

MARYGROVE RETURNS TO IN-PERSON

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MESSAGE FROM PRINCIPAL WHITE



This year marks our return to in-person learning after 15 months of virtual learning. Everyone is excited to be reunited and to reconnect with the style of teaching and learning that has proven to be most effective for students. Our return will christen the newly renovated 2nd and 3rd floor wings of the Liberal Arts building where we are located. Students will get to learn in brand new classrooms and labs outfitted with new furniture and fixtures.

When all the renovations are completed, TSM will be the truly beautiful learning that our young people and community deserves.

As you read through this newsletter, please note our strong commitment to COVID protocols that will protect our community from outbreaks. The universal mask mandate is in effect, as are temperature screenings, social distancing, regular cleaning of high-touch surfaces, disinfecting of materials and weekly testing of all staff. All students are strongly encouraged and asked to participate in weekly COVID testing (saliva test) to prevent possible outbreaks in our community. Our goal is Marygrove – 100, COVID – 0.

Dear Marygrove Community,

Welcome to the 2021-2022 school year at The School at Marygrove! We are embarking upon the third year of our history-making vision and school design.

COVID PROTOCOL

We will abide by all Government and DPSCD protocol in our reopening. Students will wear masks and follow guidance delivered at Orientation on where they are permitted to be, when, hallway routes and room capacities.

Social distancing will be followed in order to limit contact between students and staff.

Please share with [Dean Watts](#) any special considerations we as a staff should consider with regard to your student's health and accessibility.

I look forward to seeing the smiling faces of our students on Tuesday, September 7th and to working with each of our parents/guardians over the course of this year. Let's get it started!

With Huskies pride,
Principal White

STUDENT RECORDS

Please make sure our main office has your contact information!

- 2 adult phone numbers (2 emergency contacts)
- 2 adult email addresses
- student home address
- student cell phone number (optional)

Please reach out to Mrs. Tipton, melissa.tipton@detroitk12.org, for the status of your student's file to ensure we have the correct contact information. If anything changes throughout the year, please inform us in order to continue receiving our weekly school notifications. Thank you!



School Mascot & Font as designed by Lauryn & Lia Benning, Class of 2024



"Parent Pack" Group



School Page



Supplies

FOR PARENTS & STUDENTS



Class of 2025 students will receive a special gift from the [Jordan Morgan Foundation:](#)

1 bag, 1 mask, 2 notebooks, 2 folders, 2 black pens, 2 blue pens, 4 pencils

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A '21-22 planner

ELA - pens, notebook

Math - 3 ring binder (1-1.5"), dividers, graph paper only, folder, pencil or erasable pens

Science - single subject notebook (composition or spiral), pencils, highlighters, a folder

US History & Geography - notebook, pens, pencils, colored pencils, glue, tape measure

Engineering - a folder and pencils

Spanish - 3 ring binder (2"), 5 dividers, wide ruled paper, pens, pencils, color pencils, glue sticks

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Bag, 3" binder with divider for each subject, notebook (Social Studies), composition notebook (ELA), loose leaf paper, pencils, highlighters, colored pens, graph paper, a '21-22 planner

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Bag, fully charged laptop, if possible, highlighters pens (blue, black and red), pencils, 2 composition books, 3 spiral notebooks, 1 flash drive, 5 folders, loose leaf paper, earbuds, scientific/graphing calculator, if possible, a '21-22 planner

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Dress Code

FOR PARENTS & STUDENTS

- uniform colors for tops are **NAVY**, **GOLD**, **WHITE** and **GREY**
- uniform color for bottoms are **KHAKI** and **NAVY**
 - pants, skirts, shorts
- students can wear hats or head wraps for cultural and religious purposes only
 - headbands are okay
- closed toe and heel shoes only
 - no sandals or heels
 - crocs are okay



Technology & Communication

All Marygrove students will be provided a working laptop and charger for the school-year. All technology will loaned to students during the school day. Students will be expected to bring paperwork home to be signed and returned.

*By Friday, September 10, all students and parents are asked to [complete this survey](#) to help our staff communicate effectively with you this year.

Bell Schedule

Early Arrival/Breakfast: 8:15am
 School Start: 9:00am
 School End: 4:00pm
 Afterschool Programs: 4:10–5:30pm
 (starting October 2021)



** Students are expected to immediately leave the campus at dismissal unless they are attending an afterschool program. **If a late pickup is necessary**, please contact Dean Watts at donald.watts@detroitk12.org or Mr. Yancey at antonio.yancey@detroitk12.org.*

Daily Class Schedule

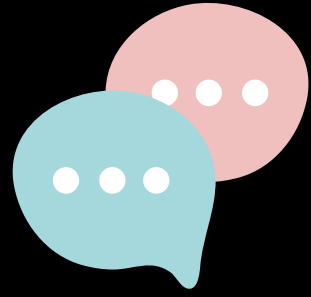
- TSM operates on a **Block schedule**.
- Students will attend four 85-minute classes on **Mondays & Thursdays** (Cycle B days) and four 85-minute classes on Tuesdays & Fridays (Cycle C days).
 - On **Wednesdays** (Cycle A day), they will attend all eight (8) classes (40-minutes ea.).
 - There will be a 45-minute lunch period every day, Monday-Friday.
 - Passing time between classes is 5 minutes.
 - Student will not have lockers in semester 1.

Transportation

Students who are not dropped off to school by car can come to school by foot, bike or city bus. Free DDOT bus passes will be in the main office.

Pick-up/drop-off and parking information can be found across the next several pages.

Accessibility concerns should be addressed with [Dean Watts](#).



Wellness

Marygrove Huskies can reach out to Marygrove's school-based therapist, Ms. Aniqua Bailey, and Ms. Cherice Redwine, Marygrove's guidance counselor. Ms. Redwine and Ms. Bailey are in the building, every day.

Cherice Redwine, Guidance Counselor
cherice.redwine-fergerson@detroitk12.org
 Aniqua Bailey, School-based Therapist
abailey@develctrs.org

Pick up / Drop off

FOR PARENTS & STUDENTS

1. Enter The School at Marygrove Campus through the entrance on 6 Mile/McNichols Rd
2. Proceed to the security booth to have their parking pass verified (this will not happen the 1st day)
3. Drivers will then make a right turn and proceed to the end of the circle driveway and as far towards the 6 Mile/McNichols RD exit as possible
4. Drivers will not stop to pick up or drop off students in the two lanes in front of the building if there is space available further down
5. Drivers will park and along the edge of the driveway while their student exits the vehicle during drop off or while waiting for the student to walk to the vehicle for pick up
6. Drivers will then proceed towards the 6 Mile/McNichols RD exit and wait for the mechanical arm to rise
7. Drivers must exit one at a time to avoid damage to the mechanical arm or their vehicle
8. Drivers shall not attempt to make a left hand turn while exiting the campus. This will cause severe traffic backups due to the new traffic pattern and construction traffic

Parking

FOR PARENTS & STUDENTS

Please [complete this form](#) by 09:00 AM on Tuesday, September 7th in order to have your parking pass issued at the end of the first day of school. Families who complete the form after the deadline will have their parking passes issued throughout the week. Huskies, please read and observe the parking, pick up, and drop off procedures detailed below.

Each family will only be issued 2 parking passes for the school year.

Student Parking

- Students will park in the lot near the exit gate at 6 Mile/McNichols RD and walk to the Liberal Arts Building
- There are no exceptions to this policy
- Under no circumstances are students to park in any of the lots or spaces adjacent to or near the liberal arts building
- Under no circumstances are students to park in the lots reserved for ECE staff, families, or visitors
- Under no circumstances are students to park in the reserved visitor spots in front of the security booth
- Students must have a DPSCD parking permit from The Marygrove Conservancy in order to park their vehicle on campus
- Students are not allowed to leave campus for lunch or any other reason outside of dismissal or to attend dual enrollment classes
- Students will get 2 warnings for parking and driving violations before their driving/parking permission are suspended or revoked permanently
- Students will not play excessively loud and explicit music while driving on campus
- Student vehicles on campus are subject to ticketing and towing for not following signs posted around campus
- Students will not play excessively loud and explicit music while driving on campus

FAQ

Questions from the 9-11 Grade-level Huddles

1. Once an asymptomatic student has tested positive for COVID-19, what is the protocol for other students?
Principal White or the DPSCD will handle the communications in such an event.
2. If a student tests positive for COVID-19, can they move to virtual school? There is a process for students being moved to virtual. If a student tests positive test for COVID-19, they will not be moved to virtual.
3. Will students be expected to work from home if they are sick with COVID-19, even if they asymptomatic?
There is not an expectation for students to work from home if they were sick. We are not in a place to judge student's symptoms.
4. Can students wear hoodies from last year? Do the hoodies need the TSM logo? Hoodies are out of dress code district wide and at The School at Marygrove. Hoodies or other apparel that is out of dress code that has our school logo still cannot be work to school.
5. Can students wear solid colored flannel shirts? Students can wear any material top if it is solid navy, grey, white, or gold. Patterns (i.e., a checkered flannel) and other designs are not allowed.
6. Do our uniform shirts need to have the TSM logo? No, we do not expect or require students to wear polos with the school logo; they can wear plain polos, or polos with small emblems.
7. Can we wear a gold TSM collared shirt? Yes.
8. Can students bring snacks since lunch is later in the day?
9. Students can bring their own breakfast, lunch, and snacks. Generally, students are not permitted to eat in classrooms or during lessons.
10. We are a peanut-free school. Please do not send your students with anything that has peanuts.
11. Will students be allowed to eat lunch outdoors? No. Students have two designated dining areas. The 3rd floor common area and the Alumni Hall in the Madame Cadillac Building.
12. What is the Hatteras contact information? At this time the Hatteras store link has not been established by the vendor. We are in constant communication with the supplier and the link will be sent out via email and robocall once available.
13. Will we have a dance, a junior prom, and other events? School-wide events will be dependent on the COVID-19 pandemic. With current social distancing and occupancy limits, a school-wide event is not possible.
14. Can tutoring happen during lunch? Students are allowed to make arrangements with teachers, however teachers are not required to tutor during lunch, before or after school.
15. What time must students be out of the building? Students must exit the building when they are dismissed at 4:00pm. Hallways will be cleared at 4:15pm.
16. Will students be asked to leave the building if I cannot get to the school at dismissal? Please communicate with the office if emergencies arise. No student will be left unattended on campus. We will work together to make sure this does not become a pattern.
17. Will we have a chance to meet the underclassmen? Yes.
18. Do we have to show proof of religious or cultural reason to wear a head covering? Who approves head coverings? Please contact Dean Watts (donald.watts@detroitk12.org) with questions about specific head coverings. The DPSCD code of conduct is the policy that dictate what headwear is and is not allowed in schools.

FAQ

Questions from the 9-11 Grade-level Huddles

19. Should students back their school laptop on the first day of school (Tues, Sep. 7)? Students will not need laptops the first week of school. Technology (Teams, PowerSchool, laptops, etc.) will be discussed during the first week of school.

20. What do I need to know about student parking?

a. Students need to check in with Dean Watts regarding parking and permits. We are asking for students not to drive the first weeks of school due to spacing and logistics.

b. Students will be required to submit a parking pass application to the Marygrove Conservancy.

i. Students will receive the parking pass form via email

c. Students will park in the lot near the exit gate and walk to the Liberal Arts Building

i. Under no circumstances are students to park in any of the lots or spaces adjacent to or near the liberal arts building

ii. Under no circumstances are students to park in the lots reserved for ECE staff, families, or visitors

iii. Under no circumstances are students to park in the reserved visitor spots in front of the guard shack

d. Parking is first come first serve for students in the lot near the exit

i. Construction will still be ongoing I believe so students will have limited parking options

ii. Campus events will still be occurring year round

e. Students must have a DPSCD parking permit from The Marygrove Conservancy in order to park their vehicle on campus

i. Students will complete the same parking pass form as staff

ii. Front office staff to create spreadsheet that contains all student license plate numbers

f. Students are not allowed to leave campus for lunch or any other reason outside of dismissal

g. Students will get 2 warnings for violations before their driving/parking permission are suspended or revoked permanently

h. Student vehicles on campus are subject to ticketing and towing for not following posted signs on campus

21. If another student travels with me on the day I have dual enrollment, will they be allowed to leave to campus me?

a. Only students actively enrolled in dual enrollment classes will be released from campus. Students who may have carpoled will have to make separate travel arrangements for dismissal

22. If students are arriving at 8:15am or shortly after, are they encouraged to eat breakfast?

a. Students will be encouraged to eat breakfast but are not required to.

23. My student has an IEP (or 504 Plan). How do I start the process of making sure they receive accommodations? Ms. S. Williams will reach out to all families with students of an IEP, Ms. Adams will reach out to all families with 504's. This will happen after the first couple of weeks of school starting. **9**

PowerSchool

FOR PARENTS

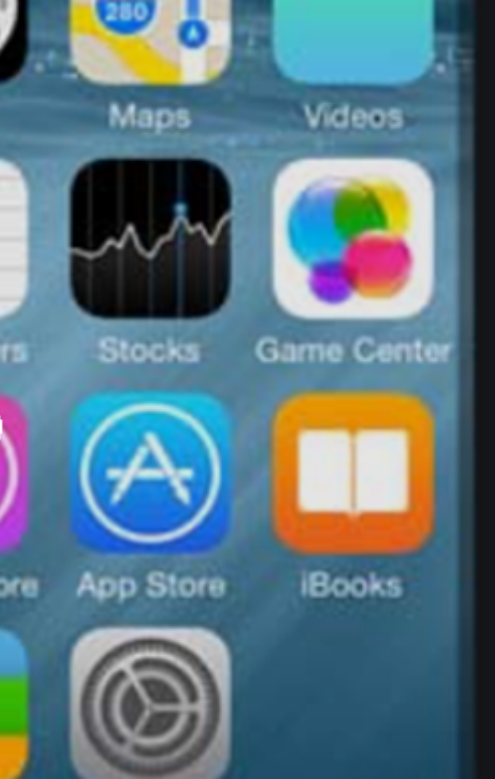
Our expectation is that each parent can access PowerSchool. [Linked here is a video tutorial](#) of downloading PowerSchool to a computer or phone.

Students will be sent home with your log-in information, along with information detailing how to use the program.

Contact Mr. Maiseloff for help in checking your student's attendance and progress on assignments 2-5 time a week.

stephen.maiseloff@detroitk12.org

stephen.maiseloff on Teams



Excuse My Student

FOR PARENTS

When your student will be missing a class, a full day, or more, please [complete this form](#).

Add the form to your home screen for safe keeping!

Step 1: Open the Excuse My Student link on your Phone's web browser (i.e. Safari)

Step 2: At bottom of screen, click the upward "share" button

Step 3: Scroll down (below "Copy") and click "Add to Home Screen"

Step 4: Click "Add" (upper right corner)

Step 5: Look for the icon in your phone and test it out

#thePack

#rise #resist#act3

2021-2022

**OPEN
HOUSE**



**Mangrove
Huskies**

**SATURDAY,
SEPTEMBER 25
10 AM - 3:00
PM**

in person

M Volleyball

Lady Mustangs 2021 Schedule

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|---|--|---|---|--|--|
| Sept 7  Cody Comets | Sept 13  Osborn Knights | Sept 15  SE Jungaleers | Sept 17  Pershing Doughboys | Sept 20  DCP NW - Colts | Sept 23  Denby Tars |
| Sept 27  Pershing Doughboys | Oct 4  SE Jungaleers | Oct 7  Osborn Knights | Oct 11  Denby Tars | Oct 14  Cody Comets | Oct 18  DCP NW - Colts |

HOME AWAY

All games begin at 4:00 PM

Come support the 9

Huskies playing

Volleyball for Mumford!



INSPIRE AND PREPARE STUDENTS FROM UNDERREPRESENTED COMMUNITIES TO SUCCESSFULLY PURSUE CAREERS IN MEDICINE

9TH GRADE PROGRAM



This program involves monthly visits to the University of Michigan for hands-on experiences, including healthcare panels, surgical skills sessions, and clinical shadowing.

Students are paired with first year medical students for a year-long mentorship experience.

Students complete a health-related social issues capstone project in partnership with a community organization.

RISING PROGRAM



Our second branch is for 10th-12th grade students as a continuation of our longitudinal mentorship program.

In this program students focus on professional development and college readiness.

Medical student lead students through several sessions, including personal statement workshops, financial aid talks, college application support, and community service events.

SUCCEED PROGRAM



Our third branch is for DoT alumnae who have matriculated to the University of Michigan.

This curriculum involves weekly study tables, game nights, graduate school panels, clinical skills workshops, and various scholarship opportunities.

Detroit Horse Power

Detroit Horse Power is an organization that teaches urban youth to ride and care for horses as a way to develop critical skills that will set them up for future success.

Detroit Horse Power is recruiting students for their after-school program. Programming starts October 11. Spaces are limited and filled on a first-come, first-served basis.

- Program is free of charge
- Every Thursday 5pm-7pm at the Marygrove Campus, beginning Oct 11
- Program is open to rising 6th - 10th grade students who are Detroit residents
- Students will ride horses on weekend field trips outside of the city once a month (transportation provided)



Interested in joining?

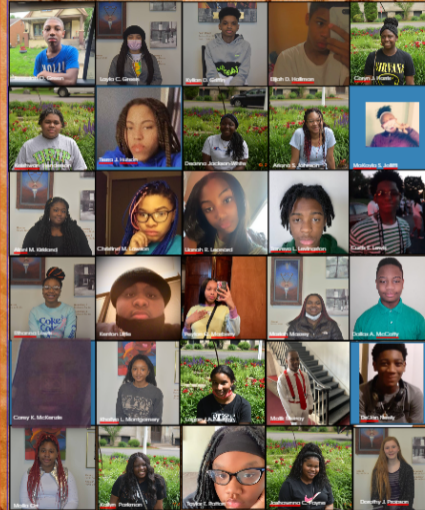
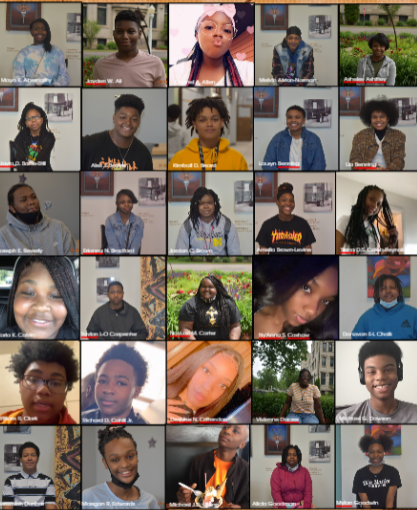
Complete this [survey!](#)

For more information, contact Andrea Daldin (adaldin@detroithorsepower.org).

9th Grade



9th Grade

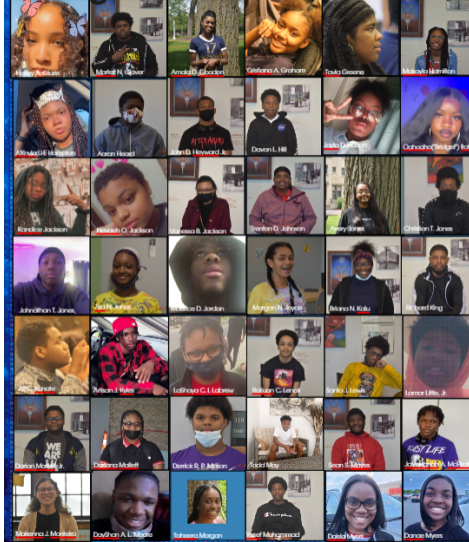


'20-21
YEARBOOKS
WILL ARRIVE
IN 3 WEEKS!

PURCHASE
A COPY

\$15 CASH IN
MAIN OFFICE

10th grade



Detroit Public Schools Community District | 2021-2022 ACADEMIC CALENDAR



KEY

- TW Teacher Workday
- PDz Partnership Schools - Professional Development Day
- PD All Schools - Professional Development Day
- FE Final Examinations
- CD Membership Count Days
- TD High School Testing Days
- PTC-ER Parent/Teacher Conferences Early Release Day
- PTC-h Parent/Teacher Conferences - High School
- RC Report Card Day
- S/Q Semester/Quarter Boundary
- Schools Closed-No Students
- H District Recognized Holiday

PARENT-TEACHER CONFERENCES

K-8th Grade:
October 20 and March 23

9th-12th Grade:
October 13 and March 16

- **August 30** is the reporting day for teachers
- **September 7** is the reporting day for students
- **June 27** last day for students
- **June 28** last day for teachers

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FIRST SEMESTER

MON TUE WED THU FRI

AUGUST 2021

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| 23 | PDz | PDz | PDz | 27 | STUDENTS PRESENT | STAFF PRESENT |
| PD | PD | | | | | |

SEPTEMBER 2021

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| 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | | |
| 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 | | |
| 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 | | | |

OCTOBER 2021

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| 11 | 12 | PTC-h | 14 | 15 | | |
| 18 | 19 | PTC-ER | 21 | 22 | | |
| 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 | | |

NOVEMBER 2021

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| 1 | PD | 3 | 4 | 5 | STUDENTS PRESENT | STAFF PRESENT |
| S/Q1 | S/Q2 | 10 | 11 | 12 | | |
| RC | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | | |
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DECEMBER 2021

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| 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | | |
| 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 | | |
| 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 | 31 | | |

EL-MS students present on 181 days
 HS students present on 181 days
 Staff present for 186 days
THIS SCHOOL YEAR HAS 181 DAYS

SECOND SEMESTER

MON TUE WED THU FRI

JANUARY 2022

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| 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 | S/Q2 | | |
| S/Q3 | | | | | | |

FEBRUARY 2022

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MARCH 2022

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| 14 | 15 | PTC-h | 17 | 18 | | |
| 21 | 22 | PTC-ER | 24 | 25 | | |
| 28 | 29 | 30 | 31 | | | |

APRIL 2022

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| 11 | TD | TD | S/Q3 | H | | |
| 18 | 19 | 20 | 21 | RC | | |
| 25 | 26 | RC | 28 | 29 | | |

MAY 2022

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JUNE 2022

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| 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | | |
| 20 | FE | FE | FE | 24 | | |
| S/Q4 | RC | 29 | 30 | | | |

Happy Birthday

September 6

A'meris Johnson-Riley '25

September 18

Ahmari O'neal '25

September 7

Mark Smith, Jr. '25

September 19

Ariana Johnson '24

September 8

Artisan Kyles '23

September 20

DeJanae Washington '24

September 10

Briana Kalu '23

Ameen Yinusa '23

Ms. Rathi

September 22

Yusef Muhammad '23

September 11

Jaylen White '24

Mr. Yancey

September 25

Jayden Ali '24

Ian Sullivan '24

Elizabeth Sonaike '25

September 12

Ian Norman Jr. '25

September 26

Deanna Jackson-White '24

September 13

Jazzlyn Beard '23

September 27

Ca'Mya Riley '24

September 17

Alyssa Knowles-Rodriguez '24

September 28

Alaya Smith '25