Hello Juniors,

Welcome to your final month of junior year before becoming a **SENIOR** at CCHS. I have heard from several of you in the last few weeks, and have enjoyed learning what you have been up to since the *shelter-in-place* order. As for those I have not heard from, please check in, even if it's just to say hi. See all the ways you can connect at the bottom of this message. Without further ado, here is the newest and latest...

REMOTE LEARNING PACKETS

All students should have received a packet in their mail this week with Remote Learning Activities and information. Continue to engage in your education (read, write, and do math). Keep all work you do in one place so that you can always go back to it if you need. Take time to read the Red Letter/Note from Mrs. Murphy and myself. Education is the passport to the future, for tomorrow belongs to those who prepare for it today.

SEMESTER 2 TRANSCRIPT: PASSING GRADES

Students earning a 55% or higher will receive a Passing "P" grade for that class on their transcript S2:

- ◆ Credit will be given.
- ♦ GPA will not be affected, and will be carried over from \$1.
 - o This is likely the GPA you will apply with & report to colleges in the fall.
- Passed honors courses will be awarded the 0.02 towards GPA.

CREDIT RECOVERY / INCOMPLETE GRADES

For each class you have earned a 40-54%, you will receive a credit recovery packet in the mail for the following subjects: English, Math, Science, & Social Studies

- For elective (and other) classes you have earned a 40-54% please contact your teacher, Mrs. Antrim, or Mr. Thomas for more information.
- ◆ All credit recovery packets must be COMPLETED & TURNED IN to move from 'incomplete' to 'pass' status.
- ◆ Packets are due the week of May 26. There will be a drop-off box at the Walnut St. Entrance from 8:00 am 1:00 pm Tuesday Friday, the week of 5/26.
- Not completing your packet will result in having to repeat a class and/or not moving on to the next class in the sequence.
- ♦ YOU ARE STRONGLY ADVISED TO TAKE ADVANTAGE OF THIS CREDIT RECOVERY OPTION! For some, this may make the difference in remaining on track for graduation.
- Reach out to your specific teacher, Mrs. Antrim, or Mr. Thomas with any questions!

SENIOR COURSE REQUESTS

- ◆ Look for a separate email (early next week) full of scheduling reminders and special programming information.
- Your senior year requests were mailed home in the 1st packet. Email Mrs. Antrim if you need another copy.
- ♦ Any and all changes are due MAY 8. After that date, no changes will be made (including lunch, class hour changes, etc.).

Schedule Change Request Form

JALC (Spring, Summer, & Fall)

- For current (spring semester) Dual Credit/Enrollment students, please reach out to your teachers or email dualcredit@jalc.edu with questions. If you are concerned about your current grade, you can ask about grading options.
- Students receive up to 8 credit hours (per semester) tuition-free, books & fees are not included.

JALC Course Options

How to Register: 5 Step Process

*There is a new Intro. to Ag course offered in the fall.

All summer classes start June 8 and will be online.

- If you have signed up for a class, continue to check your email for updates & use the "Getting Started Guide" to create your online accounts.
- ♦ Remember, these are real college classes. You ARE building your college transcript & GPA. JALC COVID-19 Updates

AP CLASSES & TESTING

- Continue to connect with AP teachers & prepare for your exams.
 AP Exam Schedule
- ♦ All AP students should have received AP requirements & **testing options** (to test or not to test) from teachers.
- ◆ AP Exam Day Checklist complete this for each exam & keep next to you while you test.
- ♦ AP Explainer Videos info. about test day experience, what to prepare, exam security, etc.
- ♦ There will be an AP Exam Demo offered May 4 which will allow you to practice the different ways to submit exam responses and confirm that testing devices will be able to access & run the online exam.

POST-SECONDARY (NEW!)

You have until May 6 to complete your Action Survey (see email from Mrs. Murphy).

- ♦ Now is a great time to complete Naviance tasks, and update your **Favorite** Colleges and/or Careers. When you go to login, visit TerrierNet | scroll to the red "Naviance" button | click "Login with Clever" | select Carbondale Community High School | click "Login with Google" | type in your school login info.
- ♦ <u>Strive Scan Virtual College Fair Registration</u> offered April 20 May 8. Recordings available for missed schools & sessions. Mrs. Murphy sent the registration link to you on 4/7 & again on 4/26.
- ♦ <u>Navigate 2020 Virtual Conference & College Fair Registration</u> offered May 4-6. Sessions include: Simplifying the College Prep Process; Navigating College Applications; How to Support Your Teen; Tips for Writing a Successful College Essay.
- St. Louis College of Pharmacy's Summer Immersion Program August 2-7 (\$650).
- ♦ Check out Mrs. Murphy's 19-20 College & Career Newsletters

Takeaways from a recent webinar...

- 1. How have you assisted to the betterment of others during this time?
- 2. Character matters when it comes to your future. What you do in the future has to be represented by what you've done in the past.
- 3. Be patient, get to know yourself, and your future will unfold in time.

ASSESSMENTS

- ♦ I will continue to update the Assessment Document on my <u>Webpage</u> as new & important information comes in.
- ♦ SAT will open registration for FALL the week of May 26 and will include an added September 26 date.
- ACT as of now will hold the JUNE & JULY exams in person (& may provide flexible scheduling, a
 week later, if need be). They are also looking to debut an at-home testing option in late fall or
 early winter.

COVID-19 CONNECTIONS & RESOURCES

CCHS Counseling Resource

Mental Health Support

Virtual Check-In with Mrs. Antrim

Request a Zoom Video Meeting with Mrs. Antrim

Schedule Change Request Form

Text (747) 999-2021 with questions, concerns, or to say hello. This message will go to Mrs. Antrim and will be checked during school hours.