

FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL AUGUST 17, 2021

LATE ARRIVAL FOR ALL INCOMING

10TH, 11TH, 12TH GRADERS

Sophomores, Juniors, and Seniors will need to report to campus by 11:50 am. The bell will ring at 12:00 noon for all students to report to homeroom to pick up their schedules. If you ride the bus, a special bus schedule will begin starting at 10:45 am. If you have any questions, please call FISD transportation at 281-996-2500.

9th-12th GRADE RETURNING STUDENT REGISTRATION PROCEDURES (Includes incoming 9th graders from FJH)

Registration:

August 3 - Course verification available in Skyward Portfolio August 6 - Skyward online registration/verification process opens August 10 - last day to request schedule changes/level changes August 16 - Official schedules available in Skyward after 5:00pm

**Skyward online verification process must be completed BEFORE the first day of school.

WELCOME BACK!

Chromebook pick-up/Lifetouch pictures (9th-11th grade)/Balfour (11th -12th grade)/miscellaneous programs & organizations in the FHS cafeteria as follows:

August 10 - Seniors 9:00am-noon; 1:00-4:00pm (no Lifetouch)

August 11 - Juniors 9:00am-noon; 1:00-4:00pm

August 12 - Sophomore 9:00am-noon (no Balfour)

August 12 - Freshman 1:00-5:30pm; Mandatory parent meeting – Auditorium 6:00pm

 $August\ 13^{th}-Link\ Crew\ Fish\ Camp\ for\ incoming\ 9^{th}\ graders;\ Boy\ Gym\ 9:30am-11:00am$

Freshman/New-To-District Students – These students and parents will attend a mandatory meeting on August 13th. New students must have first registered in the Counseling Center.



May 2021

Dear Parents:

Students in MAP and Advanced Placement English classes are expected to read the assigned text(s) for their levels. They will be tested on the summer reading titles when we return to school and will be expected to connect summer reading with other works read during the year. Students are encouraged to annotate their copies to help them find significant passages. Students do not need to seek tutorial help from organizations or groups not connected with FHS.

If you feel you are having difficulty with the material, please contact your individual teacher or me. E-mail addresses of specific teachers are available on the FHS website; mine is available below.

MAP English I:

- The Strange Case of Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde --Robert Louis Stevenson (Buying an anthology is fine, but students need only read the ONE story.)
- Mythology: Timeless Tales of Gods and Heroes --Edith Hamilton (Part One)

MAP English II:

- Anthem --Ayn Rand
- A <u>novel</u> of your choice (No Harry Potter, Twilight, Hunger Games, or Divergent series)
 - --Novel must be high school reading level and a minimum of 150 pages. --Be prepared to "sell" your book during the first weeks of school.
 - --You may NOT choose *Fahrenheit 451* or any other required summer reading titles listed in this letter.
- *Mythology: Timeless Tales of Gods and Heroes* (Studied during the school year.)

AP English III:

- Fiction: *The Great Gatsby* --F. Scott Fitzgerald
- Rhetoric and the American Dream: Voices of Radical Change: Greatest Speeches of Political and Social Transformation
- Mythology: Timeless Tales of Gods and Heroes
 ("Adonis"; "The Golden Fleece"; "Hercules"; "Midas")

AP English IV:

Wuthering Heights --Emily Bronte
Mythology: Timeless Tales of Gods and Heroes
 ("The Earliest Heroes"; "Perseus"; Chapter 18)

Reading is the key to critical reasoning and expression. Thank you for encouraging your students to read! We hope you all have a safe and enjoyable summer. ©

Sincerely,

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