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A Message From the Parent Coordinator:

On behalf of our Principal, Robert Gentile, I would like to thank all the parents and guardians who participated in our Parent Retreat on March 9.

The yearly event took place at the Edith Macy Conference Center in beautiful Briarcliff Manor. A really engaging workshop dealing with Empowering Choices, Value of Time, Building Relationships and Different Perspectives was conducted by Mitch Fleiss. Our thanks to Mr. Fleiss for teaching us valuable life skills.

This entire day was offered without cost to our parents.



Important Dates

Monday, 4/8-4/12

Wednesday, 4/10

Thursday, 4/11

Friday, 4/12

Monday, 4/15

Tuesday, 4/16

Wednesday, 4/17

Thursday, 4/18

Monday, 4/22- Friday, 4/26

Monday, 4/22

Tuesday, 4/23

Wednesday, 4/24

Thursday, 4/25

Tuesday, 4/30

Wednesday, 5/1

Multicultural Week

SLT Meeting—Library 5:00 pm

Mid-Term—Mathematics

Mid-Term Art/Music

Mid-Term Science/Health

Multicultural Festival—Auditorium 5:30 pm—8:00 pm

Mid-Term English

Mid-Term Foreign Language

PTA Meeting—6 pm—Library

Career Night

College Office trip to Stroudsburg University

College/Career Week

College Swag Day

Tuesday Tutoring

Professionalism & You Workshop

College Fair

Career Night-Business/IT/Finance

Senior Trip to Orlando, Florida, Return 4/29

Tuesday Tutoring

Options Fair—Career Office

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FROM THE COLLEGE OFFICE

Thursday, April 18th: Legal & Law Enforcement Career Panel and Trip to East Stroudsburg:

This will be our 4th career panel of the year. Students have the opportunity to meet real professionals working in a variety of roles in our city.

Marina and Mr. Argiro have organized a trip to visit East Stroudsburg University in Pennsylvania. 50 juniors and accepted seniors will be attending.

Tuesday, April 23rd: Professionalism and YOU Workshop

During 9th Period, we will host an interactive workshop to help students develop professionalism and think about how they are presenting themselves in interviews, applications and on the job. Sign up in B-10

Wednesday, April 24th: College Fair during 3rd, 4th, & 5th periods

Over 50 admissions counselors will be in attendance.

Thursday, April 25th: Meet the Professionals: Business, IT, and Finance Career Panel

This will be our 5th career panel of the year. Students have the opportunity to meet real professionals working in a variety of roles in our city.

Friday, April 26th: Summer Planning Day

Students can stop by the Career Office in Room B-10 during their lunch period for cookies and to get help researching summer opportunities, completing applications and practicing for interviews.

Maribel Cesar was recently accepted into New York University's Higher Educational Opportunity program and was awarded over \$44,000 in grant and scholarships

Taranjit Bhatti was recently accepted to Syracuse University and was awarded over \$46,000 in grants and scholarships.

Tuesday Tutoring

Ask your Guidance Counselor for details.

The College Office offers free SAT Study Group every Monday & Wednesday during 9th period in Room 305. Juniors are encouraged to attend.



Congratulations to:

Ricardo Tochmani who was accepted to Lafayette College in Pennsylvania & awarded nearly \$53,000 in grant and scholarship money. He was also accepted to Hunter College's Macaulay's Honors Program. And to Janil Barillas who was awarded over \$38,000 to attend Union College in Schenectady, New York. Both students were also Posse Scholarship finalists.



Colleges Attending Our College Fair

Adelphi, Barnard, Baruch, Borough of Manhattan CC,
 Brooklyn College, Cedar Crest College, College of New
 Rochelle, College of Staten Island, CUNY Central Office,
 Dowling College, East Stroudsburg University, Emmanuel College, Fair-
 leigh Dickinson, Five Towns College, Hampshire College, Hofstra,
 Hunter, John Jay, Johnson & Wales, Juniata College, Ketuka College, Lafa-
 yette, LeMoyne, LIU– Brooklyn. LIU-Post, Macaulay Honors College,
 Marymount Manhattan, Medgar Evars, Mercy College, New York
 Institute of Technology, NY College of Technology, Penn State University,
 Queens College, Rutgers, St. Francis, St. John's, St Thomas Aquinas,
 SUNY Albany, SUNY Brockport, SUNY Fashion Institute of Technology,
 SUNY Oswego, SUNY Purchase, SUNY Stony Brook, University of
 Bridgeport



16 HSHP juniors were selected to participate in **Per Scholas**, a program committed to preparing students for careers in Information Technology. On 2/26 students were given a free laptop for their dedication and hard work. Students have been studying personal budgeting , professional expectations and basic computer literacy skills. This summer students will participate in a 7 week course to become certified in IT Strata Fundamentals in preparation for paid internships with NYC Information Technology professionals during their senior year. By the time they graduate, these exceptional HPHS students will also have a certification in customer service and will be assisted by **Per Scholas** in finding employment.

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A.P. Science

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A.P. Social Studies/Spec Ed

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A.P. English/ESL/Foreign Language

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Guidance Staff

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