

WELCOME TO THE WOODLANDS COLLEGE PARK HIGH SCHOOL

2023-24

Commitment, Pride, Honor, Success

School Start-Up Information

Beginning of School

The first day of school is August 9, 2023. All students will report directly to their homeroom the first two days of school. Homeroom lists will be posted on our website by Monday, August 7, 2023. The regular bell schedule will be adjusted to accommodate homeroom the first 2 days of school. All students will have the opportunity to receive their books (if any), schedule and locker assignment (if desired) prior to school starting at orientations. Students who were unable to attend orientation will receive their books and locker assignment during the first week of school. All students will receive a new copy of their schedule in their homeroom on the first day of school. Please note that all lockers are assigned at request. Students are allowed to use backpacks but all items including the backpack must be able to be stored underneath a student desk. No items are to be in the aisles of the classroom.

Safety at School

We take the safety of our students and staff very seriously and it is the #1 priority on our campus. We have several features that assist in keeping everyone safe. We have a police officer on campus during the school day and at events on campus, Anonymous Alert reporting system, security camera's inside and outside of the facility, and external doors are secured during the day and alarmed so we are aware of when doors are accessed without appropriate credentials. Students and staff should never open an external door for anyone to enter the campus. All visitors or students arriving on campus, should enter the building through the main entrance.

Parent Discussion Item: In order to create a positive and safe environment, we ask all parents to talk with their children about their role in keeping our campus safe. Please help them understand that it is everyone's responsibility to keep everyone safe and report situations that maybe unsafe for them or others, immediately. Also, please address what is appropriate and not appropriate to have at school. Students should bring items that are for learning during the school day (binder, books, pen/pencils, calculator, lunch, etc). They should not bring items that could create a disruption, harm, or danger to individuals or the school as a whole (weapons, drugs, vapes, etc.).

Student ID Badges

As we continue to improve our safety and security on our campus, students will be required to wear an ID badge while on campus (exceptions or when the student is engaged in physical activities like sports, PE, dance, etc.) Students without their badges will need to access a temporary badge for the day. If their temporary badge is not available, they will be accessed a \$5 replacement fee and a new badge will be issued. Students will be provided a new badge their Freshman and Junior year.

Student Orientations

Students will have the opportunity to obtain their schedule, locker assignment, textbooks, register for parking, and get their ID (all students will receive a new ID) prior to the start of school. We highly recommend that all students participate in this important event.

The following are the dates:

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| July 28 | 9am-3pm | All Students 9-12 |
| July 31 | 4pm-7pm | Open Orientation All Students 9-12 |

Camp Cavalier (9th grade and new students)

Camp Cavalier, July 28, 2023, is designed for our incoming freshman class, and new students to introduce them to the campus, meet the administration and counselors, go on a scavenger hunt, pick up schedules, and experience College Park. This time is for our students to learn all the Cavalier traditions, such as chants, school song, and cheers. We will also have a carnival for students to eat, play games and learn about the variety of clubs and organizations we have on campus. Camp Cavalier is scheduled from 5:00 pm – 8:30 pm. The cost is \$25 (pre-registration includes T-shirt) until **July 20th**. Payments can be made on School Cash Online, <https://conroeisd.schoolcashionline.com/>

The cost for walk-ins will be \$25 (no shirt) and can be paid at the door through School Cash Online.

Camp Cavalier for Parents, will take place simultaneously in the auditorium from 5 p.m. – 6 p.m. Meet the Principal, Lead Counselor and PTO President as they guide you through "Tips for a Successful Transition to High School".

Student drop-off/pick-up/Busses/Parking

It is vital that all parents and students follow the directions online to minimize issues with traffic. Student drop-off/pickup is located in the front of the building all cars will enter the main entrance (Honor Roll Drive).

The bus drop-off/pickup is in the back of the building with the busses entering Fellowship Drive (West Entrance). Cars should not be driven on the bus drop-off/pickup roads for any reason. Bus route information will be available on-line sometime in late July or early August. If you have questions concerning routes and their arrival/departure times, please visit the CISD website or call Transportation at 832-592-8800. Students should ***not*** be dropped off to walk to school from the businesses in front of the school. *It is **not** safe for them to walk and causes delays in drop-off traffic.*

Student drivers will enter the student parking lot from Achievement Drive (East Entrance). Please see the Parking and Driver's Safety Course <http://twcp.conroeisd.net/student-helpful-links/> for information regarding student drivers. All drivers are reminded to leave early and be patient each day to minimize issues.

Please note that you will not be able to access Chick-fil-A from Honor Roll Drive. Please enter using the College Park Drive or the Achievement Drive Entrance. Please remember that the businesses in front of the school are not locations for pick-up or drop off. They are for their customers only **Please remember that once a student arrives on campus they are not allowed to leave. If they are going to visit a food establishment by the school, they need to do that prior to arriving on campus.**

Health Information

Immunization Requirements & CISD Medication Policy

Students must have physician records documenting a completed series of immunizations as follows: poliomyelitis, diphtheria, and tetanus (series of three each with the last one given after the age of four years); Tdap Booster due 10 years after last DPT; mumps, measles/rubella, and rubella (2 doses after age one); varicella/chickenpox vaccine or parent documented disease and Hepatitis B series of three. If you have been notified that your student is due a Tdap booster during the summer months, please have a physician verified copy ready to turn in at orientation or before. You may also turn it in to the front desk at TWCP. In addition, incoming 9th thru 12th graders need to have 2 doses of Varicella vaccine after age one/or history of disease, 2 doses of the Hepatitis A vaccine and one dose of Meningococcal Vaccine (Menactra, MCV4) after the 11th birthday.

All prescription and over-the-counter medication must be checked into the clinic by a parent or guardian. All medications must be in their original container, and the clinic must have signed parent permission to administer them. Prescription medication must have the student's name on the prescription label with directions for administration of the contents. Over-the-counter medication must be current by expiration date, within recommended dosage range for the student as directed on the label, and in containers of 25 or less due to space limitations. Students are not allowed to carry medications (including vitamins, herbal supplements, diet pills, caffeine pills, etc.) with them while at school, store them in their lockers, or carry them home on the school bus. *Medication will be accepted beginning the afternoon of August 7, 2023.*

Physicals

Please know that students cannot participate in an activity (athletics, band, JROTC, cheerleading, Reveliers, etc) without having a physical on file with the athletic trainers office. Please make sure that this is complete prior to the start of any activity. If you need a physical form please obtain one from the front office, athletic office, athletic training room, or on-line.

Breakfast /Lunch

There are 4 lunches with each lunch offering full plate lunches and a la carte selections. Drink machines are also available during lunch and after school. At this time, Breakfast prices are; \$2.00 full price (\$.30 reduced) for students and lunches will be \$3.20 (\$.40 reduced) and a la carte prices vary depending on item selection, more information, log on to the child nutrition website: <http://childnutrition.conroeisd.net/> Pre-payments can be made to your student's account online.

Student's lunch is determined by their 5th period class. Lunch schedules will be posted throughout the building. Please refer to them for the specific lunch schedule.

Parking/Driver's Safety Course

All students driving must complete the Driver's Safety Course, complete all of the information in the parking permit application (including all vehicles and insurance information), a valid drivers license (no learners permits will be accepted) and pay for the parking permit (\$75) prior to a parking tag being issued. Incomplete applications will not be considered until all information is provided, the safety course is complete, and the payment has been made. Any missing information will delay a parking tag being issued and will risk the availability of a spot being available. The on-line registration will begin July 10th for juniors and seniors only. <http://twcp.conroeisd.net/student-helpful-links/>.

The driver's safety course can be accessed and taken on-line through the TWCP website beginning July 10th and close on July 31st for the initial parking placement. We will use a random draw system to assign parking spots based on sharing and classification.

We will reopen the parking website on August 4th for late student registration.

Students will be able to pay for the parking permit on-line through School Cash On-line.

Parking permits will be distributed on August 3rd from 3:30 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. in the student entrance foyer (Gym or Robotics area).

Please know that the businesses in front of the school are not open for parking during the school day. **Violators will be towed at the owner's expense. (Yes, even the closed businesses. The property owner has asked us to remind all parents and students. It is \$250+ to get your vehicle back).**

Senior Information

Senior Dues are now \$120. (Dues will increase after September to \$135 and will increase to \$150 after December). Senior class dues are for all the activities throughout the school year; these can be paid online at [SchoolCash Online](#). Please contact Grade Level Office, for more information, or if you are having difficulty paying senior dues.

Senior Dues Cover:

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| Senior Lighting Program | Prom (1 senior ticket) |
| Senior T-Shirt (with Senior names) | Senior Picnic |
| Graduation expenses | Prom Decorations |

Senior Dues do NOT Cover:

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| Cap, Gown or Graduation Announcements | Prom Date Ticket (non-senior) |
| Homecoming Ticket | Panoramic Picture |
| Prom Pictures | GradNight (see PTO website) |

Please note:

*Senior Dues are optional. Seniors do not have to pay any dues to graduate.

*Seniors who graduate early (are still considered seniors) and must pay dues to participate in all activities. *An early graduate cannot go as a date to prom. (they are considered a Senior)

*Any senior attending prom MUST pay dues.

General School Information/Policies

Attendance

Attendance at school is vital for student success. We ask that students be at school each and every day possible. Please schedule trips and other activities on non-school days. If your student has a fever, please keep them at home. Otherwise, we ask that you send them to school. We have a nurse on staff that will evaluate a student's status and let you know if they need to go home. We estimate that a student's average will decrease 1 ½ - 2 pts per absence. The more they attend school the better they will perform. Our goal for the year is to have a 98% attendance rate so we maximize students learning and performance and have them ready for the next year, college, or the work force.

Please understand that if a student misses a day of school (excused or unexcused) it still counts towards the 90% rule and based on the excuse the compulsory attendance rule. If your child has a doctor's appointment, please have them at school prior to the appointment and/or return to school after the appointment and supply a note from the doctor's office, and the absence will count as an HCP (health care provider) and will not count as an absence in any category.

The Texas Education code requires that students attend at least 90% of scheduled school days per semester. The code requires schools to deny credit for students found in violation of this rule. Students will be given an opportunity to regain credit by following a detailed plan outlined by the student's assistant principal. Failure to complete the plan or have additional absences will result in the denial credit. Please know that attendance is taken in each individual class and credit is determined on a class-by-class basis.

In addition, the Compulsory Attendance law allows schools to file charges against a student and/or parent in truancy court for failure to attend school. The law states that students that miss 3 days or parts of days in a 4-week period may be referred to truancy court. Please know that we will review reasons and help develop a plan to remediate future absences. Continual failure to comply will result in the truancy court filing.

If a student is absent, the parent should send a note or contact the attendance office within 48 hours of the absence. After 48 hours, the absence will stand for attendance and exam exemption purposes.

Therefore, we need all of our Cavaliers to be at school. We need all Cavaliers to work hard to be here each and every day. We know that attendance at school improves students' grades. We want everyone to perform at the highest possible level and be prepared for the future. Please work hard to be here each day.

Attendance works:

The best gift you can give your child is a good education. The best place to get that education is in school.

Every day, on time.

- Just a few days here and there, even if they're excused absences, can add up to too much lost learning time and put your child behind in school. This is as true in kindergarten as it is in high school
- If missing school is unavoidable, talk to your student's teachers in advance to create a plan for making up missed work.

Exam Exemptions

We will offer exam exemptions this year as an incentive academically, behaviorally, and for attendance. Please see the website for the detailed exemption policy (Posted prior to the first day of school). Please know that this is a privilege and it is the student's responsibility to monitor all areas and assure, in a timely manner, that all areas are correct as we move through the year. Attendance is the area that some want to submit documentation for at the end of the year for absences that occurred throughout the year. Any documentation should be submitted within 48 hours of the absence to the attendance office.

Parent Discussion Item: Please talk with your child about the importance of being at school every day. At the high school level, the teacher will cover the required material but will also extend the conversation with students that supplies depth and complexity to the lesson that can only be gained by being in class. All of the efforts by the teacher enhance learning and understanding of concepts that students cannot achieve on their own and away from the classroom. Student performance increases as the rate of attendance increases and school becomes easier with very good attendance as long as they put in a good honest effort.

Behavior Expectations

We have high expectations for our students academically and behaviorally. We want the atmosphere at College Park High School to be positive for all students, parents, and staff. We expect students to know the meaning of each of the following and apply them in their daily life as a Cavalier. Commitment, Pride, Honor, Success, Attitude, Character, Integrity, Perseverance, Respect, Responsibility.

Parent Discussion Item: Please talk with your child about the expectations at school, in class, and at home. Establish the boundary's that are expected as it relates to cooperation, school behavior, effort in class, being prepared, asking for assistance, what to do if you do not understand, what to do if they do not feel you are getting the help they need, treating all people with respect, how to deal with friend and relationships at school, appropriate dress (see dress code), taking care of the school (classrooms, hallways, cafeteria, restrooms, etc.), and appropriate manners with peers, you, and staff.

Electronic Devices (Cell phones, headphones, ear pods, etc)

Electronic device use (including cell phones) at College Park High School will be permitted ONLY in the common areas of the campus (hallways, cafeteria, & courtyard); before school; during passing periods, during the student's lunch period; and after school only. **Use of electronic devices in any area of the building during instructional time is strictly prohibited.** Instructional time is defined as the time period between the tardy bell and the dismissal bell for all class periods.

All classrooms will follow a common Electronic Device policy. All classrooms and office areas will have a pocket system in place where all students will keep their electronic devices during class in the off position. This will reduce the distractions in class and provide for a better learning environment for all students. Students that do not cooperate with the policy or uses an old phone so they keep theirs on them will be referred to the office and a parent conference with administration will be held. Students must follow the teacher's guidelines in regards to its use and may not use the device for any other purpose during that time period; this would include, but not be limited to texting, phone calls, unauthorized web browsing, and social networks. Use of electronic devices during appropriate times is a privilege. Please cooperate with the policy and staff member if you are not following the policy.

Parent Discussion Item: We ask that parents talk with their children regarding the expectations of electronic devices at school. Please discuss the learning distractions that they create, the importance of them paying attention in class, their expectation to follow the policy, and their cooperation with staff if they do not follow the policy by turning their phone into the staff member at request. Also, please talk to your child about the use of social media in appropriate ways. Please remind them that it is inappropriate to bully, send inappropriate messages/images, create an issue on campus or off, make threats, or any other negative messaging. Also, please discuss the dangers with messaging individuals that they do not know 100% as there are individuals out there that try to recruit for sex trafficking, inappropriate activities, grooming of an individual for inappropriate relationships and many other challenges.

Bell Schedule (Schedule after the 1st 2 days)

As students arrive in the morning, they may enter the building and wait for the first bell on the 1st floor only (in the main hallway or commons)

First bell: 7:05 a.m. **Class begins:** 7:20 a.m. **Dismissal:** 2:35 p.m.

Regular Bell Schedule

1st Period 7:20 - 8:07

2nd Period 8:14 - 9:00

3rd Period 9:07 - 9:53

4th Period 10:00 – 10:46

5th Period 10:53 – 12:49

A-Lunch: 10:47 – 11:17

B-Lunch: 11:17 – 11:47

C-Lunch: 11:48 – 12:18

D-Lunch: 12:19 – 12:49

Class: 11:50 – 12:49

Class: 11:52 – 12:49

Class: 10:53 – 11:48

Class: 10:53 – 11:51

Advisory: 11:24 – 11:50

Advisory: 10:53 – 11:17

Advisory: 12:23 – 12:49

Advisory: 11:51 – 12:19

6th Period 12:56 – 1:42

7th Period 1:49 – 2:35

There is a 7-minute passing period between each class.

* Students will participate in CPHS class for 25 minutes during 5th period periodically throughout the year.. The purpose of the class is to support the students and provide another opportunity to help them through the high school process. Pep Rallies will occur at the end of the day for home football games and other selected dates during the year.

When school is dismissed, students have 10 minutes to get to their bus, car, activity, tutoring, etc. Students are not allowed in the building unsupervised.

Tardy Policy

The tardy policy for the school year will be posted in the [CPHS Student handbook/Addendum](#) and in all classrooms beginning the first day of school. Students will be informed of the tardy policy as well as other policies and procedures. Please remember that students utilizing personal transportation will be counted tardy or absent if they arrive late to school. Please make sure that you allow additional time on the first few days of school and anytime road conditions may cause delays (weather, special events, etc.).

Parent/Student Sign-in/Sign-out

Visitor sign-in/sign-out will be conducted in the front office of the building. All visitors must have a valid driver's license to enter the building and all visitors will be scanned into our system. Please note that the building is monitored by security cameras.

Students will sign-in/out at the attendance office. If your student needs to be picked-up early from school, please send a note with your student to be turned in to the attendance office as soon as they arrive at school, or call at least one hour ahead of time. This will save you and the school time and effort. Please report to the attendance desk to sign your student in/out. Students may not be released from class the last 25 minutes of the school day. **We will not release students to take an Uber/Lyft to leave the school campus.**

Deliveries

TWCP will not receive any deliveries from any outside source (flowers, food, etc.) for students. No Food deliveries will be accepted for lunches. We encourage parents to hold their child responsible for bringing items to school for class and their lunch. Natural consequences are the best way to help them become more independent and managing their daily life. Deliveries made by parents will be accepted but it is the student's responsibility to check at lunch or between classes for items that have been dropped off. Classes will not be interrupted for the delivery of any item. All items may be dropped off in the front office and will be available for pick-up in the AP office. Students are not allowed to come to the front office during the school day to pick up an item. This is for everyone's safety.

Grading Policy

College Park has implemented a common grading system throughout the school; we are using a 5-Point Grading System Each class will have assignments and assessments assigned to different categories labeled as Formative and Summative. The two different categories will make up the student's grade based on the level of the course and the percentage for each category. Please see below for the category breakdowns for each level.

1. Level classes will be 30% Formative (Daily/homework) and 70% Summative (Major).
2. Honors classes will be 25% Formative and 75% Summative
3. Dual Credit and Advanced Placement classes will be 20% Formative and 80% Summative

All classes will have opportunities for students to work with teachers to improve their grades. Tutoring, peer tutoring, and other instructional strategies may be suggested. Please visit with your students' teachers for more information.

College Park has a re-test policy. Teachers will be covering the policy as it pertains to their class. We have adjusted the policy so it is appropriate for the level of the course and meets the needs of the students. Please note that there are various ways to adhere to this policy and each teacher has the individual discretion to how it will work for their class. It is important each student understand so they can maximize opportunities to perform at a high level in all classes.

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| <i>AP & Dual Credit</i> | <i>No retest – unless the PLC decides to offer one</i> |
| <i>Pre-AP & Honors</i> | <i>1 Retest or 1 cumulative 9 weeks exam (replace lowest summative grade)</i> |
| <i>Level</i> | <i>2 Retests or 1 Retest and 1 cumulative 9 weeks exam (replace lowest summative grade)</i> |

Dress Code (Respect for yourself and others)

We expect students to arrive at school dressed appropriately and ready to learn. We do not want any issue to delay this process. We expect shirts to be of appropriate length so that midribs and undergarments are not seen. We also expect shorts/pants/skirts/dresses to be of a length to cover all undergarments as well as extend past the length of a student's fingertips.

It is essential that school guidelines be such that an atmosphere of learning is created. It is impractical to list every possibility of dress and grooming. It shall be the responsibility of the professional staff to determine the appropriateness of attire for all school occasions. Dress regulations should discourage the extremes and the fads that may lead to distractions of the educational process. Such regulations will provide appropriate standards for the general appearance of students, foster good physical and mental health, and encourage students in appropriate dress habits. The faculty and the administration will enforce the policy governing dress and grooming uniformly. All students have the

responsibility to wear clothing that contributes to their own health and safety as well as those of others. The following policies have been reviewed, enhanced and approved by a Site Based Advisory Committee. Membership on the committee included students, parents, faculty and members of the community. Students are required to be clean and well groomed, and their dress must be modest and non-distracting to everyone in the educational community.

As clarification of the previous policy, the following examples of dress are considered inappropriate:

- Extreme hairstyles (i.e. Mohawks, multi-colored hair, etc.) and/or styles that are disruptive or distracting to the educational process are prohibited.
- Hats/bandanas/hoods and/or headbands (not used to hold back hair) may not be worn, by boys or girls, inside the building. Students should not have hats/bandanas in their possession during the school day. If brought into the building, they must be stored in the student's locker or backpack. Hats/Hoods worn in the building will be taken up and can be claimed by the parents or returned to the student at the end of the school day.
- Sunglasses are not to be worn in the building.
- Dog collars and spikes cannot be worn.
- Blouses or shirts of see-through material without appropriate shirt or blouse underneath are not permitted.
- All shirts/blouses must cover the shoulder and fits snug under the arm so undergarments are not exposed.
- Tops exposing midriffs, back area or cleavage are prohibited.
- Clothing with pictures/writing that has a double meaning are prohibited.
- Clothing, badges, and/or tattoos, which display obscenities, sexual innuendo, depict violence or weapons, advertise or promote alcoholic beverages, narcotics, tobacco, or other prohibited substances, or items that could be viewed as offensive to others are not permitted.
- Clothing of any type that is shorter than mid-thigh of the individual, whose clothing is in question, is not permitted. Slits on skirts/dresses may be no higher than mid-thigh length. Holes and/or tears in clothing that falls within the mid-thigh rule is prohibited.
- Spandex clothing and leggings including yoga pants are to be worn with outerwear that is at least mid-thigh in length.
- Chains of any length or size (including wallet chains) are not allowed.
- Shorts can be worn all year. The school administration will review the appropriateness of shorts each nine weeks. If it is deemed that there has been disregard of the dress code guidelines outlined earlier in this policy, the privilege of wearing shorts may be revoked.
- Pants are not to sag inappropriately. Pants must fit at the waist.
- Shoes with wheels, rollerblades, skateboards, or scooters are prohibited.
- All students shall wear shoes for health reasons.
- Body piercing that is distracting is inappropriate for school related activities. Gauging of the ears is not allowed. Piercing of the eyebrows, eyelids, forehead, scalp, cheeks, lips, tongue, chin, or neck is prohibited.
- Sleepwear (pajamas, slippers) is not permitted for school clothing.
- Trench coats, dusters, ponchos, etc. are not allowed to be worn on campus.

The principal (or designee), in conjunction with the sponsor, coach, or other person in charge of an extracurricular activity, may regulate the dress and grooming of students who participate in the activity. If the student's dress or grooming is objectionable under these provisions, the principal (or designee) shall request that the student make appropriate corrections.

A minimum of one after school detention will be assigned for a student out of dress code. If the student refuses to correct the dress code violation, the principal (or designee) shall notify the student's parent or legal guardian and request that person make the necessary correction. If both the student and parent or legal guardian refuses, the principal (or designee) may take further appropriate disciplinary action. The student may be suspended for a period of time determined by the principal (or designee) for violations of the dress code. If the dress code violation cannot be corrected immediately, the student may be placed in ISS until the end of the school day or suspended.

Absence from class due to inappropriate dress or grooming will be counted as unexcused. Repeated violations may cause additional appropriate disciplinary action to be taken.

The In-School Suspension (ISS) class has specific dress requirements as part of that disciplinary assignment. Dress parameters are outlined in the Discipline Management section of this publication. Students will be reminded about the requirements at the time of the ISS assignment.

Dress Code regulations for students are in effect for all student activities.

Parent Discussion Item: Please discuss with your child the importance of meeting the dress code. It is important for students to understand the focus they should have at school and the atmosphere that they need to help create. It is important that students be respectful of themselves and others in regards to their dress. Research shows that the nicer someone dresses, the better their performance and attitude as it relates to their self-image and performance. In the end, our goal is to help students prepare for their future. Work environments require a standard of dress whether it is a uniform or standard guideline for work dress. It is important for students to understand the different levels/types of dress and what is appropriate for the specific activity/job/presentation/special days/etc.

Self-Advocacy

We strongly encourage students to deal with and solve their own issues. We ask parents and students to first talk with the person closest to the issue (i.e. teacher). Parents/students should then proceed to the Counselor/Assistant Principal and then to the Associate Principal if you feel that the issue is still unresolved.

Parent Access (PAC)/Electronic Communication

Please take the time to register for a PAC account on the main CISD web page <https://pac.conroeisd.net/> this allows us to e-mail you information periodically to help keep you informed as well as you having access to attendance and grades. Please make sure that your email and phone number is up to date with the school and on your PAC account. This will allow you to have the parent newsletter e-mailed to you. TWCP can also now be found on Facebook or you can follow us on Twitter.

Other School Information

School Website

Please take the time to visit TWCP website at <http://twcp.conroeisd.net/>, it contains a variety of information that may be helpful. All announcements are posted as well as a parent newsletter e-mailed every week.

School Athletics/Clubs/Activities

Club and activity information will be announced for students during the first few weeks of school. Numerous activities will begin before school starts or as it begins. It is important for students to make sure that they are aware of deadlines and dates of events in order to participate. **Please note that all students wishing to try out for or participate in a sport/band must have a CISD physical form completed and signed by an M.D. before the tryout takes place.** Physical forms can be accessed on-line through the CISD website under Parents/Students and on-line forms. The announcements will be posted in the commons and on the school webpage for convenience.

Activity and Club Information:

A variety of clubs and activities will begin as school starts. ***Please check out our school activities page on our website at: <http://twcp.conroeisd.net/campus-life/clubs-activities/> for future announcements and newsletters concerning meetings and opportunities.***

Athletic and Team Information:

All athletic and team information can be found on our school website at <http://twcp.conroeisd.net/athletic-department/>

PTO

TWCP PTO is very active and plays an important role at College Park. All parents/staff are encouraged to support our school and join the PTO to help expand the educational opportunities for our students. Strong parental support will continue to make TWCP even better so please help if you can. Please check out the PTO [website](#) for information concerning the many volunteer opportunities available.

TWCPHS – Administration

Principal:

Dr. Mark A. Murrell

Academy of Science and Technology Headmaster:

Dr. Debra Creel

Associate Principals:

Dr. Sue Hersperger – Curriculum and Instruction

Clint Holden – Administrative Services

Melanie Davis- Operations

Assistant Principals:

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| <i>Robert McKnight</i> | <i>A</i> | <i>-</i> | <i>Cas</i> |
| <i>Lee Koslosky</i> | <i>Cat</i> | <i>-</i> | <i>Fle</i> |
| <i>Richard Price</i> | <i>Flf</i> | <i>-</i> | <i>Hug</i> |
| <i>Brandy Robbins</i> | <i>Huh</i> | <i>-</i> | <i>Mas</i> |
| <i>Chris Allen</i> | <i>Mat</i> | <i>-</i> | <i>Pl</i> |
| <i>Alexandra Lammers</i> | <i>Pm</i> | <i>-</i> | <i>Sot</i> |
| <i>Ashley Johnson</i> | <i>Sou</i> | <i>-</i> | <i>Z</i> |

Counselors:

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| <i>Christina Flores</i> | <i>Lead Counselor</i> | | |
| <i>Mary Lou Florian</i> | <i>College and Career</i> | | |
| <i>Laura Hollis</i> | <i>Freshman</i> | <i>A</i> | <i>- Kl</i> |
| <i>Sarah Kelly</i> | <i>Freshman</i> | <i>Km</i> | <i>- Z</i> |
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Key Dates for the 2023-24 School Year

| Date | Event | Date | Event |
|------------------|---|-----------------|---|
| July | | January | |
| 10 | Parking website Opens | 2 | Teacher Workday No Students |
| 27 | Summer Graduation @ Woodlands Church 7 pm | 3 | School Resumes/1st day of Spring Semester |
| 28 | 9-12 Student Orientations 9am-3pm | 5 | Report Card Sent via PAC |
| 28 | Camp Cavalier 5-8:30pm | 11 | Parent Info Night – Incoming 9th 6:30 pm |
| 31 | Parking website closes at 7 p.m. | 15 | School Holiday |
| 31 | 9-12 Open Orientation 4-7pm | 25 | Parent Info. Night Upperclassmen 6:30pm |
| August | | 25 | Progress Report – UIL Regain |
| 3 | Parking Tag Distribution 3-5:30pm (gym) | 26 | Pep Rally & Neat Pep Rally |
| 4 | Parking Website re-opens | February | |
| 7 | Open House/Meet the Teacher 5:30 - 7 | 1 | “CP Showcase” Class/Course fair |
| 9 | First day of school | 10 | ACT Test Date |
| 17 | Virtual Open House 6 pm | 15 | Progress Report – UIL Regain |
| 21 | Senior Lighting 6:30 | 16-19 | School Holiday |
| 28 | Sr. Parent/Financial Aid Info. Night 6:30pm | March | |
| 31 | Pep Rally “Aloha” | 5 | School Holiday |
| 31 | Progress Report | 8 | End of 3 rd 9-weeks – UIL Determination |
| September | | 9 | SAT |
| 4 | School Holiday | 11-15 | Spring Break |
| 7 | NO HOMEWORK NIGHT | 22 | Report Card via PAC |
| 9 | ACT Test Date | 29 – Apr 1 | School Holiday |
| 11 | 9 th /10 th Parent Info Night 6:30 pm | April | |
| 13 | Homecoming Pep Rally – Market Street | TBA | College Knowledge-TWCP |
| 15 | Homecoming Football Game 7 p.m. | 6 | ACT Test Date |
| 16 | Homecoming Dance 8:30 – 11:30 | 9 | English I and II STAAR (EOC) |
| 18 | Junior Parent Information Night | 9 | Sr. Meeting with Dr. Murrell |
| 21 | Progress Report – UIL Determination | 11 | Progress Report – UIL Regain |
| October | | 15 | NO HOMEWORK NIGHT |
| TBA | CISD College Night-Lonestar Conv. | 16 | Biology (EOC)/SAT |
| TBA | ASVAB | 23 | Algebra I/US History EOC |
| 5 | Pep Rally “Pink Out” | 26 | Prom/Panoramic Picture |
| 5 | End of 1st 9-weeks – UIL Determination | 30 | Honor Graduate Breakfast |
| 5 | NO HOMEWORK NIGHT | May | |
| 7 | SAT Test Date | 2 | Progress Report |
| 6 & 9 | School Holiday | 4 | SAT Test Date |
| 13 | Pep Rally: “Rock the Woods” | 6-17 | Advance Placement Testing Senior Awards 6:30 |
| 13 | Report Card Sent via PAC | 13 | Senior Sign Day |
| 20 | Pep Rally: “Clash of the Classes” | 14-17 | Senior Exams |
| 21 | ACT Test Date | 16 | Senior Awards |
| 25 | NO HOMEWORK NIGHT | 17 | Senior’s Last Walk 9:07 |
| 26 | PSAT/TSI/ACT at TWCP | 20 | Final Exams begin Full Day (9-11) |
| November | | 21-23 | Final Exams Early Release |
| 2 | Progress Report – UIL Regain | 23 | Last Day of School |
| 4 | SAT Test Date | 23 | Graduation at Pavilion 7:30 pm |
| 5 | Pep Rally “CP Roundup” | 23 | End of the 4 th 9-weeks/Last Day of School |
| 7 | No School – Staff Development | June | |
| 20-24 | Thanksgiving Holiday | 1 | SAT |
| December | | 2 | Report Card via mail |
| 2 | SAT Test Date | | |
| 4 | Progress Report – UIL Regain | | |
| 5-7 | STAAR (EOC) Re-test | | |
| 9 | ACT Test Date | | |
| 12 | Semester Exams begin full day | | |
| 13-15 | Semester Exam Early Release | | |
| 15 | End of second 9-weeks/Early Release UIL Determination | | |
| 12/18-1/1 | Winter Break | | |

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