

***Announcements***

Tuesday, November 1, 2016

Please pause for a brief moment of silence…

***Please rise for the Pledge of Allegiance…***

Teachers please note a slight change in the schedule for today. Meetings with Helene will begin C period.

***Three items for the Class of 2017:***

Parents and students are invited to attend a free seminar on paying for college, which will be held tonight**at 6:30pm in the HHS Library**.  This seminar will provide an overview of the college financing process, including types of financial aid, how to apply, and financing options for your family.

SAT’s!! The deadline to register for the December 3rd ***SAT*** is this Thursday November 3rd. You must register on **collegeboard.org**.

***Guidance Department College visits in November!***

**Wednesday:** Southern New Hampshire University

**Thursday:** Endicott College

**Monday 7th**: Johnson and Wales

**Tuesday 15th**: Emmanuel College

If you have any interest in hearing the opportunities please log into Naviance and request a student pass today!

**Reminder to all students taking the *MCAS ELA Re-test*: students should report to the cafeteria tomorrow Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, November 2, 3 and 4 promptly at 7:25 AM.**

**Excel Club will be meeting after school in room F23 tomorrow Wednesday.**

***Two great programs are available for students on Thursday:***

The **iHelp** center will be available every Thursday during all lunches in the library! Students can sign up before each Thursday in the Guidance Office and a pass will be sent to their first period class. The **iHelp** Center is a peer to peer mentoring program where students help students! For more information please see Miss Massahos in Guidance.

Also on Thursday the **HHS Peer Tutoring Center** is available after school in the library.  Stop by for help in Algebra, Geometry, Pre-Calculus, Biology, Anatomy & Physiology, Physics or German.  If you're interested in becoming a tutor, stop by *Library Room 6* for more information.

**REMINDERS /STANDARD ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Students must carry their ID’s on them at all times.

Staff must wear their ID’s at all times.

First period – period A – which is also homeroom - begins at 7:25. For the safety and security of staff and students all doors with the exception of the Main Entrance are locked after 7:25 and students will be required to enter the building through the front entrance, by the Main Office and **receive a tardy slip**. Students are **not** allowed through side or back doors at any point in the day and there will be consequences to students that open doors for them.

We do allow students to take drinks into their first period class. As a reminder, if you come in late, you will **not** be allowed to bring your beverage to class. Only water will be allowed. Yet another great benefit of coming in early and on time!

This year Haverhill High School - in our efforts to reduce costs and reduce our carbon footprint- is offering the Student Handbook **on line only** for review. This will eliminate using over 60,000 pages of paper for this one handbook. It is available on the front page of our HHS Webpage and on the Parent/Student Resources page. The signature page is also available for parents to print and return to us.

Attention students who park in the student parking lots. Your ***parking pass*** must be visible at all times. All passes should be placed on the inside of the windshield on the top left side where the oil sticker normally is placed. If you need a replacement pass, which will be at a cost, please see Mrs. Shaffer in the 200’s office. Cars without a visible pass will be ticketed; and could result in loss of parking privileges. Should someone park in your designated spot, please report it immediately to the 200’s office or Officer Mears in the F-Wing Office.

Also, the ***Veteran’s Memorial Skating Rink,*** parking lot is only utilized after all HHS spots are full. Please do not park in their parking lot without a pass issued from the 200’s. Vehicles parked illegally may be towed.

Hillies who walk back and forth to school: Please use sidewalks whenever possible. Please do not cut through people’s yards as a short cut. This is private property. Thank you for your cooperation.

When at all Hillie events including athletic events, the administration expects all Haverhill Hillies to represent the school as the great young men and women we know that you all are. That being said, any derogatory language or gestures at the opposing team, fans, or referees from our student section will be dealt with swiftly and severely. If a student is caught using profanity or gestures, they will be asked to leave immediately from the arena. Also, they may face school consequences the following day. Please show your Hillie Pride in appropriate ways!

Students always need a pass to go to the Nurses’ Office even if in-between classes-please get a pass from your teacher first. Please do not call your parents to be excused from school if you are ill. In order to receive an ***excused*** dismissal for illness you must go through the nurse’s office. While in the nurses office please do not use your cell phone at any time.

Students should not be in the halls after **1:40** for any reason with the exception of an emergency. If this is the case, they must have a pass.

Haverhill High School has a **“No Tolerance”** policy on hats, being worn in our school, at any time. If a student is wearing a hat it will be confiscated and will not be returned until the end of the day. As stated in our handbook hats/bandanas/or anything that is distractible for the educational process is not allowed.

The ***Cyber Café Coffee Shop*** will be open after school every day at 2:30 p.m. Students can purchase smoothies, assorted hot and cold beverages, assorted baked goods, snacks, sandwiches, and salads.