

Hackensack High School

Class of 2020 Midyear Update

February 6, 2020

Dear Parents/Guardians,

Below, please find midyear updated information and reminders for your child, including prom and senior dues. If you have any questions, feel free to contact me at your convenience.

Guidance:

Please have your son/daughter update their school counselor on their acceptance to colleges and universities. Also, please provide your child's school counselor with an envelope addressed to your final choice school so that final transcript is sent.

Attendance:

Be mindful of your son/daughter's attendance. Students will not get credit for any course in which they miss 16 or more days. In Physical Education, students will not get credit for any course in which they miss 12 or more days. In Health, students will not get credit for any course in which they miss 4 or more days. If students reach these absence totals in courses required for graduation, then they will not be permitted to graduate and senior privileges will be revoked.

Credit Recovery

If your child is completing credit recovery courses on Educere or Gradpoint, the deadline to participate in the graduation ceremony is on **June 1** and to participate in prom is **May 1**

Parking

Parking is limited and ONLY seniors with a parking pass may park in the parking lot. If you do not have a pass, you may NOT park in the parking lot.

Senior Dues:

The cost of dues are \$165. Please note, there are a number of students who owe fines as a result of lost or damaged textbooks, calculators, or even sports uniforms. We are unable to accept senior dues until these fines are paid. Students who do not pay senior dues will not receive their yearbook, cap or gown and will not be permitted to participate in the graduation ceremony in June. Dues will not be accepted while class is in session. We will also have collection dates in room 212-A on Friday, February 7 and Thursday, April 2 at 2:30pm.

Senior Prom:

The senior prom is scheduled for Thursday, May 21, 2020 at Westmount Country Club in Woodland Park (West Paterson). The charge is \$105 per person, and can only be paid ***after*** senior dues have been paid in full. Students and parents must sign a contract that is due at the time bids are paid. All guests will need to be approved by Mrs. Lozano and/or Mr. Montesano and no one over the age of 20 will be permitted to attend. Copies of this contract will be available beginning on March 11. More details regarding prom bids, contract and procedures will be sent out in March. Permission to attend the Prom is at the discretion of the Senior Assistant Principal. Senior Prom Collection will be held on April 15 and 16, 2020.

Parent Teacher Student Association (PTSA):

The PTSA Senior Fashion Show is on March 31, 2020. Ticket information has been sent out via e-mail and you may contact Sandy Harrington for more information: sharrington@hackensackschools.org. If your child is participating in the show, please have them check their e-mail on a regular basis.

Thank you!

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