



Weekly Newsletter 12/7/21

UPCOMING DATES

Over the next six weeks, please mark your calendars with holidays and early release days:

- Thurs, December 16, 2021 is an Early Release/Final Exam (Regular bus transportation provided at early release time)
- Fri, December 17, 2021 is an Early Release/Final Exam (Regular bus transportation provided at early release time)
- Mon, December 20, 2021 - Friday, December 31, 2021 is Winter Break
- Mon, January 3, 2022 & Tues, January 4, 2022 are Student Holidays/Staff Workdays
- Wed, January 5, 2022 is the first day of second semester

EXAM INFORMATION



HARRISON HIGH SCHOOL-FALL SEMESTER 2021
FINAL EXAM SCHEDULE

Thursday, December 16, 2021
8:20-9:50 1st Period Exam
9:50-10:00 BREAK
10:00-11:30 2nd Period Exam

Friday, December 17, 2021
8:20-9:50 3rd Period Exam
9:50-10:00 BREAK
10:00-11:30 4th Period Exam

EARLY DISMISSAL at 11:30 a.m. - BUS TRANSPORTATION PROVIDED AT 11:30 a.m. ONLY!

Final Exams:

During the two days of final exams, students should make every effort to be fully prepared. All courses will have a final assessment, to include those classes that took an EOC Exam.

- Final exams will not be given early. All students will complete final exams during the scheduled exam time listed above.
- Students who miss a final exam will receive a zero (0) on the exam.
- Students must remain in class until the end of the period. Under no circumstances will students be allowed to leave an exam early. For example: No early checkouts.
- Students *must leave campus immediately* and not return during the rest of that school day. Please note that Cobb County policy states that students dismissed early may NOT go on other school campuses, including elementary and middle schools. Doing so may result in disciplinary action.
- Bus service will be provided at the 11:30 a.m. dismissal time ONLY.

Please note additional important information:

- Report cards will be available via PARENTVUE and STUDENTVUE on Tuesday, January 4, 2022.
- Students who have textbooks may begin returning them to the Learning Commons the week of final exams. The deadline to return textbooks is Friday, December 17th at noon.
- School is back in session for all students on Wednesday, January 5, 2022.
- Reminder: All students must exit campus upon dismissal at 11:30 a.m. on December 16th and 17th.
- If you have any questions about final exams, please see your alpha administrator.

Upon completion of finals, we wish all a wonderful Holiday Break!

EOC TESTING

EOC testing will start on November 30th and go thru December 9th. Included below is the bell schedule during the testing window.

EOC TESTING BELL SCHEDULE - WINTER 2021

	1st Block	2nd Block	3rd Block	4th Block
AMERICAN LITERATURE	30-Nov	8:20 - 9:05	9:10 - 11:05 # 11:00 - 11:30 # 11:40 - 11:55 C 12:00 - 12:05 D 12:05 - 1:00 # CLASSES TESTING EARLY A LUNCH	1:35 - 3:30
	1-Dec	8:20 - 9:40	9:45 - 11:30 # 11:20 - 11:50 # 12:00 - 12:25 C 12:30 - 1:30 D 1:35 - 1:40 # CLASSES TESTING EARLY A LUNCH	1:50 - 3:30
	2-Dec	8:20 - 9:40	9:45 - 11:30 # 11:00 - 11:50 # 12:00 - 12:25 C 12:30 - 1:30 D 1:35 - 1:40 # CLASSES TESTING EARLY A LUNCH	1:50 - 3:30
U.S. HISTORY	3-Dec	8:20 - 10:06	10:12 - 11:47 # 11:55 - 12:21 # 12:25 - 12:51 C 12:55 - 1:21 D 1:25 - 1:51 # CLASSES TESTING EARLY A LUNCH	1:57 - 3:30
	6-Dec	8:20 - 10:06	10:12 - 11:47 # 11:50 - 12:21 # 12:25 - 12:51 C 12:55 - 1:21 D 1:25 - 1:51 # CLASSES TESTING EARLY A LUNCH	1:57 - 3:30
BIOLOGY	6-Dec	8:20 - 10:06	10:12 - 11:47 # 11:50 - 12:21 # 12:25 - 12:51 C 12:55 - 1:21 D 1:25 - 1:51 # CLASSES TESTING EARLY A LUNCH	1:57 - 3:30
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HOYA BLOCK

Registration for Hoya Block next semester will start on Thursday, December 9th. Please click [here](#) to register. All students will need to register before the deadline on Friday, January 7th. Please visit the [Hoya Block](#) page on our website for additional information.

SPRING 2022 STUDENT PARKING

All current junior and senior students who wish to purchase a parking decal for next semester must complete the student parking survey by following the link below. This survey will close at 5 pm on Tuesday, December 21st, but please complete as soon as possible so that we can get an accurate count of students who wish to park on campus next semester. Once all parking information has been processed, we will communicate specific instructions for parking decal payment and pick-up to the email address that was used to complete the survey. Look for that information to be sent out by the end of the December 27th week, with a tentative decal distribution schedule of assigned pick-up times on January 3rd and 4th.

IMPORTANT: You must complete the survey to be considered for parking, but you do not need to re-apply for parking if you currently have a Fall 2021 decal or if you have a current parking application for this school year submitted.

Please email Becky Kelly (rebecca.kelly@cobbk12.org) if you have any questions. Thank you!

PARKING SURVEY LINK:

https://HarrisonHS.formstack.com/forms/spring_semester_student_parking_survey

HOLIDAY TREATS FOR THE HOYA STAFF

Please use the link below to help the Harrison PTSA spread some holiday cheer to our amazing Hoya Staff. We appreciate your help, thank you!

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0F4CAAAA29AAFCC07-ptsa3>

SENIOR NEWS

Any senior who is graduating in December MUST turn in school laptops, pay for library fees/fines, and turn in all textbooks by the afternoon of Dec. 15th.

Notices of those with outstanding fees/fines were distributed today (Tuesday).

LAPTOPS

We have over 1900 students who have already opted-in for their school-issued laptops. We need every student to opt-in, and pick up their devices ASAP. Students will be required to begin bringing their laptops to school beginning January 5th. If you have not opted-in, please do today – it only takes a minute. Directions to opt-in can be found [here](#).

Why Should I opt-in for a laptop?:

School issued devices will be connected to the Cobb server. This will allow for better connectivity.

School issued devices will come with the required Office 365 software that Cobb students utilize.

School issued devices will have access to our testing platforms. For example, students can take End of Course Tests, MI/RI tests all from the classroom, which provides us more flexibility. We have a limited number of computer labs.

When all students have the same device, teachers can incorporate technology more often since they are assured all students have access.

Distribution Plan:

The distribution of laptops will continue during lunches – please have your students report to the learning commons during their lunch period to pick up their device.

Students should fully charge their school laptop each night and leave their power adapters at home. This will allow students to use their devices for a full instructional day without the worry of losing their power adapters at school. Thank you!

Questions?:

Please direct any questions to Dr. Christi Osborne. (Christi.osborne@cobbk12.org)

LOST AND FOUND

Have You Lost Anything This Semester?

Lunch Box? Jacket? Shoes?



Stop by the
MAIN OFFICE
Before
Dec. 14th
before all items
are donated

CAFETERIA NEWS

Please check the Food and Nutrition Services website frequently for updated information on Paying for Meals, Menus, Allergy & Special Nutrition Needs, Wellness Information, and Employment Opportunities.

<https://www.cobbk12.org/foodservices/page/45098/paying-for-meals>

COUNSELING NEWS

COUNSELING CALENDAR

Please check the Counseling Calendar frequently for important dates, including Virtual Parent and Student Q&A sessions, Virtual College Visit information, and much more! Click here, [Harrison Counseling Calendar](#), or go to the Counseling page on www.harrisonhigh.org.

VIRTUAL COLLEGE VISITS

We have several Virtual College Visits set up for our Harrison Students. Please check these out here: [Harrison Virtual College Visits](#) and on the Counseling Website.

FINAL FALL SEMESTER COLLEGE VISITS!

November 29th
Georgia State @ 7 pm
December 1st
The University of South
Florida @ 4 pm
December 7th
Louisiana State
University @ 7 pm



CLASS NEWSLETTERS

Students may now sign up for a monthly newsletter with specific information just for their year! See below to register or see your newsletter:

Freshman Class of 2025 [Register Here](#)

Sophomore Class of 2024 [Register Here](#)

Junior Class of 2023 [Register Here](#)

Senior Class of 2022 [Register Here](#)

ATTENTION SENIORS – IMPORTANT TRANSCRIPT REQUEST INFORMATION

FOR COLLEGE APPLICATION TRANSCRIPT REQUESTS

All transcript requests for colleges with a January 1st through January 5th deadline must be processed through My Payments Plus by December 10th. Please click [here](#) to request your transcript.

FOR MID-YEAR TRANSCRIPT REQUEST

First semester grades are not posted on transcripts until early January. If a mid-year transcript is needed for your college application, please request it after January 5th.

SENIORS – GRADUATION VERIFICATION DEADLINE

Seniors, please take time to complete the REQUIRED [Graduation Verification Form](#), due December 10, 2021.

SENIOR SAT SCORES

Any Senior who has an SAT score in one sitting of a 1580 or higher, please stop by the counseling office to see Mrs. Tammy Campbell.

PSAT SCORES WEBINAR WITH APPLEROUTH

PSAT results will be available in your student's College Board account on December 7th. Parents and students are invited to attend *Your PSAT Scores are Back: Now What*, a free webinar hosted by Applerouth on Wednesday, December 8th at 7:00 p.m. You will learn to interpret the score report and what the scores mean. Click [here](#) to register.

COBB STUDENT LEADERSHIP ACADEMY APPLICATIONS

The Cobb Student Leadership Academy is currently taking applications for membership for the 2022 spring semester. Students may be in middle school or high school, and no prior leadership experience is necessary. Students simply must be interested in learning about leadership, serving the community, and collaborating with other students and teachers to make your school and school district a better place to learn. Applications will be taken until January 7th, 2022: Apply [here](#).

WORK PERMIT

Please click [here](#) for directions for obtaining work permits for students under age 16.

FINE ARTS



SPORTS

Congratulations to the following athletic programs for their recent wins and strong performances:

- Girls Basketball for their wins over Calhoun HS 80-36, Rome HS 49-42, and Villa Rica HS 75-45. There were many strong individual and team performances in all 3 games last week.
- Boys Basketball for their wins over Calhoun HS 68-64 and Villa Rica HS 69-57. There were many strong individual and team performances in both games.
- Wrestling for their 1st place finish over Walton HS 40-33 and Marietta HS 53-24. They also finished in 2nd place in the McEachern Invitational over the weekend. Congrats to John Holley (2nd), Tyler Gallegos (2nd), Henslee Lockridge (2nd), Gavin Glen(3rd), Bryce Gibbs(1st), Landon Jones (1st), Patrick Ford (2nd)and Tate Mowery(3rd) for their strong finishes. There were many strong individual and team performances in their meets.

HARRISON GYMNASTICS INTEREST MEETING

There will be an interest meeting for Harrison Gymnastics on Monday, December 13th at 3:30 p.m. in the School Counseling Office. If you are unable to attend in person, you may click [here](#) to join virtually.

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