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May 21 - May 27, 2020

FROM THE OFFICE OF THE ADMINISTRATION:

FCBOE ACCOUNT INFORMATION FOR CLASS OF 2020: Please be aware that student Google accounts will be disabled on July 15, 2020 for graduating seniors. Please be sure to transfer your data or download any desired information to a home computer or personal device by July 15th or sooner. Click to see the resources from Google on [downloading to zip](#) or [transferring to a personal Gmail account](#).

PERSONAL EMAIL ADDRESS:

- Add your personal email address as the secondary address in Infinite Campus so that you can receive future communications regarding the live graduation and Senior Weekend activities planned for July 31st and August 1, 2020.
 - Log into Campus Student [[link](#)]
 - Go to Person Avatar > Settings > Contact Preferences [[video](#)]
 - Enter your personal email in the Secondary Email
 - Click Save , then click the Email tab to update messenger preference checkboxes
- If you used your school email with any external services such as college applications, [CollegeBoard.com](#), [GAfutures.org](#), etc., be sure to update your email address to a personal email with these sites.

Remember, you will no longer have access to your school Google account after July 15, 2020.

CONGRATULATIONS Class of 2020!

PARKING PERMIT RESERVATION INFORMATION: In light of recent events, we have created a new process for parking permits for the 2020-2021 school year. Please go to the MHS Parking Website in order to reserve a parking permit for the 2020-2021 school year (website link is below). It is important to read all information for permit reservations in order to avoid any issues that would invalidate your request.

Do NOT send money at this time. Payments will be made at Orientation or when school returns for the 2020-2021 school year.

The schedule for reservations is listed below. Failure to follow the schedule may result in your reservation being invalidated.

Additional permits, if available, will be sold shortly after the school year begins. Students will be notified by school announcement and through the Chiefs Connections.

May 18: Rising seniors and students enrolled in Dual Enrollment/COI for 2020-2021 may begin reserving a permit

June 1: Rising juniors may begin to reserve a permit

June 15: Rising sophomores may begin to reserve a golf cart permit

July 6: Rising freshmen may begin to reserve a golf cart permit

[MHS Parking Website](#)

CERTIFICATES OF ENROLLMENT/ADAP CERTIFICATES: Beginning May 26th, students who need a Certificate of Enrollment for DDS or an ADAP certificate can email Mrs. Graham at graham.gina@mail.fcboe.org. If a student did not take Health at McIntosh, our office will not be able to print a certificate. Ex. students who took Health at another school should contact that school. Students who took Health online should print the certificate themselves. It may take up to 2-3 business days to process these requests.

MATERIAL RETURN: Students and parents/guardians received an email with details on dropping off materials for the end of year. Below are links for the basic documents for review.

[Underclass Return](#) (MUST READ)

[Senior Return](#) (MUST READ)

SUMMER WORK: Students enrolled in an AP/Gifted course in which there is summer work may now find their assignment on the MHS website. Work is currently posted under the Student Resources tab>AP & Gifted Summer Work. You can also find summer work using the following link: [AP & Gifted Summer Work](#)

COVID-19 UPDATES: Please check the [LINK](#) for updates on our community's response to the COVID-19 spread.

FROM THE COUNSELING OFFICE:

COUNSELING UPDATES: Please use this [LINK](#) for information from our Counseling Department.

TRANSCRIPT REQUEST PROCEDURES:

SENDING AND ORDERING OFFICIAL FINAL TRANSCRIPTS: This year, the counselors will send the final official transcript to your future college/technical college using the Naviance website. In order for your counselor to send the transcript, you must complete the Senior survey in Naviance by May 15th. The information and directions for completing the survey was sent to your school email. If the transcript cannot be sent electronically through Naviance, then you will need to mail the official transcript (to be provided in your green senior folder) to your future college/technical college.

Your green senior folder will include 1 unofficial transcript and 1 official transcript free of charge. If you need to order and pay for additional official transcripts, complete the emailed google form titled "[Official Transcript Order Form](#)". Please fill out the form before the deadline of May 28th. When completing this form, you will have the opportunity to select a date/time to pick up the transcripts from McIntosh.

UNDERCLASSMEN SUMMER TRANSCRIPT ORDER FORM: If you need an **unofficial or official transcript**, please click [here](#) to complete the Summer Transcript Order Form.

SUMMER SCHOOL OPTIONS:

[Fayette County Virtual Summer School](#). Summer School will be held June 1- 26. This option is available to students who fail a course or receive a "Z" for a course. There is no charge to attend. All classes will be done online through Edgenuity. Students may take up to 3 classes. The courses (with the exception of Algebra I and Geometry) will take between 20-30 hours to complete. Students will only be able to earn a grade of 70. **Algebra I and Geometry students will have synchronous learning with a math teacher who will present daily lessons.** Please complete the summer school request [form](#).

The Campus. Summer School will be held June 8-26. The Campus office hours are Monday-Thursday from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. You will need to contact them at 770-632-1710 for the cost. Please complete the summer school request [form](#).

Georgia Virtual School. Summer School will be held June 1- July 10. Please register prior to June 5. Classes are held online and cost \$250 per .5 credit course. Please complete the summer school request [form](#).

APPLEROUTH SUMMER EVENTS: Applerouth Tutoring is offering online SAT/ACT mock tests and free family webinars throughout the summer. To view all upcoming events and to register, please visit applerouth.com/calendar

ACT 101: Everything You Need to Know About the ACT

May 26th, 8 p.m. EDT

Event code: M390749

An Applerouth expert will review test structure, content, and how to develop a focused test-prep plan.

College Essays that Will Get Your Child Noticed: How Parents Can Help Without Overstepping

August 18th, 7 p.m. EDT

Event code: M384075

The first college application deadline will be here before you know it; has your child started that college essay? Do you want to help but are afraid of overstepping? Kim Lifton, President of Wow Writing Workshop, will share her best tips and resources so you can help your child write meaningful essays without overstepping your role. Learn how your child can stand out inside the admissions office.

Summer mock tests: To view all dates, please visit applerouth.com/calendar. Mock tests are proctored online and offered almost every weekend.

GEORGIA STATE UNIVERSITY SUMMER 2020 LEADERSHIP ACADEMY: The Office of Undergraduate Admissions is excited to announce the [10th Annual Summer Leadership Academy](#) at Georgia State University. Summer Leadership Academy will be a three-day virtual leadership development program for outstanding high school students. This is a great opportunity to build upon your leadership skills and prepare you for leadership roles in high school, college and in your future career. This event will take place virtually: Monday, June 15th and last through Wednesday, June 17, 2020. Students must be high school juniors or seniors beginning in the Fall 2020 term and must have a minimum 3.0 weighted GPA.

VIRTUAL INTERNSHIP OPPORTUNITIES: [Leadership Initiatives](#), is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit dedicated to creating future leaders worldwide. Their goal is to find creative and innovative high school students who are motivated to address problems facing the world today. They are excited to announce our [Virtual Internships](#) for the summer of 2020. Nominated students will receive a \$1,000 scholarship to put towards our already reduced tuition for the program of their choice. Interested students should reach out to Lura Wilkes at wilkes.lura@mail.fcboe.org.

SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITIES: Scholarship opportunities are available, see [link](#) for complete list.

GEORGIA DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE DAVID SKINNER SCHOLARSHIP: The deadline to apply has been extended until July 6, 2020. This is only open to students who are going to pursue a degree in agriculture. Apply online at www.gdaonline.com under the "Scholarships" tab. (All questions must be answered and all forms/letters uploaded in one visit, as there's no way to save your work and return later.) Applications can also be printed and mailed.

GEORGIA MILITARY SCHOLARSHIPS: GMC has many scholarships available for incoming and current students. Please reach out to the Admissions Office for more information at 678-379-1381 (option 1).

FROM THE ENGLISH DEPARTMENT:

RETIREMENT PARADE: Join us in celebrating the retirement of Shery Kearney on May 22nd. Please see this [LINK](#) for information on how to participate!

FROM THE YEARBOOK STAFF:

- For the first time in MHS history, the 2019-2020 Legend Yearbook staff has been honored as a National Program of Excellence, and we are the only district school to win this honor. Congratulations to Editor-in-Chief Jaylen Smith, and Design Editors Rachel Edge and Natalie Spellman for leading the team of 26 staffers this year.
- Congratulations to Natalie Spellman, a yearbooks Design Editor, for making the National Scholastic Press Association's Honor Roll of Student Journalists. Only five Georgia schools made this list. Congratulations, Natalie!
- The 2019 Legend yearbook, "Stand Out," was honored out of thousands of yearbooks to appear in the Jostens Look Book, a collection of the best yearbooks published that year. Congratulations to senior Annisten Leone for being the designer of that award-winning page!

YEARBOOK & WAITLIST: Please use the following link in order to check if you have a yearbook: [Yearbook List](#). Students who would like to be on the waitlist for purchasing a yearbook should use the following link: [Yearbook Waitlist](#). Pickup information for yearbooks sold via wait-list will be emailed to students. Students picking up yearbooks will **HAVE TO** show some form of identification. Student ID, driver's permit or driver's license are acceptable forms. **We will not give out books to students with no ID.**

SENIOR SLIDESHOW: The yearbook staff takes more than 20,000 images throughout the year, and they can't all make it in the book. We've taken the leftover images of seniors and fashioned a "senior slideshow." Like a picture you see and want a copy? Email woolf.shanon@mail.fcboe.org

Here is the URL: <https://spark.adobe.com/video/zaatU9pk3EjXo>

FROM THE MEDIA CENTER:

VIRTUAL MEDIA CENTER LINK: This is a link to the MHS Virtual Media Center. You may find this information in Blackboard and it will be in our new LMS Schoology next year.

https://docs.google.com/presentation/d/1I7jNFf73dB_e0wtJCeNNLbjrVXumtaPb1UZ6dbFzo_Q/edit?usp=sharing

UPDATES: Check out our new [Virtual Media Center](#) and send any feedback you have to Mrs. Hodge (hodge.emily@mail.fcboe.org). She would love your suggestions for additions, corrections, etc.

Mrs. Hodge would also like your feedback on ebooks - are you satisfied with your access to ebooks and audiobooks via the media center provided resources or other means that you have? Please let Mrs. Hodge know so she can plan accordingly.

Finally, the media center now has an Instagram account ([mcintoshmediacenter](#)). Please follow us as a way to say connected during this time.