

JANUARY 2023 SENIOR NEWSLETTER MISSION HILLS HIGH SCHOOL CLASS OF 2023



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WE BELIEVE IN YOU! WE ARE HERE FOR YOU!

MHHS COUNSELING



MARK YOUR CALENDAR!

- February 14- Deadline to make changes to your name on your diploma
- March 2- Financial Aid Application (FAFSA/CADAA) deadline
- May 1- Deadline for Statement of Intent to Register (SIR) for four-year colleges
- May 16- Request your final transcript on Parchment
- June 1 & 2- Senior Finals
- June 6- Senior Breakfast and Graduation Rehearsal
- June 7- Graduation!

FINAL TRANSCRIPT REQUESTS

Some organizations may require a final transcript from you, such as 4-year colleges. After May 16th, 2023, you can begin requesting final transcripts on Parchment that will be sent out in June, after you graduate.

1. Go to the MHHS Transcript Request page

- 2.Create a Parchment account with a personal email address, do NOT use your SMUSD email address.
- 3. Select "HOLD UNTIL FINAL GRADES"



DIPLOMA

Your diploma will have the same name listed exactly as it appears on your transcript. If any corrections to your name are needed, please contact MHHS Registrar, Mr. Wolcott, at <u>mark.wolcott@smusd.org</u> by February 14th, 2023.



Need more self-care resources? Scan me!



SELF-CARE FOR SENIORS

- 8-10 hours of quality sleep every night
- Eat well and hydrate
- Exercise
- Set goals and prioritize
- Ask for help and stay connected
- Be a good friend
- Teen Guide to Mental Health

STAY UPDATED!

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FUTURE CENTER



MARK YOUR CALENDAR!

- January 26- Black College Expo Field Trip
- January 27- Financial Aid Friday
- January 30- Scholarship of the Week
- February 6- Financial Aid Workshop
- February 17- <u>Afrikan Student Union High</u> <u>School Conference Field Trip</u>
- February 23- <u>Apprenticeship Expo @</u>
 Palomar College
- February 24- Palomar Application Deadline for Free College
- March 2- Financial Aid Application Due

THE PALOMAR PROMISE OFFERS FREE COLLEGE

Apply to Palomar College by FEBRUARY 24th in order to receive Palomar Promise funding!

In order to be eligible for the Palomar Promise you must...

- Activate your "MyPalomar" student portal
- Complete New Student Orientation
- Submit a Financial Aid Application

If you need assistance, please see Ms. Shania in the Future Center

FINANCIAL AID APPLICATION

Complete Financial Aid by **March 2nd** deadline! CADAA and FAFSA support available in the Future Center.

See Mrs. Sanchez for help filling out your financial aid or to complete your opt out form to **fulfill graduation requirements**.

FUTURE CENTER STAFF



Ms. Shania & Ms. Sanchez

MS. SHANIA



- College Applications
- Scholarships
 - Dual Enrollment and more!

MS. SANCHEZ



- Workforce readiness
- Financial Aid
 Application
- Promise 360
 Program and more!

Google Classroom: rbkfqic

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YOU'VE GOT THIS.



(AND WE'VE GOT YOUR BACK)

SENIOR YEAR CHECKLISTS

COMMUNITY COLLEGE OR TRADE SCHOOL

- Research
- Apply
- Activate Student Portal
- **Orientation/Registration**
- Submit Final Transcript and AP Scores







4 - YEAR COLLEGE

- \bigcirc Check emails/portals often
- Submit your Intent to register (by May 1)
- **O**rientation
- Submit Final Transcript and AP Scores

MILITARY

- Research military
- branches
- Meet with a Recruiter
-) Take the ASVAB
-) Enlist



WORKFORCE

- Create a Resume
- **Research Jobs**
- **Interview Prep**
- Apply!

Thinking about the military? Learn more!

Use Careers Edge to learn...

- Communication Skills
- Time Management
- Stress Management and more!

REGISTER FOR FREE!



NEED HELP? NO PROBLEM!

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SCHOLARSHIPS



Don't miss out on free money! Check out our Scholarship Board.

ADULTING TIPS

- Goal Setting