

November 24th, 2020

From the Principal's Desk

We would like to thank all the parents who attended the Q&A session last Friday. Your feedback is very much appreciated as we continue to navigate the successes and challenges of Hybrid Learning together. Please note that we will have one more HS Q&A session before the end of the year which will be on December 11th at 9:30 a.m. We look forward to addressing your questions, concerns and compliments!

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This week's High School news

FIRST WEDNESDAY COLLEGE COUNSELING MEETINGS

Below is the schedule of topics of the First Wednesday College Counseling meetings. The meetings are at 8:00 a.m. and this will be [the zoom link](#) for those meetings. If you would like to see previous meetings, you can check them out at [this link](#).

Dec. 2	Summer Programs
Jan. 13	Understanding the PSAT results (10th and 11th)
Feb. 3	College Seminar for Juniors (Junior Parents)
Mar. 3	Applying to Universities in Europe and UK
Apr. 7	Ranking & GPAs: Basics Info
May 5	Transitioning into College (Senior Parents)

CUMULATIVE SEMESTER ASSESSMENTS

Please note that we are moving the last day of semester 1 to Friday, January 29th. This will allow us to hold cumulative semester assessments (semester exams) during the week of January 25th, which will be a Distance Learning Week. More information to come.

ZOOM Q&A SESSIONS

Please note that we are now moving to a monthly Q&A meeting with parents. The next meeting will take place on Friday December 11th at 9:30 a.m. During these sessions there will be a couple of anecdotes or explanations from the Principal, followed by a Question & Answer time. We are usually done in 30-45 minutes. You can join at the below link:

Friday December 11th, 9:30 a.m.

Join the Zoom meeting through [this link](#)

Reminders

*****NEW SCHEDULE*****

Below is the second version of the schedule for HS Hybrid Learning 1.0. We will be going over this with students in case something is not clear.

	Students on Campus	Students at Home
8:30-9:00	VIP every TUESDAY via Zoom	VIP every TUESDAY via Zoom
9:00-10:30	Independent Work Time Travel time	Independent Work Time
10:45-11:00	Campus Arrival- go to 1st period classroom when you arrive	
11:00-11:55	1st Period	1st Period (zoom)
12:00-1:00	2nd Period	2nd Period (zoom)
1:00-1:25	Lunch/Snack in 2nd Period	Lunch/Snack at home
1:30-2:25	3rd Period	3rd Period (zoom)
2:30-3:30	4th Period	4th Period (zoom)

TIME TO TAKE THIS YEAR'S ANDEAN PICTURE!

For the 2021 Andean yearbook, we are changing up our pictures to reflect our reality. As we all know, this year's circumstances are unlike anything we have lived before and as a school we must adapt to the changes. This is why, instead taking official pictures for the Andean at school as we usually would, we will be creating an Andean of SELFIES. Your child's VIP teacher will be going through this process with your child. Please be aware that they should be taking selfies soon!

CONNECTION ISSUES

Please note that if your teenager is having connectivity issues and cannot connect to any class we need for parents to send an email to hsattendance@cng.edu. The protocol is the same as if they were absent for an on-campus class.

COMMUNITY SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES

Every week students receive information on the different service options that they can sign up for in the HS Student News. We invite parents to ask their teenagers what plans they have to get involved this year and serve others. Maybe you can review the options together and consider what the best fit would be?

