

UPDATED ZOOM LINK: Affinity Space for Parents of Students of Color

***You received this message yesterday afternoon, but one of the Zoom links has been updated. Please see below for the updated link. Thank you!**

Hello West Families,

Looking back on all the police brutality and violence that is going on in our country and or communities and even after the verdict of Derek Chauvin and the murder of another young Black female, it is very necessary to have space for our families to discuss and process. The most important thing we can do for our students and their families is to continue our work to build strong, trusting relationships as we engage them through virtual and face-to-face learning. Only after we establish these strong connections can we expect students and families to openly share and dialog around such complex issues. We want to work together to help our students and families feel safe, discuss challenging issues productively, and think about how they can make positive changes in our community. **Please join us tomorrow (Thursday, April 22nd) at 4:30pm to have these difficult but necessary conversations. Please see the Zoom Links below:**

[Zoom link for Parents of Color](#) (updated Zoom link)

[Zoom link for White Parents](#)