

High School Announcements: Wednesday, March 13, 2024

State Assessment Schedule

Exemption (due this Friday): Policy [IKA-R-TCA](#) states that the parent/guardian may request that their child be exempt from participating in one or more state assessments.

- **Online exemption form/survey [Secondary Exemption Form \(link\)](#) is due by Friday, March 15, 2024.**

Digital Readiness Sessions: To begin with juniors this week on school devices followed by 9 and 10.

Students will check into Bluebook (the digital testing platform) and perform a pre-check prior to April testing.

Schedule: The PSAT9, PSAT10, and SAT (now in digital format) will be administered on school-managed devices.

- Due to limited devices at TCA, we will be administering these tests over the course of two days for 9th, two days for 10th, and 1 day for 11th graders.
- The CMAS (7,8, and 11th grade) will still be a paper-based test and administered in 6 mornings for 7th, 9 mornings for 8th, and 1 day for 11th graders.
- Click [HERE](#) and scroll down the page for a detailed JH/HS testing schedule: At tcatitans.org – Family tab – “Secondary State Assessment”.

Secondary English Curriculum Review

It is curriculum review time at the secondary for our English courses and we want your input. Over the last 8 months our secondary English teachers have been working hard reviewing their curriculum and for some courses the teachers have presented their case for new literature. All the new books that are up for consideration will be available for you to look at and evaluate from March 13th – March 22nd. Books will be available in the North High School office. The same evaluation form that the teachers use will be available for your use as well. We look forward to your input.

YEARBOOK ORDERS: We have a limited number of **Extra** yearbooks available online at www.yearbookordercenter.com using our code 7879. There is a list of current orders outside the high school office and you can also check an order status at the same link. **LAST DAY for online orders of extra books is March 16.**

YEARBOOK CALL For Spring Pictures

The high school yearbook staff is seeking pictures in the following areas **by April 5th**

- Spring sports (baseball, girls soccer, track and field, girls golf)
- Outside of TCA sports / activities (swimming, hockey, lacrosse, bowling, dance, tennis, mens volleyball, rock climbing, hiking, etc)
- Spring travels
- MORP, Senior Lock-In, etc
- Send photos to www.hjeshare.com (code=tcatitans all lowercase.)

PI Day

On Thursday, March 14th, staff and students are welcome to wear TCA Pi Day shirts. Uniform is still required for the bottom of the outfit.

SENIORS PROM Court Voting

First Ballot is now open. Log into IC to complete the voting survey. Deadline 3/17.

Mandatory First Time AP Student Meeting

Wednesday March 20th during flex 1030am in the Auditorium

Senior Green Cord

Forms are due to Cade Cheshire by March 20.

Titan of the Year – Call for Nominations!

Have a favorite teacher or staff member who has made a difference in you or your child's life this school year? If so, nominate them for "Titan of the Year!" This special award is given annually to a teacher or staff person who embodies the mission, values, and spirit of TCA. To submit your nomination, simply click [here](#) to fill out the form or go to the front page of TCA's Website! **DEADLINE to Submit is March 21, 2024, at 3pm!**

Senior Lock In

Friday, March 22, 2024

7:00pm – 1:00am

TCA FULL TIME Traditional High School TCA Seniors Only

- Payment & Liability Form DUE Sunday, March 17th, 2024.
- Click link to sign up: [Lock In Liability Form 2024 | WaiverFile](#)
- Check In begins at 7pm. Students must arrive by 7:30 pm and will not be allowed to leave the building until 1:00am.
- Fill out the liability form first. At the end you will click on the CONTINUE button. You will then be directed to the payschoolsevents.com link to purchase the ticket.
- You must have a parent/guardian signature EVEN if you are 18!
- All payments are non-refundable, except in the case of the event cancellation due to weather.

Upcoming High School STUCO Sponsored Events:

Juniors & Seniors - Prom: Friday, April 12th, 8pm – 11pm.

- Click link for TCA Prom Dress Code: [PDF Prom Dress Code 23-24 SY.pdf](#)

SENIORS: MANDATORY Graduation Info Meeting

Must be attended by the Senior Student and 1 parent.

Monday, April 29, 2024 - 5:30pm – 7:00pm – Brown Center

SENIORS: MANDATORY Graduation Practice

Senior Student only

Thursday, May 23, 2024 - 1:00pm – 4:00pm – Brown Center

Activities Announcements

Wednesday, March 13, 2024

Track & Field vs TBD @ TCA
400pm JV Meet

Thursday, March 14, 2024

Baseball vs St. Mary's @ TCA
400pm Varsity

Friday, March 15, 2024

Girls Soccer vs Pueblo West @ TCA
430pm JV
630pm Varsity

Saturday, March 16, 2024

Track & Field vs TBD @ Dutch Clark Stadium
TBD Varsity Banana Belt
TBD JV Banana Belt
Baseball @ Wellington High School
1200pm Varsity
230pm JV

Knowledge Bowl

Congratulations finishing 2nd in our division and 4th in State.

**The ANNUAL BANDS CHILI DINNER IS THIS SATURDAY, March 16
NORTH GYM 4:45 Dinner and music begin at 5pm!!**

Please join us on Saturday at TCA North campus gym for an evening of great music, great food, great community gathering, and some great goodies.

As always, our students will perform for us throughout the dinner. Our headliner group is the Academy Jazz Ensemble, featuring 2 of our own HS administrators!!

In our silent auction, we have some unbelievable items for grabs, such as Starbucks tumblers with surprise goodies inside, starting at \$20. We also have items from Corwin Toyota, Veda Salons, AMC Theatres, Texas Roadhouse available for bid, and so much more!!! Please join us on Saturday - Silent Auction begins at 4:45 and Dinner begins at 5. Hope to see you there!!

Get your tickets here - <https://www.payschoolsevents.com/events/details/32401>


TCA's Theatre Department

One Acts on March 13th thru 16th at 6:30 pm and March 17th at 2:30 pm. The One Acts will be performed in the black box and the seating is general admission. Come early to reserve your seat. Tickets are \$6.00. You can purchase the tickets at <https://www.payschoolsevents.com/events/details/31688>

Choir Concert

The high school choir will be performing their next concert , All That Jive on Tuesday March 19th. There are two concert times at 5:45 pm and 7:30 pm. For ticket information please contact Sam Cicalone at scicalone@asd20.org

Connections Center Announcements

THIS WEEK Seniors: A reminder that the required 30 hours of community service and 3 papers are due by this **Friday, March 15**. Hours and papers are logged in using the Community Service (x2VOL) link. If you need help, refer to this  Senior Community Service Hours Helpful Hints.docx sheet or stop by Connections.

In the Community/Virtual

Sunday, March 24 and April 21, 11:00 am – 4:00 pm – Spring NACAC Virtual College Fairs, Virtual fairs are free to attend

Upcoming Events in Connections

Thursday, March 14, 10:30 – BINGO