside the Main Office doors for pick up.
- Students who will be going home with someone other than a family member should submit a signed note by their parent naming that person. (see attached permission slip)
- Students who will be walking home after 4:00 p.m. should submit the attached permission slip (for walking home) that will remain on file for the school year. This permission slip may be returned to Ms. Colangelo, Mr. Conway, or the Main Office.
- Students will be expected to sign into the library and sign out upon their departure. This also occurs when a student needs to leave the library to use their locker or restroom. Safety of our students is always of the utmost importance.
- Students who wish to attend the library program after club meetings should come directly to the library following the meeting and sign in.

Students will be permitted to use cell phones in the RAMS Academic Program at the discretion of the RAMS Academic Program staff. There is a phone available in the library for student use. Parents/Guardians are welcome to contact their child via the library phone at **(516) 992 -1232**.

We are looking forward to a very rewarding and successful school year. Please feel free to contact us should you have any questions or concerns regarding the RAMS Academic Program.

Sincerely,

Ms. Colangelo & Mr. Conway

After School Program Supervisors

ccolangelo@bellmore-merrick.k12.ny.us,

tconway@bellmoremerrick.k12.ny.us

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Dear Parents/Guardians:

As the evenings get progressively darker, we are concerned about those students who do not receive bus service and wish to walk home from the RAMS Academic Program.

In order to ensure the safety of our students, we request that you please complete and sign the slip below to verify that your child has permission to walk home rather than wait for a ride.

The library phone number is **(516) 992 -1232** should you need to contact your student.

Sincerely,
Ms. Colangelo and Mr. Conway

Permission Slip for walking home

I give permission for my daughter / son _____
(Print Child's first and last name)

to walk home from the Merrick Avenue Middle School RAMS Academic Program between the hours of
4:00 p.m. and 5:00 p.m. for the 2018-2019 school year.

(Print parent/guardian name)

(Sign parent/guardian name)

Parent /Guardian Home Phone number

Parent /Guardian Cell Phone number _____

Parent /Guardian Work Phone number

Additional name and phone number in case of emergency _____