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Testing Season!

With the 4th quarter just beginning, it seems too soon for testing to begin. However, testing season is here. I know there are lots of concerns regarding testing this year, as it pertains to student readiness, fairness of the testing, and safety. Even though these factors play a part, it is imperative that everyone at MCHS completes ALL of their testing. End-of-course exams haven't happened since 2019 and with that missing data, we do not have a measure of students' progress. Additionally, Advanced Placement tests provide the potential opportunity for college credit. AP

tests also show colleges that students have "follow-through" and that goes a long way. Lastly, testing is leveraged nationwide to make decisions for funding, resources, and opportunity. I am asking that at this moment, we come together and show everyone we have tried our best this entire year, and we will do our best and complete EACH and EVERY test!

Champions always seem to find a way to rise! We are Middle College!

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Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
3	4	5	6	7
English I, Subpart I/II	English I, Subpart III	ASVAB – 11 th	English II, Subpart I/II	English II, Subpart III
Arrival: 7:45am	Arrival:7:45am	grade/selected seniors	Arrival: 7:45am	Arrival:7:45am
Dismissal: 12:10pm	Dismissal: 11:30am	Arrival: 7:45am Dismissal: 11:45am	Dismissal: 12:10pm	Dismissal: 11:30am
10	11	12	13	14
Algebra I	Geometry	Biology	Algebra II	U.S. History
Arrival: 7:45am	Arrival: 7:45am	Arrival: 7:45am	Arrival: 7:45am	Arrival: 7:45am
Dismissal: 1:00pm	Dismissal: 1:00pm	Dismissal: 11:00am	Dismissal: 1:00pm	Dismissal: 11:30am
17	18	19	20	21
			Submissions due for:	
			AP Art, Comp Sci,	
			Seminar	
24	25	26	27	28
AP Physics		AP Language	AP Biology	AP Human Geography
Arrival: 11:00am		Arrival: 10:00am	Arrival: 10:00am	Arrival: 10:00am
Dismissal: 3:00pm		Dismissal: 3:00pm	Dismissal: 3:00pm	Dismissal: 3:00pm
		AP Comp Sci, AP		
		Seminar 3pm		

Testing Protocols

- Students should arrive on time, no later than 8:15 am during EOC and ASVAB testing.
- AP testing students should arrive at the designated time listed on the calendar above.
- All students will have their temperatures scanned upon entering
- Uniforms are not mandatory; however, appropriate attire is. No revealing or inappropriate clothing.
- Masks must be worn at all times while in the building, except when eating or drinking.
- Testing rooms have been adjusted to ensure social distancing and small teacherstudent ratios.
- During EOC testing, students will be allowed to leave after testing. Students who remain will be included in the Bulldog matinees. We will have a movie projected in the auditorium, while students are seated socially distant, waiting for their ride.
- Lunch will be available each day of testing. As weather permits, students may enjoy lunch outside.







What if my student doesn't have a test on a specific day, what do they do?

- Non-tested subjects will have asynchronous assignments that extend throughout the work.
 - No late work, student must check their TEAMS daily, as they would in school.
- Tested subjects (EOC and AP)
 - Students will have a schedule, which we will communicate of LIVE sessions, look for calendar invites starting this week
 - During sessions, students will engage in review and prep for their tests. Attendance will be taken and assignments will be assessed.

• DE Courses

- Teachers of DE courses will meet with their classes in real-time.
- Attendance will be taken

• Additional Sessions - ACT Prep

 Specific juniors and sophomores will be pulled for LIVE ACT prep sessions. Families will be notified and students must attend, attendance will be taken.



Celebrating our Bulldogs...



Finishing on TOP!!!!

Tune in on Thursday, at 2:30 pm on FM 88.5 as we celebrate MCHS's
Valedictorian, Tiana Guinn, and our
Salutatorian, Maxximone McGlothian.
We are so proud of these young ladies!
We will be celebrating ALL of our seniors in the upcoming newsletters...stay



tuned.



Serving our community

Shout out to AaQila Abdul-Baaque for her continual community service! So many of our bulldogs are continuing to live our L.O.C.K.S. Pillars, even during this challenging time. Way to go AaQila!



Bulldogs on the Move...

Congrats to our TSA members!



MCHS is taking over TSA!!!! Not only did we have an amazing state tournament with several top finishers, MCHS juniors were also elected to two of the top spots. Congratulations to **Zoe Tripp**, TSA's State President, and **Julia Tripp**, TSA's State Secretary! Additional congratulations to these state finishers: **Ariel Thompson** - 1st place Promotional Design **Peyton Tripp** - 3rd place

Prepared Presentation

Blazing trails and leaving marks...

Congratulations to **E'Kiijah Turner** for her work with St. Jude. E'Kiijah has done such great work with them, she was offered a paid summer internship. During this time she will complete scientific research and have the opportunity to become published! Way to go!

St. Jude Children's Research Hospital

Bulldogs on the Move...

Three of our very own Bulldogs represented us extremely well at Dr. Ray's State of the District event. They performed interviews of guests and reported live from the event. Way to go **Cameron Kuykindall, Hailey Henderson, and Micah Bell**. You all are doing big things!



Sports are in full swing!!!

Baseball

- 4/26 MCHS vs MAHS @5pm -Tobey Field -Senior Night
- 4/27 MCHS vs Bolton @ 6pm Bolton High School

Softball

• 4/26 MCHS vs Douglas @ 5pm -MCHS

Soccer

- 4/26 MCHS vs East @5pm Fairgrounds
- 4/29 MCHS vs Craigmont @ 5pm- Location TBA

Tennis

• 4/26- MCHS vs Millington - Millington High School





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Are you involved??? We need you!



The PTSA is an imperative part of the MCHS experience. The more families are involved in sharing their thoughts, ideas, and resources, the more our students and school community are supported. In turn, the school thrives, our teachers thrive, and most importantly, our students thrive. As part of our MCHS compact, families commit to being involved in their student's academics, activities, and support structure. There is



now a way to join online. Click <u>**HERE**</u> to join! We need YOU!



JOIN OUR BOOSTER CLUB

Middle College Athletic Booster Club Sign Ups are here for the 2021-22 School Year. Come support our student athletes as they strive for excellence. You can put your talents to work, and together we can ensure that our students have the best athletic experience possible. Your required donation of \$25 is greatly appreciated for the operational fees of the club.

CLICK HERE to join "The Big Red Machine"



Thank you to those who attended the most recent town hall and data night. If you were unable, please use the link on the website to watch the recording.