

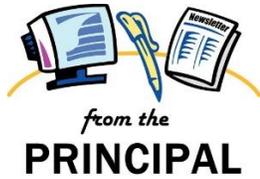
Tejas School of Choice Newsletter

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Dr. Lozano-Lerma, Principal

Principal's News:



Dear Broncos,

Last week students completed their 3 weeks assessments. This Friday, November 20th, students will report to the following periods: 5th, 6th, 7th, and 8th, this is our B schedule. Below is the schedule for the Friday District Schedule. Also, we are preparing for our December End of Course STAAR administrations; testing is scheduled for the week of December 7th. Our 2nd quarter ends on December 18th.

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Happy Thanksgiving! On November 23-27th, students will be on Thanksgiving break. Classes will resume on Monday, November 30th. Many blessings to each of your families and expressing the gratitude I feel for everyone being safe, healthy, and taking time to rest.

Just a reminder that students need to log in virtually into their classes and complete their assignments every day. Teachers will be following YISD grading and it is important that all assignments are turned in everyday. In addition, we have virtual tutoring and is open to all our Tejas students. Teachers are available to conference virtually or by telephone with students and parents Monday-Thursday from 8:00-8:30 am, this is a great time to schedule individually tutoring sessions, and check on your child's progress. Our students can do it. Students focus on passing all of your classes.

Student Academic Intervention Help - Virtual Tutoring & Progress Monitoring Meeting are here to Help!

Teachers will be compiling a list of students that have not submitted their work and our intervention will be our virtual tutoring. Virtual tutoring is an opportunity for students to get caught up with their work. If a student has not completed their work, then our progress monitoring meetings will be scheduled with teachers, administration, students, and parents. We want all of our students to be successful and these meetings are to help our students to get caught up with their work and earn credit for their classes.

Students make sure you are attending all of your classes. Attendance is being taken and it counts. Don't lose credit because of absences, make sure to log in virtually to all of your classes.



Thank you to all those in the medical community and all those other members of the community putting themselves at risk to keep us safe. We are El Paso Strong and remain steadfastly united. Keeping our community safe is everyone's responsibility. Stay Safe Broncos!

As Broncos, we are respectful, caring, motivated, and responsible!





Nurse's Office Information-Nurse Mares:

Helpful information during the COVID-19 pandemic:

<https://ttuhscep.edu/coronavirus/virtual-health-fair/documents/September%20Covid19%20Overview%20English.pdf>

<https://ttuhscep.edu/coronavirus/virtual-health-fair/documents/September%20Covid-19%20Overview%20Spanish.pdf>

<https://ttuhscep.edu/coronavirus/virtual-health-fair/documents/September%20Home%20Care%20Tips%20English.pdf>

<https://ttuhscep.edu/coronavirus/virtual-health-fair/documents/September%20Home%20Care%20Tips%20Spanish.pdf>

https://ttuhscep.edu/coronavirus/virtual-health-fair/documents/mask-and-sanitizer-DIY_ENGLISH.pdf

https://ttuhscep.edu/coronavirus/virtual-health-fair/documents/mask-and-sanitizer-DIY_SPANISH.pdf



Cafeteria Information-Mrs. Blanco:

Breakfast & Lunch Serving Times

Monday through Friday from 7:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.



Communities in Schools-Ms. Meza:

Parents and students are more than welcome to join our parent session taking place November 12, 2020 at 9:00 a.m. and 5:30 p.m. We will be having a presentation over Coping with Holiday stress. The meeting will be virtually. Here is the link to be able to attend. meet.google.com/aor-tdfz-kam Hope to see you there.

In addition, here is a link to help with the struggles that we are all currently facing:

<https://kvia.com/news/abc-7-xtra/2020/11/15/abc-7-xtra-helping-struggling-families-during-the-pandemic/>.

Counseling Center-Mr. Vizcaino:

Parents or students needing to contact Mr. Vizcaino can email him at: wvizcaino@yisd.net for questions regarding credits, class schedules or any other information. They may also call 434-9903. Students should be checking their email on a daily basis for news and information. Also, the Counseling Center website, on google classroom, has information on various topics such as: graduation requirements, volunteer hours, college applications, and financial aid.



To help students and parents with applying for financial aid, both student and parent must create a FSA ID. Video's and other information are found in the student google classroom titled "The Counseling Center". Go to classwork and find the document titled "FAFSA". The folder has links and documents with information about this process.



Assistant Principal-Mr. Flores:

If you need any assistance with your laptop or internet you can contact me at rflores2@yisd.net or 434-9902.



Attendance Office-Ms. Rangel:

2nd Qtr. 3 Weeks Progress Reports will be available in the Home Access Center(HAC) on 11/19/20.

To report an absence please call Ms. Rangel @ 434-9910 or by email at grangel6@yisd.net.

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Tutoring Information-Ms. Romero:

Need tutoring? Fill out the [Request for Tutoring Form](#) or call (915)434-9935.



Front Office Important Dates-Ms. Chávez:

November 16-17, 2020-TSI Testing-Writing

November 18, 2020-Parent Session: Coping with Holiday Stress

November 20, 2020-B Schedule

November 23-27, 2020-Thanksgiving Break



Vision Statement

Tejas School of Choice is a beacon of life-long learning where the curriculum will challenge students with thought-provoking, relevant lessons that motivate them to achieve at higher levels now and in the future.

Mission Statement

We will work collaboratively as models of life-long learning by providing high-quality learning experiences using frequent, authentic assessments and effective instructional strategies, resulting in varied opportunities for students to develop a commitment to high-quality work.

School Climate

We will be supportive, caring, and respectful to others to create an environment that is dedicated to academics and life-long learning.

**Fridays Bell Schedule A/B Rotation
Beginning on October 30, 2020**

A Schedule

First Period	8:30 a.m.- 9:20 a.m.	50Minutes
Second Period	9:22 a.m.-10:12 a.m.	50 Minutes
Third Period	10:14 a.m.-11:04 a.m.	50 Minutes
Intervention	11:06 a.m.-11:56 a.m.	50 Minutes

B Schedule

Fifth Period	8:30 a.m.- 9:20 a.m.	50 Minutes
Sixth Period	9:22 a.m.-10:12 a.m.	50 Minutes
Seventh Period	10:14 a.m.-11:04 a.m.	50 Minutes
Eighth Period	11:06 a.m.-11:56 a.m.	50 Minutes

Date	A/B Day
10/30/20	A
11/06/20	B
11/13/20	A
11/20/20	B
11/27/20	Holiday
12/04/20	A
12/11/20	B
12/18/20	A
01/01/21	Holiday
01/08/21	B
01/15/21	A
01/22/21	B
01/29/21	A
02/05/21	B
02/12/21	A

Date	A/B Day
02/19/21	B
02/26/21	A
03/05/21	B
03/12/21	A
03/19/21	Spring Break
03/26/21	B
04/02/21	Holiday
04/09/21	A
04/16/21	B
04/23/21	A
04/30/21	B
05/07/21	A
05/14/21	B
05/21/21	A
05/28/21	B
06/04/21	A

