

BULLDOG PRESS

The latest news and updates from Middle College High School @ CBU



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Time to buckle down

This press is loaded with information, updates, and announcements. Please take time to read through it and review it with your student. Overall, classes are going well with students and teachers navigating this virtual learning as best they can. As we approach the halfway point of quarter 1, it is a great time to review student performance. Teachers will begin pulling students, as needed, for interventions and tutoring. Please make sure your student attends. Additionally, grades are being loaded into Powerschool and it is a great practice for parents and students to review these regularly to stay on top of progress. Lastly, as we navigate this virtual world, please remind your student to stay engaged, dressed ready to learn, and participating the MCHS way. Let's make it a great week!



Athlete Support Meeting

We care about all of our students and we want families to know. **Tuesday, September 22, 2020 at 5pm**, the athletic department and administrative team will host a meeting for all of our student-athletes and their families.

Join us with this [LINK](#). We are Middle College!

Need Lunch?

Breakfast and lunch meals will be provided for all families this school year. Each distribution includes meals for five days. Our lunch distribution days are:

Thursday 9am - 6pm

Friday 9-12pm

Please click here to fill out your paperwork ahead of time. It is an extremely short form.



**Thursday, September 22
5:30 pm**

Click [HERE](#) to join our brief general introduction. Please use your student's device as we will navigate through their daily schedule using Microsoft TEAMS, to meet each teacher.

Schedule for the week of 9/21

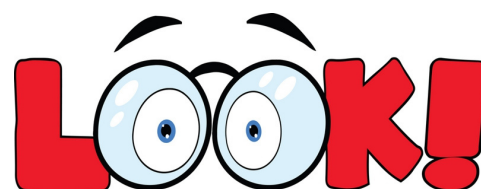
Monday 9/21 - Periods 1,3,5,7

Tuesday 9/22 - ACT testing for seniors/Practice ACT for 9th-11th

Wednesday 9/23 - Periods 1,3,5,7

Thursday 9/24 - Periods 2,4,6,8

Friday 9/25 - Periods 2,4,6,8 (to make up for the time missed for Tuesday testing)



ACT Testing Info/ 9th-11th practice test

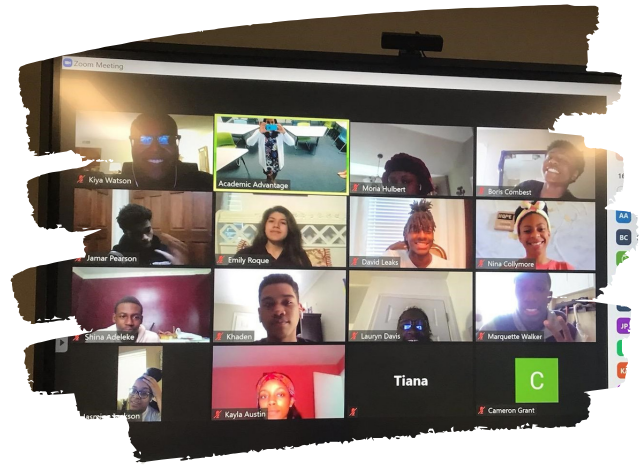
SENIOR ACT TESTING INFO

**TESTING DATE:
SEPTEMBER 22ND, 2020**

**REPORTING TIME:
ARRIVE BY 7:15 AM**

**APPROX. ENDING TIME:
12:30 PM**

**WHAT TO BRING:
WEAR A MASK
POSITIVITY, PURPOSE
PENCILS**



Shout out to some of our seniors who participated in an ACT boot camp this past Saturday to hone their skills for the ACT! Way to go the extra mile!

9th Grade Visits

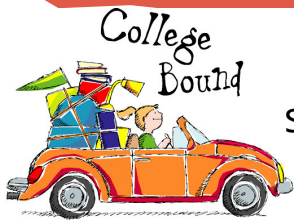
The administrative team surprised our newest Bulldogs to let them know we are proud of their work and they are official MCHS Bulldogs!

9TH - 11TH GRADE PRACTICE ACT

**STUDENTS WILL LOG ON TO
THEIR ACADEMIC ADVISING
CLASS ON TUESDAY,
SEPTEMBER 22ND AT
8:00AM. ATTENDANCE WILL
BE TAKEN AND
INSTRUCTIONS WILL BE
GIVEN FOR PRACTICE
TESTING.**



College Application Week



This week is college app week. Staff and students will be participating in fun activities, informational sessions and more to learn about college opportunities, while we encourage our seniors to begin the application process.



Additional College Information

SENIORS - FAFSA opens Oct. 1. We will have a FAFSA night presented by Felicia Orr, TRAC representative on September 29th, at 5:30pm via WebEx. Registration is required.

Students may access virtual college visits through Naviance. We encourage all seniors to sign up for as many as possible, even schools that are new to them. Students must sign up 3 days prior to the visit. Don't wait, it is never too early to explore your options.

UT Knoxville (Admissions)	Thursday, 9/24	12:35PM
Kettering University(Co-Op)	Tuesday, 9/29	12:35PM
University of Alabama	Thursday, 10/1	12:35PM
UT Martin	Friday, 10/2	12:35PM
University of Memphis	Tuesday, 10/6	12:35PM
UT Knoxville Engineering	Thursday, 10/8	12:00PM
Middle Tennessee State Univ.	Tuesday, 10/13	12:35PM



September 21, 4-6 PM,
Register to vote at the
SCS Board of Education.
Click [HERE](#) for info. Make
your vote count!

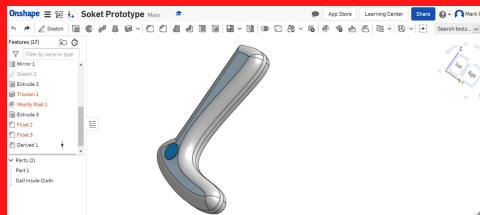
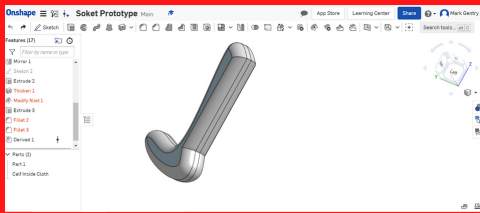


Shout Outs!!!!

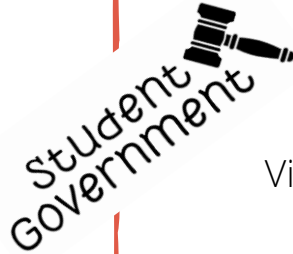
Student Shout out!!

One of our rockstar students has been amazing in STEM! .

Mark Gentry has completed one of his prototypes for the upcoming ORISE competition. He has really shown determination and leadership in the class. His sample work is below.



Congratulations to our Student Government Association for 2020-2021



President - Nina Collymore

Vice-President - Phillip McCrary

Treasurer - E'Kijah Turner

Corresponding Secretary - Tiana Guinn

Recording Secretary - Kenedi Garrett

Student Gov. Advisor - Destini Rainer

Student Gov. Advisor - America Ramirez

Student Gov. Advisor - Caleb Sturkey

Parliamentarian - Kishania Fentress

12th Grade Appointed Rep. - Maxximone McGlothian

11th Grade Appointed Rep. - Taylor Chamberlain

10th Grade Appointed Rep. - A'Maya Ramsey

9th Grade Appointed Rep. - London Stephens

Students applied, participated in virtual interviews, had teacher recommendations and were amazing!

We will have elections for additional class representatives soon.

Shout out to **Mr. Houston and his Academic Advising period**. Ms. Jones visited their class last week and many of them used their last year Kuder Career Assessment results to compare their current assessment results. In addition, they searched in occupational outlook to find the answer to other questions.

"Mr. Houston and his House did an outstanding job. They went above the call of duty to get a deep understanding!"

- Ms. Jones, Guidance Counselor



Academic
advising
ASK.LEARN.SUCCEED.

**BIG
SHOUT
OUT!!**



Shout Outs!!!!

Nina Collymore and Destini Rainer

participated as part of the National Voices of Youth PAL Community Town Hall Series! They did a fantastic job as part of the panel, asking difficult questions to our city leaders and officials.

THE NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF POLICE ATHLETIC/ACTIVITIES LEAGUES, INC.

Engaging Youth, Community, Elected Officials,
Law Enforcement Officers & Celebrities in Conversation

Topics will seek to include: Social Justice, Racism, Law Enforcement Relations, Equality, Community Reform & Much More.

Know before you go!

Please make sure your student is participating in class following the MCHS way. Infractions will be given and additional consequences will be assigned for students who are not following our code of conduct.

Specific focus areas of concern:

- 1.) Students should appear on camera ready to learn with their faces free from obstruction, including hoods from hoodies, bonnets, etc...
- 2.) Eating and drinking should take place during our 10 minute transitions and lunch time. We want these brand new devices to be free from debris or accidental spills.
- 3.) Students must be mindful of their comments online and in the comment bar. Offensive and vulgar language is not allowed, it is not the MCHS way.
- 4.) Students should log in to each class, every day, on time. We want to maximize the learning experience.



