

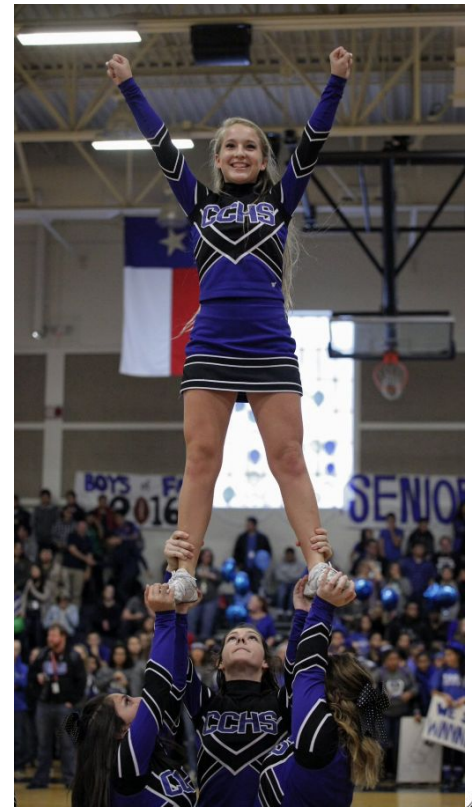


CEDAR CREEK
HIGH SCHOOL

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Academic Distinction Campus

Welcome Class of 2019!

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AGENDA

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Cohort Meeting Expectations

All **cell phones AND headphones** must be put away in backpack, purse, bag, pocket.

Listen with respect.

- All eyes on speaker
- No talking while speaker is talking





Senior Class Officers

President - Maddy Terrazas

Vice-President - Tori Bliedtreu

Secretary - Priscila Martinez

Treasurer - Janeth Gonzalez

Public Relations - Viridiana Sanchez

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Congrats!!!





Herff Jones

Complete contact form for Cap & Gown order

- Need weight & height
- Turn in on your way out





Register to Vote

- Deadline to register to vote is October 9th, 2018
- Who is eligible?
 - Citizens who are at least 17 years 10 months old.
 - 18 years old or older
- Pick up/complete a Voter Registration Card after meeting or during lunch.

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Personal Responsibility & Pride

Attendance

- Texas law requires that students attend school at least 90% of the school year
 - 8 absences the first semester
 - 9 absences the second semester
- Credit Loss
 - After the student has missed a class more than 8 times during the 1st semester or 9 times during the second semester, there will be an attendance hold on the student's transcript.
 - This means that the student will not receive that credit until attendance hours are made up.
 - **ALL ATTENDANCE HOURS MUST BE MADE UP WITHIN THE ACADEMIC YEAR**
 - If hours are not made up in time, the student will have to make-up missed credit through credit recovery.





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Personal Responsibility & Pride: Eagle Time Expectations

- Go to your assigned eagle time every day.
- This a time to either be studying or doing homework
 - This is NOT a time to sit in the LC, do hair, make-up or watch videos on your phone.
- Teachers will be checking your grades and letting you know what missing assignments you have.
- You may **not** ask to leave to go to another teacher's class without bringing a pass before the tardy bell rings
- You may **not** leave the room without a pass – you will be asked to go back to your class.

Eagle Time Will Start 2nd Week of School.





Personal Responsibility & Pride: Character Strong ET Expectations

Character Strong is our socio-emotional learning curriculum. It is a character development program that helps students cultivate social-emotional skills, emotional intelligence, and helps them develop a stronger identity and purpose in school and in the world.

- Character Strong Eagle Time will happen on Thursdays.
- Each student will be assigned to a teacher
- Posters will be posted around campus with student names/meeting locations
- Character Strong ET attendance will be taken, all students are expected to be present.
 - Failure to attend can result in truancy-related consequences





Grading Reminders

- Check your grades
 - Failing grades *will* put you at risk of not graduating.
 - Grading period is over on 9/28
 - You MUST be passing in order to receive credit for your classes
 - Contact your teachers if you're failing
 - Counselors are meeting with students who have excessive failing grades
 - Torres will meet with certain students and assign mandatory tutorials/Saturday school





Senior Conferences

Review the following with your alpha counselor:

1. Credits/Grad Requirements remaining
2. Credit Recovery
3. STAAR/EOC
4. Attendance
5. College & Career Plan
6. Dual Credit/ACC Transcript
7. CCRM/TSI

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Senior Cords

If you're interested in receiving a senior graduation cord for community service, please visit the Counselors' Office starting Monday for an application, a timeline, and guidelines on how to be awarded a cord.





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College & Career Center Updates





Visiting the CCC

In order to visit the College and Career Center you...

- Must be caught up with all of your classes.
- Have permission from your teacher to visit the CCC
 - Visits will not happen during core classes
- [Schedule an appointment to see Ms. Crayton using Google Calendar](#)
 - bit.ly/CCCAppointments
 - You must use your student email for this feature to work
 - Instructions will be posted outside the CCC.

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Senior College Visits

If you haven't already done so, please be sure to sign up for the October 10th college visits using this [link](#).

Deadline: TODAY.

If you don't, we'll sign you up and you will not be able to change your assignment.





BEST College Night

BEST College Night will be on...

Wednesday, September 26th, 2018 @ Bastrop HS

If you attend...

- You will meet TONS of college representatives from all over the country ready to give you info on their colleges AND technical schools.
- You will receive attendance hours

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ACT/SAT Test Dates

ACT Date	Registration Deadline	Late Registration Deadline
Oct 27, 2018	Sept 28, 2018	Oct 14, 2018
Dec 8, 2018	Nov 2, 2018	Nov 19, 2018
Feb 9, 2019	Jan 11, 2019	Jan 18, 2019
April 13, 2019	Mar 8, 2019	Mar 25, 2019
June 8, 2019	May 3, 2019	May 20, 2019
July 13, 2019	June 14, 2019	June 24, 2019

SAT Date	Registration Deadline	Late Registration Deadline
Oct 6, 2018	Sept 7, 2018	Sept 26, 2018
Nov 3, 2018	Oct 5, 2018	Oct 24, 2018
Dec 1, 2018	Nov 2, 2018	Nov 20, 2018
Mar 9, 2019	Feb 8, 2019	Feb 27, 2019
May 4, 2019	April 5, 2019	April 24, 2019
June 1, 2018	May 3, 2019	May 22, 2019

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TSI Assessment

Texas Success Initiative (TSI) is an assessment that students should take prior to enrolling in school *if* your SAT/ACT scores need to be improved.

Areas covered on TSI Assessment:

-Reading, writing, math

We offer the TSI Assessment at CCHS. At this time, you need permission from Torres to take this assessment. If you plan on going to ACC or any other two-year school (technical or community college), you **MUST** take this assessment (if your SAT/ACT scores do not meet passing standards).

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*College is expensive...but
there's a way to pay for it
all without taking out
loans.*





FAFSA

Free Application for Federal Student Aid

- Financial aid application to help you pay for college
- FAFSA is for students who were are legal residents of the United States (US citizens, legal residents)
 - If you're on free/reduced lunch, you may qualify for free money for college
- Application opens October 1st
 - Workshop will happen on October 2nd

**BE SURE TO BRING YOUR PARENTS' 2017 TAXES TO
COMPLETE APPLICATION.**





TASFA

Texas Application for State Financial Aid

- TASFA is for students who are undocumented
- Money runs out fast, we need you to apply soon.
- Application opens October 1st
 - Workshop will happen on October 2nd

If you're undocumented and are unsure about life after high school, set up a meeting with Torres to have a private conversation. We'll talk about your options.





Scholarships

[JLV College Counseling Scholarships](#)

Bastrop ISD Scholarship Book will be released during the first week of December

- Be sure to create a resume
- Be sure to ask for letters of recommendations NOW.
- Give your recommenders two weeks' notice





Rice University

If you apply, get accepted, and go to Rice University, you may qualify for free/reduced tuition rates based on your family income.

Family Income Range	Grant to Include
\$65,000 and below	Full tuition, fees, room & board
\$65,001 - \$130,000	Full tuition
\$130,001 - \$200,000	Half tuition

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Froylan Silva





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Senior Timeline

Sept 26	B.E.S.T. College Fair, 6:30pm @ BHS Cafeteria
Sept 27	Last day to get Senior Package for \$225
Oct 1	FAFSA is available
Oct 2	FAFSA/TASFA Workshop 4-6:30pm @ College & Career Center
Oct 10	Senior College Visits (PSAT for 10th/11th grade)
Oct 13	FAFSA/TASFA Saturday, 10:00am in Career Room
Oct 24	Herff Jones will present senior invitations to Class of 2019
Oct 25	ASVAB Military Assessment
Oct 29 - Nov 2	Homecoming Week
Nov 3	Homecoming Dance
Nov 1 & 2	Herff Jones will come to CCHS to place senior graduation orders during lunches

<http://bit.ly/Srs2019>





Upcoming Athletic Events

- **Tue 9/25:** Volleyball vs Georgetown @ CCHS
- **Fri 9/28:** Pep Rally, Varsity football game @ Memorial Stadium vs Brenham
- **Tue 10/2:** Volleyball v Schulenberg @ CCHS
- **Fri 10/5:** Pep Rally, Varsity Volleyball vs Bastrop, Varsity Football Game @ Memorial Stadium vs Bastrop





Remind Account
Text @cch2019 to 81010

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