

Welcome to Mountain High



This is our goal for your child!

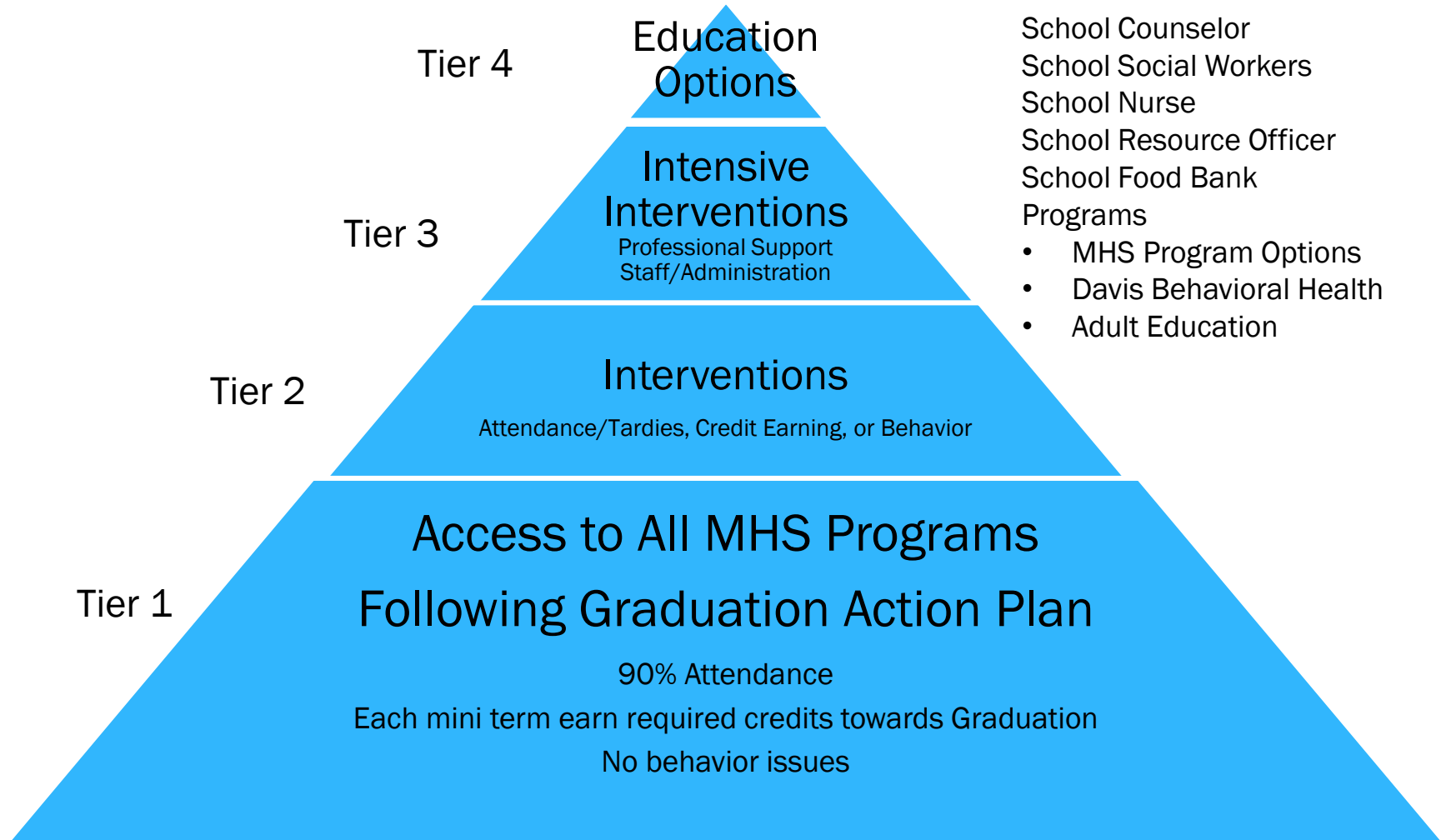
Enrolled

Enlisted

Employed

Pyramid of Interventions

Principles
Resources
Mindset & Culture



Program Overview

Quick Start ALL Students
2020-2021

Students must attend and successfully complete the entire Quick Start week!

- Quick Start 1
- August 26- September 1



.25 Credits will be awarded for successful completion of all required components of Quick Start when the parent and student attend the Graduation Planning meeting with the counselor.

Program Overview

8 Mini-terms and
Credits

Credit Earning Programs

- ❑ 8 mini terms
- ❑ 8 classes M-Th
- ❑ 3 classes Friday
- ❑ Satellite after-school
- ❑ Work-based Learning
- ❑ DTC

Mini-Term Credit

| | |
|---------------------------|--------------|
| Mon-Thu 8 classes | 1.0 |
| Friday 3 classes | .125 |
| Mini Term REQUIRED | 1.125 |





Bell Schedule

MON-TH SCHEDULE

| | |
|-------------------------|---------------|
| 1 st Period | 8:20 - 9:05 |
| 2 nd Period | 9:08 - 9:53 |
| 3 rd Period | 9:56 - 10:41 |
| 4 th Period | 10:44 - 11:29 |
| 5 th Period | 11:32 - 12:17 |
| LUNCH | 12:17 - 1:00 |
| 6 th Period | 1:00 - 1:45 |
| 7 th Period | 1:48 - 2:33 |
| 8 th Period | 2:36 - 3:19 |
| 11 th Period | 3:30 - 5:00 |

3 minute passing time!

FRIDAY SCHEDULE

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|-------------------------|---------------|
| 9 th Period | 8:20 - 9:55 |
| 0 Period | 9:58 - 10:42 |
| | Advisory |
| 10 th Period | 10:45 - 12:20 |
| Teacher Consultation | 12:20 - 12:40 |
| Lunch | 12:20 |

DTC SCHEDULE

AM Session 8:00-11:00

OR

PM Session 12:00-3:00

DATC PM Student Lunch 11:29-12:00

Breakfast & Lunch served at Canyon Heights

➤ Some Students will be REQUIRED/ ASKED to attend Satellite Program for Credit

- There is not enough room in day school to complete all core credits
- Student wants to earn additional credit to qualify for DTC
- Earn credit to graduate early

Period **11** will be assigned to the student schedule.

UTA Bus Tokens are Available for Transportation

Students who do not complete their required credits **EACH MINI TERM** through Day School, Satellite, or other options may have a change of placement /education options.

Additional Credit Opportunity

Advisory Bonus Credit

Read an advisory bonus credit book from the list and write a “perfect” essay using the writing prompt and grading guide for an additional .125 credits each mini-term.



Academic Success



Progress is a WEEKLY measurement of student achievement.

- 1. Academic Progress** means 80% in all of their courses.
 - Students who do not achieve at 80% or higher will not receive credit/grade until they demonstrate proficiency.
- 2. Attendance** means students have attended 90% during the week.
- 3. Tardies** means students have less than 2 tardies for the week.

- ❑ The Graduation Plan is designed to meet the all the requirements to graduate on-time.
- ❑ Credit progress is reviewed weekly in Advisory.
- ❑ Students who are not progressing towards their Graduation Plan are not likely to graduate on time.
 - ❑ Require additional coursework in Satellite –after school.
 - ❑ Other Education Options.

More Structure, Not Less!

Academic Recognition

- Gown Signing Ceremony

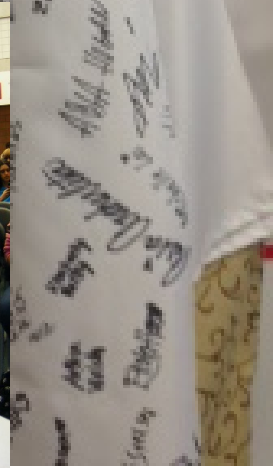
Students with on track for graduation credits may sign the “Commit to Graduate” Gown and receive a Mountain High School filigree tag!

- Academic Recognition Reception

One reception each semester by teacher invitation

- End of Mini Term recognition Assemblies

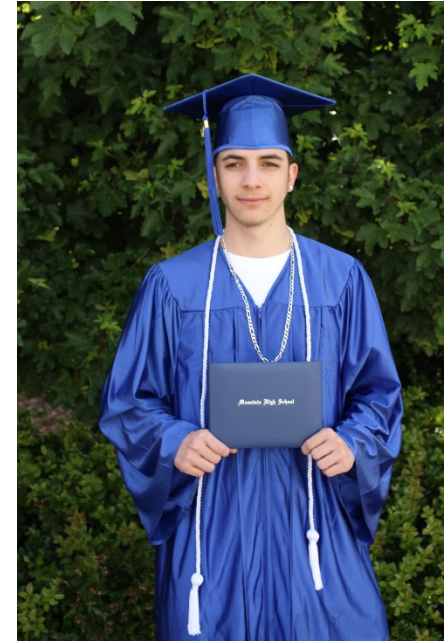
- Attendance
- No Tardies
- Credit Earned



Diploma and Graduation

Diploma Options

- ❑ 27 Credit Mountain High School Regular High School Diploma
- ❑ 24 Credits Mountain High School Regular High School Skill-enhanced Diploma
With successful DATC/college coursework
- ❑ 24 Credits Davis District High School diploma



Adult High School Diploma or GED are available through Davis Adult Education located at the Canyon Heights Community Learning Center.

Graduation Honors

- **Medallion:** Graduating students with at least 3 mini terms of perfect attendance or with no tardies will be recognized and awarded a Mountain High Medallion.
- **Honor Cords:** Students may earn a gold, silver, or white honor cord.
- Gold Academic Honor Cord
- Silver Career Honor Cord
- White Character Honor Cord



Attendance

Be On Time

- ❑ Students with 9 tardies in a mini term will be issued a truancy with opportunities for truancy make up.
- ❑ Students who do not complete Truancy Make -up or receive more than 9 tardies in a mini-term may have a change of placement and will earn the truancy. Parents will be notified.
- ❑ 9 tardies may also result in a mandatory UA test.

Parents please call the MHS office on the day of the absence to inform the attendance secretary.

Be In Class

- ❑ 90% (no more than 2 absences) for every class during each mini-term.
- ❑ The third absence of the mini term **exceeds** our attendance policy.
- ❑ If any class is **missed 5 times** in a mini-term the student may not be able to earn credit and may have an immediate class change. Parents will be notified.

Students are required to check in or out of school with the office and have parent permission.

Students who consistently disregard the attendance policy may result in truancy and/or a change of placement.

- A student is truant when their absence is not authorized by a legal guardian or without official permission from a teacher or administrator in the school.
- A student's truancy count remains in effect throughout the school year. Truancy citations may also be given for:
 - ☐ not being in their assigned class during school.
 - ☐ leaving class without permission.
 - ☐ being out of class without a hall pass.
 - ☐ not checking out properly through the office.
 - ☐ 9 tardies in a mini term.

Citizenship Credit Make-up

Each option will clear 2 U's.

- Arrange for 4 hours after school to work with a teacher or custodian. Return form signed by teacher/custodian to the office.
- Take home a “Meals for U” and return form signed by parent/guardian to the office.
- Attend Parent Teacher **Conference** with your parent/guardian and sign the roll.
- Attend 6 hours of Satellite.
- Attend Parent Teacher Conference **Seminar** with your parent/guardian offered at each Parent Teacher conference and sign the roll.
- Additional options may be approved on an individual basis by administration.

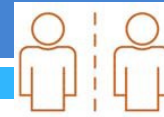
Davis Learns Together

Reopening Plan for Davis School District - Fall 2020

Hygiene Etiquette



Cloth Face Mask



Clean and Disinfect

Handwashing

Reinforce handwashing with soap and water for at least 20 seconds.

Hand Sanitizing

Stations will be available as students enter and exit building and classrooms, and before and after meals in the cafeteria.

Respiratory

Reinforce covering coughs and sneezes with a tissue or into your elbow. Discard tissue after one use.

Physical Contact

Reinforce physical distancing, including no handshakes, high fives, or hugs.



Stay Home When Sick

Stay Home When Appropriate

If you feel sick; stay home.

Monitor Symptoms

Students who present with COVID-19 symptoms during the school day will be isolated in a sick room until a parent can pick them up.

Accommodate High-Risk Students and Staff

A plan is in place to support alternative learning for self-identified high-risk students and to mitigate risk for self-identified high-risk staff.

Face Mask Etiquette

A cloth face mask will be provided to all employees and students.

Employees will be directed to wear face masks when physical distancing is not possible.

Students must wear face masks on school buses. Students are encouraged to wear face masks in other situations when physical distancing is not possible.

Visitors, non-regular staff, and volunteers will be required to wear face masks, have a temperature check, and complete a symptom checklist.



Physical Distancing

Layouts Modification

Classroom, cafeteria, and hallway setting will be modified to mitigate risk.

Playgrounds

Safety principles and physical distancing will be reinforced on playgrounds during recess.

Large Gatherings

There will be no group gatherings during the school day unless physical distancing can be maintained.

Cleaning Schedule

Custodial services will schedule increased routine cleaning and disinfection.

There will be regular cleaning and disinfecting of frequently touched surfaces within the school, on playground equipment, and on school buses.

Shared Objects

Sharing of items that are difficult to clean or disinfect will be minimized.

Backpacks in classrooms will be allowed to keep student's belongings separated from others.

Air Handling & Filters

Increase airflow throughout building and implement high efficiency filtration levels.



Designated COVID-19 Point of Contact - Each school will designate an administrator to be responsible for responding to COVID-19 concerns.

MHS Updates

- ∞ **Masks: Required by Health Department**
 - Required on busses, bring your own on the first day
 - Required in all classes and halls where social distancing is not realistic
 - MHS mask to be provided first day
 - \$0.50 for a temporary mask if forgotten
- ∞ **Social Distancing**
 - Follow signs around the school
 - Follow 6 feet rule
- ∞ **Device Checkout**
 - All students will get a cloud book on their first day
 - Contact Diana for a hot spot if needed
 - Sign myDSD Documents
 - \$20 Insurance is part of registration fees
- ∞ **School ID**
 - Worn at all times, color coded for each Group A or B
 - Will get 2 ID cards and a school lanyard, \$5.00 to replace ID card
 - New lanyard is \$1.00
- ∞ **Teacher Work hours**
 - 8:00-3:45 Monday to Friday

Drugs and Substances

- ❑ If you have any illegal substance or paraphernalia at school it becomes a police matter.
- ❑ Tobacco, E-Cigs are prohibited.
- ❑ Drug Test for Cause
 - ❑ If you are suspected of being under the influence of drugs or alcohol Mountain High
 - ❑ Drug Talk
 - ❑ Consistent tardy issues after lunch or during the school day
 - ❑ Truancy
- ❑ Drug test (UA) or alcohol test
 - ✓ ...if positive
 - ✓ Call parents
 - ✓ Change of Placement on contract
 - ✓ Drug Intervention program
 - ✓ Other school discipline

Stay clean and sober!

Bullying/Cyber-Bullying Harassment/Hazing

Mountain High does not tolerate bullying/harassing behavior in ANY form.

- Physical/verbal aggression, intimidation towards any student, faculty or guest
- Bullying/Harassing behavior away from school or online may result in legal and school disciplinary actions.
- School Resource Officer may be involved

- Monitoring uses of social media away from home are the responsibility of the students AND parents.
- No GANG posturing, attitude, intimidation, language, or symbols will be tolerated.

A person who is being bullied/cyber-bullied or harassed outside of school should report the harassment to their local police.

Dress Code

- ❑ No sunglasses in the building.
- ❑ No gang attire & no bandanas of any color.
- ❑ No midriffs, cleavage, halter tops, tank tops, short shorts/skirts, pajamas, bare feet or stocking feet. Clothing that is sheer must have an underlayer that meets dress code.
- ❑ No open, torn, ripped or excessively frayed clothing such that the holes show skin anywhere between mid thigh and shoulders.
- ❑ No offensive symbols or language on clothing.
- ❑ No clothing that implies or promotes drug culture or illegal substances or which displays sexually explicit words, messages, or pictures.
- ❑ No clothing or accessories that disrupt the school process.
- ❑ Cover any offensive tattoos.
- ❑ Cover your undergarments.

YES! This is school wear!



Personal Electronic Devices

Teachers will establish classroom rules and may choose to allow students to use personal electronic devices as a learning tool.

Students who violate classroom or school electronic device rules are subject to the school-wide policy and consequences.



School-wide Policy

1. Bullying, harassment, and harmful consequences of social media.
2. Illegal substances and practices.
3. Disruption of school/classroom.
4. At no time may electronic devices be used in restrooms. Students must leave cell phone in the classroom when requesting a hall pass.

- **1st Offense:** Device held in office for the day and parent notified.
- **2nd Offense:** Device held in office for (6) days. Parent must pick up device.
- **3rd Offense:** Device privileges suspended for up to 30 days or student change of placement.

District Provided Transportation

Privilege Not a Right

- ❑ District provided transportation is a privilege.
- ❑ Administration has authority to revoke district transportation privileges of any student for any given period of time as determined appropriate.
- ❑ One or more of the following actions will result in loss of bus privileges:
 - Violating Davis School District Safe School Policy
 - Ignoring repeatedly DSD Regulations Governing Pupils Riding Buses
 - Failing to comply with the direction of the driver or administrator

Students are transported under the authority of the driver.
Students are in the driver's classroom while on the bus.

- ❑ Mask must be worn at all times on the school bus.
- ❑ Parking pass is available for \$5.00 in the office.
- ❑ Bus transportation is RECOMMENDED and available. Check your MyDsd account for bus pick-up time and location.

How Can Parents Support Student Success?

Make SCHOOL a PRIORITY

- ❑ Schedule appointments and vacations outside of school hours or school days.
- ❑ Provide transportation to and from school. **School Bus is AVAILABLE for day school. UTA tokens are available for Satellite (after school program).**
- ❑ Call the MHS office on the day your child is absent to inform the school at 801-402-0450.

Recognize Academic Success

- ❑ Ask your child about their weekly progress every Friday.
- ❑ Communicate **by e-mail** with your student's teachers/advisor.

Support School Structure

- ❑ **Monitor student attendance and weekly progress @www.mhs.davis.k12.ut.us.**
 - ❑ Click on the My DSD link located on the top right of web page.
 - ❑ Email for Teachers/Advisor is available through the MHS web page.
- ❑ Attend Parent/Teacher conferences with student.
- ❑ Encourage “dress code” clothing to minimize disrupting your day for a clothing change.
- ❑ Attend the Individual Graduation Planning meeting with student and counselor.
- ❑ Communicate with school any concerns with your child that may impact his/her learning.

MYDSD 8 Forms to Electronically Sign

- ✓ Course Disclosure Form
- ✓ Math III Opt Out Form
- ✓ Media Consent Form
- ✓ Permission to Evaluate Form
- ✓ Policy Manual Form
- ✓ Parent Acceptable Use Agreement
- ✓ Bullying and Hazing Policy
- ✓ Student Data Collection Notice

Paper Forms to Complete

- ✎ Student Information Form
- ✎ Guardianship Status
- ✎ Family Questionnaire
- ✎ McKinney Vento
- ✎ Parent/ Guardian Consent Form
- ✎ Fee Waiver- Optional

✎ Final Check out:

- ✎ Turn in Completed Forms, Check MyDSD signatures, Submit payment.