"Being in the same room with people and creating something together is a good thing."

- Robin Williams -
Announcements:

Please complete attendance for ALL periods every day on SchoolMax.

Important Upcoming Dates:

Monday 12/12 - Wednesday 12/14: Q2 Progress Report Grading Window Opens. It closes on 12/14/2022 at 11:59 pm. [Click here to upload your PCx Reports.]

Tuesday 12/13: December MS Monthly SIT Meeting

Tuesday 12/13: HS SGA will hold its December General Assembly at 8:30 am.

Wednesday 12/14: 8:30 - 9:45 - Q1 HR Award Assembly (9th Grade)

Wednesday 12/14: Systematic Lockdown Drill @ 10 am

Wednesday 12/14: PGRASG meeting (SGA students leaving school at 9:30 am and returning at 1:00 pm)

Thursday 12/15: 8:30 - 9:45 - Q1 HR Award Assembly (10th Grade)

Friday 12/16: 8:30 - 9:45 - Q1 HR Award Assembly (11th Grade)

Monday 12/19: Q2 Progress Reports made available to students online via SchoolMax

Tuesday 12/20: December HS Monthly SIT Meeting

Tuesday 12/20: PTO Fundraiser at Franklins. [Click on the flier here for more information!]

Tuesday 12/20: 8th Grade Field Trip to the National Museum of African American History

Wednesday 12/21: PTO December Staff Appreciation Breakfast

Wednesday 12/21: Grade Level Meetings @ 3:15 pm

Friday 12/23 - Monday 12/2: Winter Break - Schools Closed

Monday 1/16: MLK Day - Schools Closed

Tuesday 1/17: End of Q2 and S1 Courses in Connexus

Wednesday 1/18: Start of Q3 and S2 Courses in Connexus

Monday 1/23 - Wednesday 1/25: Q2 Report Card Grading Window

Wednesday 1/25: Virtual Asynchronous Day

Shout Outs! Teamwork Makes the Dream Work!

Ms. Diamond, Ms. Mitchell, Ms. Battle, Ms. Irick, Ms. Worden, Mr. Kearney, Ms. Godwin for attending the Basketball Games to cheer on our students!

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Educational Article of the Week:

[Teaching Students to Manage Digital Assignments](#) - Edutopia
UMBC TESOL PROGRAMS

UMBC has multiple programs to help educators earn their ESOL endorsement. If you are interested in pursuing an ESOL endorsement through one of their pathways, click [this link](#).

Please note the ESOL office does not currently partner with UMBC for their TESOL cohorts and funding would not be provided through the ESOL office.

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| **MONDAY**<br>12/12/2022<br>A-Day | ● Agenda pages due with lesson plans for the week by 8:25 am  
● Q2 Progress Report Grading Window. It closes on 12/14/2022 at 11:59 pm. Click here to upload your PCx Reports. |
| **TUESDAY**<br>12/13/2022<br>B-Day | ● Q2 Progress Report Grading Window. It closes on 12/14/2022 at 11:59 pm. Click here to upload your PCx Reports.  
● HS SGA December General Assembly at 8:30 am. |
| **WEDNESDAY**<br>12/14/2022<br>A-Day | ● Q2 Progress Report Grading Window. It closes on 12/14/2022 at 11:59 pm. Click here to upload your PCx Reports.  
● 8:30 - 9:45 - Q1 HR Award Assembly (9th Grade)  
● Systematic Quarter 2 Lockdown Drill @ 10 am  
● PGRASG meeting 9:30 am - 1:00 pm  
● MCAP ELA10 Make-up in HS Conf Room 8:30-12noon |
| **THURSDAY**<br>12/15/2022<br>B-Day | ● 8:30 - 9:45 - Q1 HR Award Assembly (10th Grade)  
● Cluster 12 Principal Meeting - Libby/Baker |
| **FRIDAY**<br>12/16/2022<br>A-Day | ● 8:30 - 9:45 - Q1 HR Award Assembly (11th Grade)  
● HS PBIS Reward Activity @ 1:45 pm - 2:45 pm  
● Leadership Team Meeting @ 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm |

This Week from the Desk of:

Mr. Foreman<br>CPA Athletics  
[Phoenix Athletics Calendar](#)  
[AD Foreman - YouTube Channel](#)  
[22-23 High School basketball game schedule](#)
| **Mr. Irwin (Testing)**  
**CPA Test Calendar** | ● *Thank you for the warm welcome back!* |
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| **Dr. Moore**  
**(MS Counseling)** | ● Please remind students to complete the [Counseling Request Form](#) if they need to see me. This is located on the grade-level Connexus Counseling Landing Page.  
● No Lessons in November/December. Next Lessons will be on January 10, 11, 12 on Social/Emotional Learning.  
● Staff, please complete the [Winter Teacher Needs Assessment](#) before we leave for Winter Break.  
● Stay tuned for a Winter Treat next month from Dr. Moore on Thursday, December 22nd from 10am-1pm! |
| **Ms. Godwin**  
**(HS Counseling)** | * Please refer any students to SIT who you have used interventions and they are still struggling.  
* Remind students to stay focused and complete their assignments.  
* **Holiday Blues:** This time of year can be a struggle for many people. Keep in mind students may be more on edge than usual - please be kind and understanding.  
* Great article to help with students with seasonal blues: [Article](#) |
| **Mrs. Gray**  
**Math/Equity)** | Hope you had an Amazing Thanksgiving Break!!! |