

Back to School Night Cupertino High School

September 8, 2021

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Welcome and Introductions

Kami Tomberlain

Principal

Melina Nafrada

AP, A-F

George Bechara

AP, G-Le

Steve Puccinelli

AP, Li-Re

Jackie Corso

AP, Ri-Z

Interacting with the Webinar

Please do not raise your hand

Type questions into the Q&A box

Send feedback to

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(link available in Parent Portal of CHS website)

We will end the webinar by answering your questions

Community Statement

Cupertino High School is a community where all students should feel safe, welcome, and included. We are here to learn and support each other, seeing our differences as sources of strength and empowerment. We denounce racism and racial discrimination as well as all other forms of bias. We commit to speaking up.

Proud Pioneer Expectations

- **Work Hard**
- **Play Hard**
- **Be Kind**
- **Act Responsibly**

COVID Protocols

- Universal masking on campus
- Merv 13 filters in classrooms
- Maximum ventilation
- Testing on campus every Thursday
- Vaccine mandate (or weekly testing) for all staff
- Close contacts, isolation and quarantine procedures
- Send in vaccination status using IK-12 form

Updates on COVID cases on campus

- As of 9/8/21, we have 3 known students who have tested positive and are symptomatic.
- All 3 contracted COVID off campus.
- Last Thursday, several students tested positive using the rapid antigen tests. ALL of these ended up being NEGATIVE when testing using the more reliable PCR.
- Testing available at CHS on Thursdays.

Keep your children home

- If they are sick
- If they are waiting on a COVID test result (symptomatic or family member symptomatic)

If they leave school with any COVID-like symptoms, in order to return they need to show a negative COVID test or a doctor's note asserting there's another cause for the symptoms.

Keeping in touch with CHS

- Monday E-mail from the Principal with updates for the week
- Sign on to Schoology periodically to see what your students are learning
- Monthly webinars
- **Use E-mail to contact teachers and guidance counselors**
- Questions for us: use the Google Feedback form and we'll get back to you ASAP
 - <https://forms.gle/bK6fzXqu5NvtPY7v5>

Guidance Department and the College and Career Center

- All announcements from the CCC will be coming via Schoology messaging
- Be on the lookout for announcements re.: Financial Aid night, College Application workshops, parent information nights, grade level specific presentations
- The Guidance Office and CCC are open for students to drop in everyday
- Large scale presentations will all be conducted virtually until further notice

GUIDANCE & STUDENT SUPPORT

The purpose of the Guidance Program is to assist students with their academic planning so they can take full advantage of a range of options upon graduation from high school. FUHSD's Guidance Teams at each site generally include Certificated Guidance Counselors, College and Career Advisors and Administrators. These team members are often the first point of contact for students and families seeking information about FUHSD's high schools. The majority of guidance services are delivered through group presentations in the classroom or in evening presentations for students and their families. Guidance presentations occur throughout the year at each site with topics that include choosing a college and career, financial aid and course selection. The **Guidance team** is available to students and their families for individual appointments for support with:

- College to career planning (including a 4-year plan toward graduation);
- Facilitating positive, collaborative relationships with peers and teachers;
- Navigating the high school experience (including time management, involvement in extracurricular activities, self-advocacy, volunteer and internship opportunities); and
- Social emotional wellness.

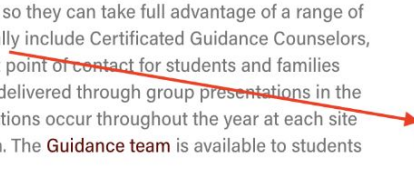
The College and Career Advisors are the point of contact for college representatives, military recruiters, volunteer and internship opportunities. They also organize our district's College Fair each fall. College and Career Advisors support Naviance, our district's college and career planning tool, which provides students with personalized surveys and customized career and college exploration resources.

Guidance Team

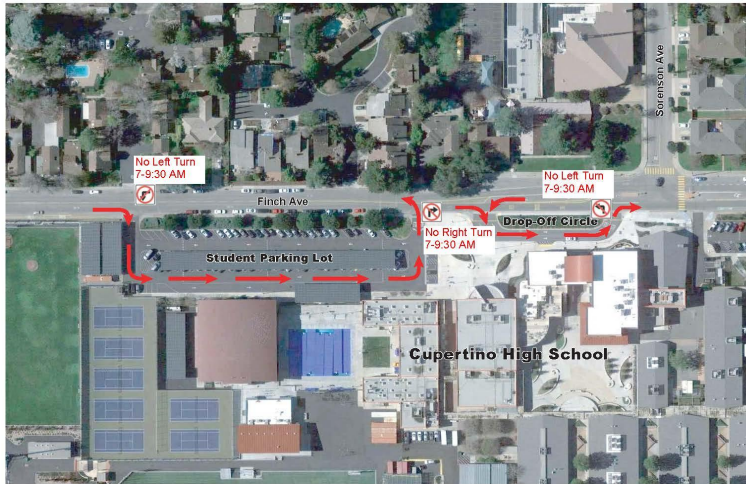
High School Planning

College & Career Planning

Student Wellness & Resources



Morning Drop-Off



Cupertino High School
New Traffic Restrictions - Fall 2016



- Thank you for providing a safe drop-off in the morning by following the guidelines.
- Drop off in the bus circle from Stevens Creek and exit right.
- Drop off in the Pool Lot from Tilson Ave and exit left.
- Please don't make u-turns on Finch Ave.
- Please don't use the bank lot.
- Please don't drop off in the street.

Technology Tips and Reminders

Schoology

- All parents have individual logins to view student progress (fuhsd.schoology.com)
- Email julia_hedstrom@fuhsd.org if you are unable to log in

1:1 Device Program

- All students are expected to bring fully charged device (personal laptop/Chromebook or school-issued Chromebook) and charger each day
- Encourage your student to charge overnight and keep device safe in backpack/locker

Ways to Get Academic Support

Tutorial

- Encourage your student to take advantage of tutorials to seek extra help from teachers and get work done
- Tutorial takes place 3x/week, 35 minutes

Student Center for Success

- Located in the library after school, 3:30 - 5 pm, Mondays through Thursdays
- Peer tutors and school staff are available to provide academic support
- Contact Nancy Boyle (nancy_boyle@fuhsd.org) and Pete Ciotta (peter_ciotta@fuhsd.org) for questions

AP Testing

- Registration for AP exams will be from 9/13-10/1
- Mandated by College Board for all AP programs
- Yes, we know it's super early.
- Cost is \$115 for regular format exams and \$125 for special format exams
- No late registration

Ways to get involved as a parent

- [PTSA--next meeting 9/28](#)
- SSC--need parents
- Booster Groups
- [Fremont Union High Schools Foundation](#)
- Volunteer

QUESTIONS

At this time, we will begin answering questions from the Q & A.