



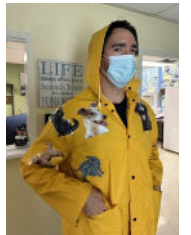
# Greetings Phoenix Families

Friday November 3 2023

**End of Term 1 is November 3.**

As predicted Time is flying by! We are at the end of our first of three terms. The report cards will be available for families to download as of November 20th. Our Parent interviews will be held the evening of November 30th. Parents are required to schedule their appointments online. You will receive specific instructions closer to the date: keep an eye peeled for the email.

**Halloween Challenge.** Speaking of expressions and idioms (keep an eye peeled). For Halloween, the staff challenged the students by dressing up as idioms and expressions. Some were more challenging than others... how many can you get?



## Phoenix Family Phys Ed:

Our most recent PE excursions were the Ministry of Cricket and Mini Putt. Our next trip is scheduled for November 13th to Centre du Sablon for basketball, weights, cardio and more!

This and all of the other PE days are compulsory. Students who do not attend on a regular basis will be in danger of failing their Physical Education class

## Phoenix Friday Feast's Continue.

Our most recent feast was Mexican. Next up will be Portuguese! Yum.



**Strike Day:** Yesterday you received a communication from the head office regarding the strike day planned for Monday November 6th. Please note that on Monday we will open our doors to students as of 10:30. Classes will resume as of second period.

**The secret to success** is that there is no secret. Over the years we have seen students succeed after many trials and tribulations. They were successful, because they showed up every day, stayed all day, and worked in every class. The staff at Phoenix is the best I have seen, but they can only work with students who are in front of them. If you wish success for your child, please ensure that they show up every day, on time, and remain all day. Signing your child out because they are "caught up" or have a non-essential class, is not acceptable. All classes are essential, and even if your child is caught up in a class, there is usually work to do in other classes.

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Answers in no particular order: rule of thumb, school, holy cow, speak of the devil, let the cat out of the bag, green with envy, queen bee, eyes in the back of your head.

