

# Important Information for ALL Grades

\*\*\*Please note, the information listed below is exclusive to students that have been approved to attend Edison Fall 2019. This includes students that live in the Edison attendance boundaries and magnet transfers.\*\*\*

Schedule Pick Up, Power School Access

- Schedule Pick Up for students will be August 12<sup>th</sup> 8:00 AM-5:00 PM and August 13<sup>th</sup> 9:00 AM 6:00 PM,
- All parents are strongly encouraged to establish a PowerSchool account. This is the most effective and
  reliable means to receive communication about your student's academic progress.

### Counselor Availability

Counselors will be available beginning August 13th and should be contacted via e-mail.

- Rachel Adams student last names A-G <u>adamsra@tulsaschools.org</u>
- Janet Stalcup student last names H-N <u>stalcja@tulsaschools.org</u>
- Mary Whelan student last names O-Z whelama@tulsaschools.org

### Suggested Summer Reading

ALL students regardless of their level of English course are strongly encouraged to maintain their strong literacy skills by reading. Please visit the Edison webpage to view suggested readings at <a href="https://edison.tulsaschools.org/students">https://edison.tulsaschools.org/students</a>

### Suggested Mathematics Skills

ALL students are strongly encouraged to continue to work on their mathematics skills over the summer. ALL students should login to their Kahn Academy account and work on skills for the next sequential math course. This account is FREE and all students have access at <a href="https://www.khanacademy.org/math">https://www.khanacademy.org/math</a>

### College and Career Readiness Resources

### My Big Future

All students should have a My Big Future (<u>www.bigfuture.org</u>) account. This is a great time to create/manage/update your FREE account and take advantage of great activities and resources to be college and career ready!

## Sophomore -Class of 2022

- Oklahoma's Promise
- This is the LAST opportunity for you to register for Oklahoma's Promise. Please visit <u>www.okpromise.org</u>. • Testing
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  - The sophomore year is a very busy year for testing. All sophomores will take the PSAT in October and three MAP exams throughout the school year. It is very important to do your best as these scores help us determine course alignment and sequential course of study that is right for students. ALL students are strongly encouraged to access their KAHN Academy account to practice skills for the upcoming PSAT exam.

### Juniors-Class of 2021

### Testing

 Juniors, the PSAT examination will be administered on October 30<sup>th</sup>. This is the qualifying year for National Merit status. You are strongly advised to log on to <u>www.collegeboard.com</u> to review the preparation materials and use your KAHN academy and use your personalized tutorial for the upcoming PSAT exam.

- Juniors will also have 2 End of Instruction Examinations in April. It is very important that you prepare well during the school year in order to successfully complete these examinations as the results will be part of the student's official transcript and a necessary component of graduation.
- All juniors will take the FREE SAT during the school day, during Spring 2020. This is an eligible college reporting score.
- Juniors are also encouraged to take the ACT during the junior year. Please visit the ACT website to determine registration dates at <u>www.actstudent.org/start</u>. Fee waivers are available from your counselor for all Saturday national testing dates.

### Seniors-Class of 2020

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- \*\*\*Graduation Requirements\*\*\*
  - Foolproof/Personal Financial Literacy
    - This State of Oklahoma graduation requirement has to be satisfied by August 1<sup>st</sup>, 2019. Students that are in jeopardy of not completing this requirement will not be able to pick up schedules, register for and/or participate in any senior related activity. If you need technical assistance or help with login information contact Mrs. McAnany at <u>mcanara@tulsaschools.org</u>
  - o CPR
    - Hands only adult CPR instruction is another graduation requirement. Students have two options; complete a CPR course on your own and submit a copy of your certificate to your counselor OR beginning in August visit the Edison webpage and sign up for one of our FREE sessions.
- Academic Reminder

This is not a year for you to lessen the rigor in your class schedule. We are strongly encouraging all seniors to have registered for the ACT or SAT by September 2019. Additionally, we are recommending all students that are planning on attending college in the fall of 2020 to apply for admissions during the early action deadline. Many colleges/universities will begin accepting applications July 1<sup>st</sup>, 2019.

#### Oklahoma's Promise

If you qualify for Oklahoma's Promise you must have satisfied all of the required courses and have earned a GPA of a 2.50 in the core subjects and cumulatively. Please visit <u>www.okpromise.org</u> to view specific eligibility requirements. *IT IS THE STUDENT'S RESPONSIBILITY TO COMMUNICATE THEIR STATUS WITH THEIR COUNSELOR.* 

### Oklahoma Academic Scholars

Student qualifications for Oklahoma Academic All-State must achieve an ACT score of a 27 or SAT of a 1220 by October 2019 with an unweighted cumulative grade point average of a 3.7. See other specific qualifying criteria at <u>http://www.ok.gov/sde/academic-scholar-recognition-program</u>

College application process

- The application process opens July 1<sup>st</sup>. Students are strongly encouraged to begin the process this summer. You are able to submit your application materials even though you haven't taken or feel confident in your ACT or SAT score.
- Campus Visits, summer is a great time to take the campus tour! Please visit your CAPPEX and BIG FUTURE accounts for great tips