



## AGENDA DECEMBER 6TH TILL DECEMBER 17TH

<b>Monday 6 dec.</b>	<b>The school will be decorated with pretty lights</b> Theme lower school: Sil at the museum VLL kern 4: Where do you live? Alles-in-1 art theme week 5: paintings
<b>Tuesday 7 dec.</b>	<b>Youthworker Jamilla will be at school from 13.00 till 17.00.</b> <b>Hermitage exhibition for 5a and 5b, bus departs at 8.15! Make sure to be there on time.</b>
<b>Wednesday 8 dec.</b>	<b>Bookclub to enlarge reading pleasure for the children. We have 4 big groups, led by the library.</b> <b>Sky (7a) is going to present to school at the childrens commission at the town hall from 14.30 till 17.00.</b>
<b>Thursday 9 dec.</b>	<b>Djamilla from BuurtTeam Amsterdam won't be present at school due to the corona measures. You can reach her on her mobile phone (0638677301).</b> <b>for questions about sports- and culturefunds etc.</b> <b>Theatre workshop part 2 for 5b, 6a and 6b in the big gym.</b>
<b>Friday 10 dec.</b>	<b>Youthworker Jamilla will be at school from 13.00 till 17.00.</b> <b>National 'Purple Friday' and 'Anti-bullying day'</b>
<b>Monday 13 dec.</b>	<b>Alles-in-1 art theme, repetition and closure.</b> <b>3a and 3b science and technology, wetenschap en techniek, reading and learning in the corners of the class.</b>
<b>Tuesday 14 dec.</b>	<b>Youthworker Jamilla will be at school from 13.00 till 17.00.</b>
<b>Wednesday 15 dec</b>	<b>Bookclub to enlarge reading pleasure for the children.</b>
<b>Thursday 16 dec.</b>	<b>Djamilla from BuurtTeam Amsterdam won't be present at school due to the corona measures. You can reach her on her mobile phone (0638677301).</b> <b>for questions about sports- and culturefunds etc.</b>
<b>Friday 17 dec.</b>	<b>Lichtjesfeest in every class. Please note: This year we won't host dinner, we will host lunch during schooltimes. Parents give pre-packed food to their children for lunch.</b>

## BREDE SCHOOL ACTIVITIES AND LEERLAB

All brede school activities, leerlabs and tophours (lego challenge) are temporarily put on hold due to the coronavirus.

Unfortunately, we don't know when we will be able to start these activities again.

As soon as the measures are loosened again, we will let you know when and how we're going to continue with these activities. Until then, everyone has to be picked up at school at 14:15 hour. \*

*\* Children attending after school care (BSO) are not included.*

*\* Extra lessons after school (bijles) will still be taught because there are only 1 or 2 children per classroom.*

## APPLICATIONS BROTHERS AND SISTERS

Our school keeps on growing. To guarantee a spot in our classes, it's important to register brothers and sisters on time.

Red forms spread by the municipality are not official register forms. Please ask the school administration for an official form.

When we receive the official form, the registration is completed.

Toddlers from the Blauwe Bij aren't automatically registered at our school. So please make sure you submit a form for children attending the Blauwe Bij too.

## RULES REGARDING CORONA

You have already received several messages regarding the coronavirus measures.

These measures are continuously tightened. Below you will find the important points of advice from the OMT:

- Even with mild illness, such as a cold, cough or sore throat, your child will now stay at home. Make sure to have your child tested by the GGD. Your child may go to school if he/she has a negative test result or is symptom free for 48 hours.
- Corona case within the household? All roommates must be quarantined
- No parents at school, appointments or conversations will be online or after school on 1,5 m distance.
- Teachers wear a face mask in the hallways and other public areas outside the classroom or office.
- Preventive testing twice a week for teachers and students in groups 6, 7 and 8.

Fortunately, few children infected by the virus will become very ill. However, due to the absence of corona symptoms, it is not always clear if they are infected. Even without illness, pupils can infect each other. By doing a preventive self-test twice a week, you can keep an eye on whether you are infected unnoticed.

By doing preventive self-test you help keep infections at school low.

This way fewer classes will have to go home, and we can continue lessons at school.



From december 6th the government will deliver self-tests at school.

If you would like to receive a set of tests to test your child(ren) at home, you can tell this to your child's teacher.

**De Blauwe Lijn will NEVER test students, the tests are intended for parents to use at home!**

## LICHTJESFEEST DECEMBER 17TH (PARTY OF LIGHTS)

Due to the measures regarding the coronavirus, we are giving a different twist to the festival of lights this year. As a precaution, we will be celebrate het lichtjesfeest a week earlier.

In addition, we won't host dinner like we do each year. This year we are having a lichtjesfeest lunch from 11:30 to 12:30. The parent council provides bread, drinks and poffertjes. Parents may, in consultation with the teacher, provide pre-packed food that is suitable for lunch. Think about food like: spreads, eggs, gingerbread, rusks, cakes or other packaged foods. **Please bring your own plate, cup and cutlery.**

The teacher will provide a list, so you can indicate which foods your child will bring to school.

It would be nice if the kids are dressed up, like every other year.

Moreover, the children will walk their way through school by doing an art route. The will end at the library. An exhibition with beautiful works of art, made by the children, will be exhibited.

In addition, a video that master Marc made during the workshops can also be seen on the screen. This video will also be posted on the website later.

***This schoolday will last from 8:30 till 14:15. Children are allowed to come to school dressed up. Unfortunately, parents are not allowed to enter the building.***

## LANGUAGE AND PARENT INVOLVEMENT

Unfortunately, Dutch classes for parents can't take place at school due to the corona measures. We think it's important that parents are given the opportunity to learn the Dutch language. Therefore, we will provide online lessons.

Do you want to learn the Dutch language? And do you have a smartphone?

Please send an email to Anissa el Khayati: [a.elkhayati@deblauwelijn.nl](mailto:a.elkhayati@deblauwelijn.nl)

## SCHOOLPLEIN VOORLOPIG ONTWERP

In the meantime, we have been busy designing the new schoolyard. During the sessions with the student council the pupils have been busy designing their 'dream schoolyard'. Of course we can't make all wishes come true, but we were able to fulfil many wishes.

The new schoolyard will be very green. Nature is important and we must treat it with care. Our new schoolyard will have a lot of plants, shells and natural materials. We will soon have a hammock, a climbing course, a diving rack, an insect hotel, a swing net and much more. As a school it is important to take good care of the schoolyard together. Children will soon be able to play on the new square, but they can also help to keep the square neat and clean.

This way we can enjoy a new playground with a natural environment for longer!

Below you will find the preliminary design of what the playground may look like.

If there are further developments, we will keep you informed!



## ALLES-IN-1 ART THEME WEEK 5: PAINTINGS

### Info: Painting through the centuries

The oldest paintings are the rock paintings in France made in prehistory.

The Greeks and Romans decorated their houses with murals or mosaics.

In the time of the monks and knights, many murals of saints and biblical stories were made.

An icon is a picture of a saint on wood.

Many icons are decorated with gold foil.

In the 17th century, artists painted on linen canvas.

Many important and rich people left a portrait.

A still life is a painting of non-moving things, such as flowers or food and drinks.

The most famous painting from the 17th century is Rembrandt's Nachtwacht.

About 150 years ago, the feeling, and the experience, became more important.

In the last 100 years, artists tried out painting in all kinds of ways: surreal (imaginative), abstract or childlike.

Now, in the 21st century, almost anything is allowed and possible.



## NEW PARENTCOUNSELOR JENNY PINAS

Dear parents,

Let me introduce myself,

My name is Jenny Pinas, I'm the new **Parent counselor** of the Blauwe Lijn

From this week, I will be working at the Blauwe Lijn. I will be available for every parent on

**Monday, Tuesday and Thursday.**

If you have any questions or comments, please let me know.

Together we can provide a cosy, safe and healthy learning environment where everyone respects each other.

I am always ready for a chat, a joke or a serious conversation.

Just hit me up!

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