

Tiger News

THS – A Tradition of Excellence

October 26th – October 30th

Important Message for Parents about RYCOR

If you have not yet registered for a Rycor online account for your Tabb High student, please do so as soon as possible. A Rycor account is important because it is how you and your student sign mandatory school forms and submit payments for school fees when necessary. Please register and sign the forms as soon as possible by going to the following link:

<https://www.studentquickpay.com/yorkcountyschools>

If you plan to visit Tabb High School for our “Day of Remembrance” Monday, October 26th you must sign up. Please use the following link to reserve your spot!

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/805044AAEA82BA64-adayof>

Monday: October 26th – A Day

Tuesday: October 27th – B Day

Wednesday: October 28th Support Day (9:15 log in to 2AB for attendance)

Thursday: October 29th – A Day

Friday: October 30th – B Day

Schedule for Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday

TIME	CLASS
7:30am - 7:45am	Staff Office Hours
7:45am - 9:00am	1A or 1B
9:00am - 9:15am	Transition
9:15am - 10:00am	2AB
10:00am - 10:15am	Transition
10:15am - 10:45am	Optional Academic Flex for 1A or 1B
10:45am - 12:00pm	3A or 3B
12:00pm - 12:30pm	Lunch/Transition
12:30pm - 1:45pm	4A or 4B
1:45pm - 2:15pm	Optional Academic Flex for 3A or 3B
2:15pm - 2:45pm	Optional Academic Flex for 4A or 4B
2:45pm - 3:15pm	Staff Office Hours

Schedule for Wednesdays

Schedule	Student Support Subject Area
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7:45am – 8:30am	PE/Drivers Ed/Health
8:30am – 9:15am	Fine Arts/CTE
9:15am – 9:45am	2AB Block or 1st Block (YRA) *required attendance
9:45am – 10:45am	Math
10:45am – 11:45am	English
11:45am – 12:45pm	Science
12:45pm – 1:45pm	World Languages
1:45pm – 2:45pm	History

Student Information & Health Forms

Do not forget that you need to turn in your student information & health forms to the school. There is a red crate out in front of the main entrance you are welcome to put your paperwork in and the staff will collect it. If you wish to drop it off in the school office, please call ahead at 867-7400.

YSCD Devices for THS

Students from THS who have still not picked up their devices are able to do so through the main office. Pick up will be available from 8:00am until 2:00pm. If you have any questions please contact Ms. Hill at jhill@ycsd.york.va.us or call 757-867-7400.

Senior Recognition Ads For Sale

Attention senior parents/guardians! It is that time of year already: time to think about purchasing a **senior recognition ad** for your senior in the 2021 Bengal Yearbook. After all their hard work this year already with online learning, all of your seniors deserve to be recognized. Baby pictures are highly encouraged! The process could not be simpler. You have the option to handle the purchase and creation of your ad online or through the mail. Please [see this flyer for details](#). **Early bird pricing is in effect for all orders sent or post-marked by November 12.** While you're at it, you should also go ahead and [pre-order your senior's yearbook TODAY](#). Any questions about purchasing a senior ad should be directed to The Senior Ad Company by calling 757 774 7129 or [visiting their website](#). If you have any additional yearbook-related questions, please feel free to contact Ms. Leighton Scott via email: lscott@ycsd.york.va.us.

AP Exam Registration Commitment Form Due November 6th

- Students enrolled in AP classes need to decide and commit to whether or not they plan to take the AP exam by November 6, 2020.
- Registration will be completed through Rycor, the division's online form and payment management system. Registration is now available and must be completed by Friday, November 6, 2020.
- You can access your Rycor account here: <https://studentquickpay.com/yorkcountyschools>. If you do not already have a Rycor account, please take a moment to set one up at https://yorkcountyschools.org/parents/onlinePayments/docs/Rycor_ParentAccountCreation.pdf
- You must complete this online decision/commitment form in order to take the AP exam. If this form is not completed by Nov. 6th, no AP exam will be ordered for your student.
- The cost of each AP exam is \$95.00, and final payments are due January 31, 2021. Credit card payments, which include a service fee, are made through Rycor. If you prefer to write a check, make it payable to Tabb High School and mail it to Tabb High School, Attention: Jane Johnson, 4431 Big Bethel Road, Yorktown, VA 23693 with your child's name and AP Exam written in the memo. Cash payments are no longer accepted.
- Please reach out to Ms. Young if you have any questions at syoung2@ycsd.york.va.us

THS Athletics- Out of Season "Team" Conditioning

Individual conditioning has now ended and "Team Conditioning" is about to begin. There will be no conditioning the week of October 26. During this week, there will be online registration for the "Team Conditioning" which

will start the week of November 2. To register go to the Athletic page on the THS Website beginning 10/26, find your team and sign up. The days and times will be listed. You only have to sign up once. You must have turned in your registration packet with the required 4 forms to be able to participate. All forms should be in by Friday at 3pm so that I can pass the names on to the coaches. You can only sign up with 1 sport and no changes will be made. Please contact Coach Ward at jward2@ycsd.york.va.us or (757) 867-5306 with any questions.

Tech Support

If you find you are having problems logging onto Canvas or need additional tech support YCSD has created an IT Help Desk that will be available Monday thru Friday 7:00 am to 7:00 pm. They can be contacted by phone at 757-527-4819 or email ycsdITsupport@ycsd.york.va.us. You may also follow them on Twitter at YCSD_ITSupport. Included below is a link to the YCSD Remote Learning Support page for families:

Remote Learning Family Support

THS Freshmen – T-Shirt Design

Starting next week, October 12 and going until October 30th you will have the opportunity to enter a T-Shirt Design Contest for Freshmen. All designs must include 2024, Tabb High School/THS and an image relating to Tabb. This is your chance to be creative and have fun and show your school spirit. The winner will receive a free t-shirt. If you need more information you can contact Ms. Hughes at thughes@ycsd.york.va.us

JWU – Beyond Culinary:

Johnson & Wales has over 30 Majors outside of their esteemed Culinary Arts Program. Did you know that students can apply for Early Action Admission at Johnson & Wales? To take advantage of this FREE *non-binding* application program by the November 1st deadline. If accepted, students will receive a decision letter and scholarship notifications (if applicable) by mid-November. The process couldn't be easier and there's still no fee for applying to JWU! Visit <https://www.jwu.edu/viewbook/undergraduate-viewbook.html> for Undergraduate Degree Info.

Start the application process here: <https://apply.jwu.edu/>

Create your future in business, marketing, culinary, sports & entertainment, travel & tourism, STEM/STEAM, social media, politics, health & wellness, law, engineering, finance, communications, hospitality, education, art and beyond at JWU.

2021 Summer Governor's School Application Deadlines for Visual/Performing Arts, the World Language Academies, and Academic-Mentorship Programs

Summer Residential Governor's School is an opportunity for current high ability sophomores and juniors to spend a month on a college campus focused on academics, Visual & Performing Arts or World Languages (French, Spanish, German, Japanese, and Latin). Email Mr. Williams at bwilliams@ycsd.york.va.us for any additional information.

Deadlines for Visual and Performing Arts Academy

- Interested students must **email** Mr. Williams (bwilliams@ycsd.york.va.us) no later than **Thursday, November 12, 2020**, in order to receive Part I of the application.
- Page 1 of the application (**Due date:** Friday, November 13, 2020 by 2:30 PM)
- Completed application to include teacher recommendations (**Due date:** Wednesday, December 16, 2020 by 2:30 PM)
- **All pages of the application, including teacher recommendations, must be FULLY TYPED. Completed applications need to be emailed to Mr. Williams at bwilliams@ycsd.york.va.us or dropped off in the School Counseling office at THS by the due dates listed above.**

Deadlines for World Language Academy

- Interested students must **email** Mr. Williams (bwilliams@ycsd.york.va.us) no later than **Thursday, November 12, 2020**, in order to receive Part I of the application.
- Part 1 of the application (**Due date**: Friday, November 13, 2020 by 2:30 PM)
- Completed application to include teacher recommendations (**Due date**: Wednesday, December 16, 2020 by 2:30 PM)
- **All pages of the application, including teacher recommendations, must be FULLY TYPED. Completed applications need to be emailed to Mr. Williams at bwilliams@ycsd.york.va.us or dropped off in the School Counseling office at THS by the due dates listed above.**

Deadlines for Academic-Mentorship Programs

- Interested students must **email** Mr. Williams (bwilliams@ycsd.york.va.us) no later than **Thursday, November 12, 2020**, in order to receive Part I of the application.
- Part I of the application (**Due date**: Friday, November 13, 2020 by 2:30 PM)
- Application with essay (**FULLY TYPED**) (**Due date**: Monday, November 23, 2020 by 2:30 PM)
- Completed application to include teacher recommendations (selected students only) (**Due date**: Wednesday, December 16, 2020 by 2:30 PM)
- **All pages of the application, including teacher recommendations, must be FULLY TYPED. Completed applications need to be emailed to Mr. Williams at bwilliams@ycsd.york.va.us or dropped off in the School Counseling office at THS by the due dates listed above.**

THS Career Connections

Career Cluster of the MONTH

TABB HS Career Clusters of the Month for October are **STEM** along with **TRANSPORTATION, DISTRIBUTION & LOGISTICS**.

STEM Fun Facts:

1. STEM workers enjoy a pay advantage compared to non-STEM workers with similar levels of education.
2. While STEM workers tend to be highly educated roughly, a third have Not completed a bachelor's or higher-level degree.
3. Mechanical Engineering is the most popular major/career choice for STEM-interested students.
4. In five years, California, Texas, New York, Florida and Illinois will provide the most STEM jobs.

TRANSPORTATION, DISTRIBUTION & LOGISTICS Fun Facts:

1. The logistics is actually made up of six different sectors: road, transportation, rail, aviation, maritime moves approximately 70% of all freight transported, warehousing and storage.
2. There are 3,980,817 miles of roads in the United States, 2,605,331 paved and 1,275,486 unpaved.
3. There are nearly 3.5 million moving freight across the U.S., which means that 1 of every 15 people working in the U.S. is employed by the trucking industry.

Any questions on Career Exploration including Work Based Learning experience throughout your High School years please contact me at

Mcox@ycsd.york.va.us

Mari Cox

TABB High Career Coach

TABB HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETIC BOOSTER CLUB

Thank you Tabb for supporting the Athletic Booster Club with your online and in person orders. We had so much fun seeing everyone last night during our outdoor spirit wear sale!

Follow us on social media for up to date announcements!

- **Facebook:** Tabb High School Athletic Booster Club
- **Twitter:** @TabbBoosterClub
- **Instagram:** @TabbBoosterClub

Email us with any questions!

- Email: Tabbboosters@yahoo.com

THS PTSA News

Reflections Deadline Extended to Oct. 26 - The Reflections deadline has been extended to Monday, Oct. 26. The annual Reflections program invites students to create theme-based artwork in dance choreography, film production, literature, musical composition, photography, and/or visual arts. The theme for the 2020-2021 school year is "I Matter Because..." Please download your entry form from vapta.org. Once completed, please scan or take a photo of your entry form and email it as a separate attachment with your entry to zamiskaf15@gmail.com. Digital entries can be in the form of Word documents, photos, videos, recordings, etc. Any 3D projects will need photos taken and submitted from at least 3 different angles.

Class of 2021 Garden Flags - If you ordered a senior garden flag, orders will be available for pick up on Wednesday, Oct. 28, from 5-6:30 p.m. at the far end of the THS parking lot by the bandstand. Still need to order? Flag sales will open again on Nov. 1. Please watch for more information or contact thsafterprom4431@gmail.com if you have any questions.

Join the PTSA: Prizes for Signing Up & Donating! - Join the PTSA for 2020-2021 at <https://tabbhighptsa.new.memberhub.store>. To pay by cash or check, please print the membership form under files on our Facebook page. Each membership is just \$8 for the current school year. Parents, teachers, staff and students are all encouraged to join! All students who join by Nov. 5 will be entered to win one of five \$10 Amazon gift cards. All teachers and staff who join by Dec. 1 will receive a Papa John's coupon card valued at approx. \$45. In addition, anyone who makes a donation of \$25 or more to the PTSA (under "Open Donation" in our online store) will be entered to win a \$25 gift card!

Help Provide a Fun, Safe Event for Our Seniors - The THS PTSA After Prom Committee is in need of volunteers! This is not just an opportunity for senior parents but for all parents and community members interested in providing a safe, fun, memorable, and alcohol- and drug-free event for our seniors. Please contact thsafterprom4431@gmail.com to find out how you can help.

Hospitality Chair Needed! - The THS PTSA is currently in need of a chairperson(s) for our hospitality committee. Key responsibilities include planning and facilitating events for our THS staff and the school. You will have the full support of our board members and volunteers, but we need someone to take the lead in this important area. Two people are welcome to take on the job together as co-chairs. If you are looking for a great way to learn more about THS and contribute to our school, please consider joining our team as our hospitality chair or in another capacity! Email ptsa.tabbhigh@gmail.com for more information.

Fundraisers: THS Lanyards & Wreaths - The PTSA is selling orange and black Tabb lanyards for just \$5 each. They feature a breakaway clasp and a detachable end that can be used as a keychain. We also have a limited number of custom orange and black Tabb wreaths available. To see photos of lanyards and wreaths and to order, please visit <https://tabbhighptsa.new.memberhub.store>. A pickup time will be scheduled later or you can email ptsa.tabbhigh@gmail.com.

Clothing to Cash Donation Bin - Bring your unwanted clothing, footwear, textiles, and accessories in a tied plastic bag and look for our large white Clothing to Cash recycling bin at the far edge of the THS parking lot. Our bin is being emptied at least once a week. Please do not leave any donations outside the bin, as Clothing

to Cash will throw them away. All donations will be reworn, repurposed, or recycled and the PTSA is reimbursed for every pound we collect, with all proceeds going to 2021 After Prom. Thank you for your continued contributions!

Link Your Kroger Plus Card to Tabb High School PTSA - Help the PTSA and THS every time you shop at Kroger! Just visit www.kroger.com/i/community/community-rewards then click "Link Your Shopper's Card." Sign in to your existing Kroger account or create a new account. Search for Tabb High School PTSA (organization number XD309) and enroll. Once you link your Kroger Plus Card to the Tabb High School PTSA, the PTSA will earn a rebate every time you shop and scan your card or enter your registered phone number.

Shop Amazon & Support the Tabb High PTSA - Don't forget to link your Amazon account to Tabb High PTSA at smile.amazon.com. Once you've linked your account, simply visit smile.amazon.com each time you want to shop Amazon, then log in and shop as usual. AmazonSmile is the same Amazon products, same prices and same service, but Amazon will donate 0.5% of the price of your eligible AmazonSmile purchases to the Tabb High PTSA!

Follow THS PTSA On Social Media - Parents, teachers, and students--we encourage you to connect with your THS PTSA via social media

Facebook: Tabb High School PTSA

Instagram: @tabbptsa2021

Twitter: @TabbPtsa