

**Home of the
Mighty Phoenix**



RHS ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF

- **Mrs. Stroughter – Principal – 12th grade**
- **Mr. Grady – Vice Principal – 10th grade**
- **Mrs. Powell – Vice Principal – 9th grade**
- **Ms. Sims – Vice Principal – 11th grade**
- **Mr. White – Dean of Culture**

RHS COUNSELING STAFF

- **Mrs. Jones: A – G**
- **Ms. West: H – O**
- **Ms. Nichols: P – Z**
- **Ms. Jones: College Transition Advisor**

RHS SUPPORT STAFF

Attendance Agent:

Mr. Lawal

Academic Interventionist:

Ms. Woods, Mr. Webb, Ms. Carter

RHS CLERICAL STAFF

Ms. Mitchell – Main Office

Ms. Clark – Main Office

Ms. Anderson – Counseling Office

Ms. Collins – Records Office

School Culture and Climate

The Renaissance Culture and Climate for success:

- Safety
- High Expectations
 - Leadership
 - Focus
- Determination

7 Pillars of a Phoenix

- Renewed
 - Ready
- Receptive
- Respectful
 - Resilient
- Relentless
- Responsible

Character and Attendance

Students are expected to be in school and in class on time every day.

Regular/consistent school attendance helps develop responsibility and self discipline.

Character and Attendance

- **A = Unexcused Absence** – Student did not attend class and parent did not call in the absence or send a note with the student upon their return or a combination of both.
- **EA = Excused Absence** – Parent called in the absence and followed up with a note to teachers.
- **T= Tardy** – Student arrives more than 1 minute late to class without a note from a parent or a pass from a staff member.
- **SA = School Activity** – Student was approved to participate in a schoolwide activity and a permission slip was signed prior to the absence.

Excused Absences

- Illness with medical documentation
- Recovery from accident with medical documentation
- Required court attendance with court notice
- Death in the family
- Observation or celebration of a religious holiday
- Religious instruction according to M.C.L.A. 380.1561(3d)(3e)

If a student is absent for a condition related to an illness/medical condition for which documentation has already been submitted, the parent should reference the documentation when calling in the absence (i.e. migraines, IBS, severe asthma, follow up medical appointments, etc.).

Attendance Documentation

- Documentation must be submitted as soon as possible, but **no later than 3 days following your return.**
- You must provide medical documentation if your absence is recurring, and you are under a doctor's care.
- Parent may email all teachers and attendance agent OR bring signed note from parent, show to all teachers, drop off in Counseling Office

Safety and Threats of Harm

The safety of everyone in the building is a top priority at Renaissance High School

- You will practice several types of drills with faculty and staff. Please treat them seriously.
- If you become aware of any threat to an individual or the student body, please let a teacher, counselor, or administrator know immediately.
- If you are concerned about a friend's well being, please let a teacher, counselor or administrator know immediately.

Safety and Threats of Harm

The safety and security of our community is our number one goal. With that there are several things that we do to ensure the building is always safe. Here are a few things students and parents can do to assist.

- Wear Renaissance Dress Code daily.
 - Burgundy or Khaki bottoms (skirts and shorts must be 2 inches above the knee)
 - Burgundy or White collared shirt, burgundy or white Renaissance shirt, burgundy or white sweater, sweatshirt, outer layer
 - FRIDAY ONLY- Spirit Day: BLUE jeans and a Renaissance shirt or burgundy or white shirt
 - STUDENT IDs MUST BE WORN
- Food cannot be delivered to the school using Door Dash, Uber Eats, etc.
- Students and parents should only enter and exit through door number 1 (main door). All other doors should not be touched or propped open.
- See something, say something.
- Have a pass while in the hallway outside of hall passing time.
- Pay attention to the adult and take all drills seriously. We will practice drills at least 10 times throughout the year.

Lockers

Help Us Help You!

- Do not leave valuables in your locker.
- Be mindful of your items and where you leave them.
- Do not share a locker.
- Make sure you keep your things locked up at all times.
- Only sports teams “in season” may use the locker room lockers.
- If you are having a problem with your locker, please see Vice Principal Grady during your lunch period.

Student ID

- Must be worn at all times.
- May be taken during lunch in the media center.
- Lost, misplaced or damaged IDs cost \$5 to replace.

Lunch Schedule – Mon, Tues, Fri

Monday, Tuesday, Friday – 4th hour

A Lunch: 10:51am

Class Starts: 11:26am

B Lunch: 11:26am

Class Starts: 10:56am & 11:02pm

C Lunch: 11:56am

Class Starts: 10:56am

A Lunch: Science, Social Studies

B Lunch: World Language, Business, FPA, Electives

C Lunch: ELA, Math, PE/ROTC

Lunch Schedule – Wed & Thurs

Wednesday – 5th hour

Thursday – 4th hour

A Lunch: 11:30am

Class Starts: 12:05pm

B Lunch: 12:20pm

Class Starts: 11:30am & 12:55pm

C Lunch: 1:10pm

Class Starts: 11:30am

A Lunch: Science, Social Studies

B Lunch: World Language, Business, FPA, Electives

C Lunch: ELA, Math, PE/ROTC

Lunchroom Etiquette

All students receive free lunch

- Put backpacks on the utility stand while going through the lunch line.
- Give everyone enough room at the table.
- The lunchroom and yard are the **ONLY** places where students can eat their lunch.
- Only seniors are allowed to eat lunch outside.
- **Clean up after yourself.**

All trash must go in the trash cans!

Lunch Privileges

You may do the following during lunch:

- See your counselor
- Be responsible with your time

You may NOT:

- Roam aimlessly around the halls
- Order outside food
- Consume food in any area other than the Phoenix Café
- Leave the school campus

Cell Phone Use

Cell Phones can only be used under teacher direction.



Pay attention to your teacher regarding cell phone use in the classroom.

Behavior at School Activities

Please note that the Student Code of Conduct is enforced at all student activities.

- Good sportsmanship during all athletic events (respect for officials and respect for the opponent) is expected at all times.
- You must have your student ID with you at all school events.
- Any student found in violation of the school code will be disciplined according to the code of conduct.
- When you're in Renaissance gear you represent Renaissance HS!
- Be respectful on and off school grounds.
- After school activities begin at 3:30pm. Students must be in their designated area with their sponsor at all times. Pick up by 5:30pm.

After School Programs

Please note that the Student Code of Conduct is enforced at all student activities.

- All after school activities require a staff sponsor to be approved as a school club.
- After school activities begin at 3:30pm. Students must be in their designated area with their sponsor at all times. Pick up by 5:30pm. (Some athletic programs meet after 5:30pm, please ensure the pickup time is adhered to based on the schedule).
- Once you leave the building, you cannot return.

Support Services

RHS Student Support Resources

“I am my Phoenix Keeper”

- **Counseling**- Daily 8:00 AM- 3:30 PM
- **Development Center** – Daily 8:00 AM – 3:30PM
- **Project Healthy Community**- Tues & Thurs 6:00 PM
Contact: Mrs. Jones – melissa.jones@detroitk12.org
- **Pretty Brown Girl** – Females Only
Contact: Ms. Nichols – wendy.nichols@detroitk12.org
- **BluCar**(Mentoring)- Males Only
Contact: Mr. Payne – jpaynehistory@gmail.com
- **S.A.L.T Christian Group**- Every Tuesday 3:30 PM (room 310)
Contact: Dr. Bridges- cynthia.bridges@detroitk12.org
- **Women of Tomorrow**- Females Only
Contact: Mrs. Jones - melissa.jones@detroitk12.org

Seminar Class

- Used as a time to reorganize, study, make up work or relax.
- All students must be in a classroom or program.
- Be responsible and use your time wisely.
- Complete weekly goal sheets to turn into your seminar teacher.
- Print and get your passport signed a day in advance.
- Traveling begins 30 minutes after Seminar starts. Students may travel one time and be in place by 10:20am.
- Teachers reserve the right to refuse a student entry into their Seminar class without a signature.
- Class is graded as a Pass/Fail.

Homecoming Week

September 19 - 23, 2022

A Good Time requires Good Behavior

- Participation in Spirit Week is not required but recommended.
- Students not participating in Spirit attire must wear uniform
- Students must attend all classes every day
- Be respectful to the opposing team and game officials

Homecoming Dance

Homecoming Dance – Friday, September 23, 2022

- Guest forms are required for ALL outsiders to attend.
- All outside guests must have photo ID to enter the dance NO EXCEPTIONS!
- Proper attire is required (no jeans, no gym shoes)
- The doors to enter the dance will lock after 9 PM
- Absolutely no refunds

Class of 24 Hoco Theme

Friends

**JOIN C/O
2024
GROUPME!**



Class of 2024

Class Sponsors: Ms. Davis & Ms. Kimble



Class of 25 Hoco Theme

Stranger Things

Class of 2025

Text @23h6d2 to 81010

Class Sponsors: Ms. Woods & Ms. Phillips

<https://tinyurl.com/rhs23seniorinfo>

– class of –
2023

Over 130 students have
completed already! You don't
have to do it again.



Diploma Names for C/O '23

Provide the spelling of your name for your diploma. Include all suffixes.
(Include middle name ONLY if you want it on your diploma)

Class of 23 Hoco Theme

Rick & Morty

Class of 2023

Class Sponsors: Ms. Hoyle & Ms. Vos

Attention Class
of 2023!

SCAN THE QR
CODE TO JOIN
THE CLASS
GROUP CHAT!



A judgment-free place
where you can vent, ask
questions, receive
important information,
and more.

Class of 2026

26, in the mix !



← **HOMECOMING CLASS T-SHIRT**
HOMECOMING BANNER THEME



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