

Phoenix Notes

Renaissance High School

December Edition

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Upcoming Events

Yearbook Pictures 12.1 & 12.2

Q1 Honors Celebration 12.2

Title 1 Parent Workshop 12.4

Band Concert 12.7

Q1 Academic At Risk Conference
12.9

Orchestra Concert 12.9

Choir Concert 12.15

Dance Concert 12.16

Ugly Christmas Sweater 12.16

Winter Break 12.20 - 1.3



Principal Stroughter's Corner

I hope that everyone had a great Thanksgiving break and are ready to get through these next fifteen days before the winter break. We will continue to work hard in the classroom so that we can play hard during our time off. Stay focused.

Please take note of the upcoming events for the month. Winter sports will be in full swing, the Performing Arts Department will share in the holiday spirit with their winter concerts, and we will end the 2021 year with our Infamous Ugly Sweater Day and the singing of Donny Hathaway's This Christmas with the social studies department on the third floor. This month is sure to be fun for us all!

I realize that things are real when it comes to this pandemic. The numbers in the state are climbing, we recently had a bit of a surge in our building and we are coming off a break where many people have gathered. Know that these are all concerns of mine too. It is important that we continue to practice safety precautions and be vigilant. In person school will continue. We will do our best to keep everyone safe. Weekly testing is important, and vaccination is a viable option worthy of consideration.

Please ensure that your student comes to school on time every day in dress code with a mask, ready to learn. We appreciate your support!

Virtual Fridays

Superintendent Dr. Vitti has designated all Fridays in December as virtual school days. All students will stay home and log on to Teams to join their classes. We will have a regular bell schedule with hours 1 – 7. Please ensure your student is logged into first hour by 8am.

Connected Future devices were passed out before our last shut down, however if your student needs a device to participate in virtual Friday school, we will have devices available on Tuesday, November 30th and Wednesday, December 1st from 8am – 4pm. Parents must be present to sign off on devices.

Remember on December 3, 10 & 17, all students will work from home virtually.



After School Tutoring

- Monday – Thursday, 3:30pm – 5:30pm
- Teachers available for ELA, Math, Science, Social Studies
- Students on academic probation & those with attendance make up time must report.
- Students reporting to tutoring must be in the room and out of the hallway by 3:30pm.

COVID 19 Precautions

As we continue to navigate through this 21-month pandemic, it is imperative that we are steadfast in our duty to stay safe.

In addition to wearing a mask, trying to maintain social distance, washing and/or sanitizing hands, all students can test once per week on Monday or Wednesday. Students should sit in the same seat in each class every day. Students should sit with the same people in their assigned pod during lunch and do their best to sit with the same people at the same table. Students should only take their masks off at lunch while eating or drinking.

While in hallways, students should not walk and eat or drink. Food consumption should only take place in the Phoenix Café.

Please continue to talk to students about safety and precautions as we move through these trying times.