



# PCLES G.A.T.E.

**OCTOBER 2019**

Hafa Adai Parents!

We will continue to explore coding this month. Students have been trying coding activities both unplugged and online. Eventually, I hope to have students putting their coding skills to work with robotics kits.

This month we will also start introducing the Seven Elements of Art. We will begin with lines and shapes. Students will learn about artists such as Wassily Kadinsky, Hilma af Klint, and Piet Mondrian - all of whom have made pieces in geometric abstract art.

My training in September focused on creativity in the classroom using books written by Peter H. Reynolds and his Fablevision network. I look forward to trying the strategies I learned with my students and creating a classroom climate that allows each of them to develop their own creative identity.

Should you have any questions, my contact information is provided in this newsletter. You can also text me through Class Dojo.

**Just a few friendly reminders:**

**PTAC MEETING:**  
**Friday, 10/04/19, at**  
**5:30 p.m. in the**  
**cafeteria.**

**STUDENT OF THE**  
**MONTH ASSEMBLY:**  
**Friday, 10/11/19, at**  
**8:45 a.m. in the**  
**cafeteria.**

**1<sup>ST</sup> QUARTER**  
**PARENT-TEACHER**  
**CONFERENCE:**  
**Tuesday, 10/22/19**  
**8:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.**

**NO CLASSES:**  
**Friday, 11/01/19 –**  
**All Soul's Day**

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