



Parent Newsletter

May 7-11

School News:

Freshman Seminar Presentation: May 14-18.

Semester Exams: May 24-25, 29

No School May 28th

Last day of school May 30th

Project Graduation will be selling Freshman Formal tickets in the courtyard before school from April 30th-May 11th. Tickets are \$15 each. Any questions about the formal should be directed to Project Graduation.

Only VBSD students may attend the Freshman Formal.

Freshman Formal

May 12, 2018

From 7 – 10 p.m.

Van Buren High School Commons

Information from the Counseling Office:

- We had TREMENDOUS attendance during our ACT Aspire testing! Way to go Parents! We had an average of 99% of our students attend! Our students appeared to work hard as well--so proud of them! Test results should be in over the summer. Check with the VBHS Counselors when school begins next year for your score reports!!
- Here's a link to resources from ACT, Inc., including the booklet *Keep Your Eyes on The Prize: How to Prepare for the Future During Your Sophomore Year*. Great information for students and parents!

http://pages.act.org/sophomore-eBook.html?cid=email:welcme:08222017:cm1704_content_marketing_-_students:ebook_sophomore&mkt_tok=eyJpIjoiWkRZNFpqRTFZak0xTW1VNSIsInQiOiJHa0JyT2pHbENxTIUxN2lhSSStFVXVwN0CtsT1p2eThwUjVqR1VhWUw0bkhDV2ludHdKM1NiWDBUWGJDbHZHc0JCb2ZFaVdsTm50RXFCcndHWIZCZXoyTUUFHU3JjWFEhGODVsUE1cL25KSicyVE1aRWIiWNGxVM3h2dFZKT3l2SVwyZDIKIIn0%3D

Reminder: Immunization requirements:

16 year olds or students turning 16 on or before September 1, 2018 must receive a Meningococcal vaccine as soon as possible after turning 16. Please turn in up to date record to Freshman Academy if this is done before May 30, 2018. If after this date please take up to date record to the Van Buren High School. Thank you for your help in this matter.

Also for the parents with any type of immunization exemptions for their students, the Arkansas Department of Health has their site for applications up and running at this time. Please get these done and bring in the exemption papers as soon as possible before the 2018 - 2019 school year begins.










Thank you,

Jane Watkins, R.N.
School Nurse

Lesson Plans:

| Core Classes | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday |
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| English | Reading Inventory, <i>Odyssey</i> project guidelines | <i>The Odyssey</i> projects | <i>The Odyssey</i> projects | <i>The Odyssey</i> projects | <i>The Odyssey</i> projects |
| Science | Balancing Chemical Equations Reg. - Finish #1 Pre-AP - #2 | Balancing Chemical Equations Reg. - #2 Pre-AP - #3 | Balancing Chemical Equations Reg. - Finish #2 Pre-AP - #4 | Balancing Chemical Equations Reg. - #3 Finishing Chemical Equations #1 Pre-AP | Balancing Chemical Equations Reg. - #4 Finishing Chemical Equations #2 Pre-AP |
| Economics | Auto Liability Limits Videos 2.2,2.3 | Health Plan Overview | Which Insurance Policies are Needed? Video 2.4 | The Will Videos 3.1, 4.1 | Understanding Renters Insurance |
| Algebra | CSI Project | CSI Project | CSI Project | CSI Project | CSI Project |

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| Geometry | CSI Project | CSI Project | CSI Project | CSI Project | CSI Project |
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| Encore Classes | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday |
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| Keystone | Finish visual a/o typing speech. Everything is due today. Portfolio, Visual, Speech | Freshman Seminar Logistics | Practice Seminar Speech with visual | Practice Seminar Speech with visual | Practice Seminar Speech with visual |
| Ceramics  | -Continue Design projects | -Continue Design projects | -FINISH Design projects -Answer reflection questions | -Drawing with Pattern | -Choosing a Pattern -Demo on carving techniques |
| Journalism  | <u>Classified Ads:</u> The Perfect Newscaster | Observation Assignment | <u>Working for Broadcast:</u> the elements | <u>Broadcast Journalism:</u> group planning & script | <u>Broadcast Journalism:</u> complete scripts, begin to practice |
| Art I  | Continue Watercolor Paintings | Continue Watercolor Paintings | Continue Watercolor Paintings | Continue Watercolor Paintings | Paintings are DUE at the end of class! |
| Drawing/ Painting I | -Complete surreal drawings | <u>Artist work:</u> Tom Yendell | Colored Pencil techniques  | Colored Pencil techniques | <u>Community:</u> Crawford County drawings |
| Art History | Romanesque & Gothic architecture  | The Renaissance  | The Renaissance  | The Renaissance  | The Renaissance  |
| Spanish | Review Time | Review Time | Review Time | Review Weather | Review Weather |

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| Spanish for Heritage Speakers | Vida y Muerte Ch. 8 and 9 | Vida y Muerte Ch. 10 | Mother's Day | Mother's Day | Vida y Muerte Ch. 11 |
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