

# Welcome RAHS Students and Parents! Class of 2026

Ranked #3 High School in Washington State  
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April 2020



# PTSA

- ▶ <http://www.rahsptsa.org>
- ▶ Membership
- ▶ Volunteer Hours - dozens of ways to become involved
- ▶ Freshmen Breakfast
- ▶ Teacher Appreciation
- ▶ Ice Cream Social
- ▶ Grad Night
- ▶ School Picnic
- ▶ Constant Contact
- ▶ Most importantly...the auction



# RAHS 14<sup>th</sup> Annual Auction

- ▶ Our #1 Annual Fundraiser - 2019 raised over \$125,000
- ▶ The Museum of Flight - Date TBD
- ▶ 100% parent volunteer-driven
- ▶ Auction Volunteers Needed!
- ▶ Check our website for updates:  
<https://www.rahspotsa.org/fundraising>



# Stay Tuned In! Communication:

- ▶ NOTAM : (please make sure your email is correct)  
[RAHS Weekly Newsletter](#)
- ▶ What's happening this week
  - Weekly calendar
  - Announcements
- ▶ Principal's message
- ▶ Counselor Corner
- ▶ From the Career Center
  - Internship Opportunities
- ▶ ASB
- ▶ PTSA



NOTAM Class 04172022  
Raisbeck Aviation High School  
Weekly Student Announcements  
April 17, 2022

## Principal's Phoenix Flyers:

Hello RAHS Families and Communities –

This past week we were so excited for our Grade 10 students and staff to kick off their grade level Project with **King County International Airport**. We had a kick-off field trip last Monday and then welcomed our industry partners for an assembly and work sessions. Students will be partnering in teams to work on storm-water treatment and will be presenting their findings in a public forum in May. Thank you **Mrs. Johnson, Dr. Carmichael, Ms. Shin and Mr. Gudor** for kicking us off on this amazing learning opportunity!

We also welcomed **Duncan Aviation** on campus this week for a great presentation to our seniors! Duncan is the largest private-owned jet servicing company in the world and they are excited to partner with Raisbeck in preparing our students for a future in the many aviation related careers they have.

This week we also had the opportunity to host a **TedX Talk** at the **Museum of Flight**. It has taken many months of planning, preparation and working closely with the TED company to be able to offer this event – few public high schools get this same chance! I was truly honored to speak, alongside Nordstrom CEO **Erik Nordstrom** and well-renowned **Dr. Vin Gupta, MD**, a pulmonology specialist who has been featured prominently in national forums. A huge congratulations for pulling this production off without a hitch, goes out to **Interact President Leah Mathew**, along with members **Sachmitt Kaur, Tsiyon Solomon and Ruth Regassa**. The media lead **Clay Durbin**, did a fantastic job along with **Cap Linxweiler, Tin Pham and Elena Huh**. And finally, a big thanks to **Mr. Gudor** for set design and to **Interact Advisor Mrs. Olsen** for her unending guidance and support. Thank you also to all of the students, staff and guests who attended!

Have a wonderful week everyone.

*Therese Tipton*

## *What's Happening This Week:*

April 21 - Multi-cultural Assembly during Advisory

April 22 - Annual NHS Talent Show 5:00 p.m.

## *Upcoming Events:*

April 30 – Pathfinder Gala at MoF

# School Website:

- ▶ Visit our website often for up to date information
- ▶ [RAHS Home Page](#)
- ▶ Access the NOTAM
- ▶ Pay students fines/fees
- ▶ Access the School Calendar
- ▶ Contact:
  - ▶ [trish.mcguire@highlineschools.org](mailto:trish.mcguire@highlineschools.org)

The screenshot shows the homepage of Raisbeck Aviation High School. At the top, there is a red navigation bar with contact information (206-431-7200, 9229 East Marginal Way South) and links for SCHOOLS, FAMILIES, STUDENTS, and STAFF. The school's logo and name are prominently displayed. Below the navigation is a large hero image of two students working on a laptop, with a white text box that reads "Welcome to Raisbeck Aviation High School". A row of red circular icons provides quick access to various services: Bus Routes, Digital Tools, Emergency, Grades, Meals, Report a Concern, eFees, and Jobs. The "Upcoming Events" section features a "FULL CALENDAR" and a list of events for April, including a School Board Work Session on Human Resources Update (APR 20), a School Board Meeting (APR 20), an Early Dismissal (APR 22), and a Work Session - Comprehensive School Counseling Plan (APR 27). Each event includes a "Read More" link. Below the calendar is a "Year at a Glance" link. The "Latest News" section, titled "MORE STORIES", displays four news items with corresponding images: "Calling All Juniors and Seniors to Career Showcase" (FEB 25 2022), "RAHS Weekly Newsletter" (AUG 29 2021), "How Are We Doing?" (APR 10 2022), and "2022 Gold Star Winners" (MAR 25 2022).

# Campus Hours

- ▶ School Hours - 9:00 AM - 3:30 PM Monday through Thursday
- ▶ Early Release (Friday) - 9:00 AM - 1:30 PM
- ▶ If your student is not in an after school activity he/she can work on campus **in the commons** until 5:00 p.m. (3:00 p.m. Fridays) but we ask all students to be picked up by then.
  
- ▶ Office hours are 7:30 AM - 4:30 PM

Hours of Operation

# Attendance Policy

- ▶ Parent contact required for all absences and late arrival by phone, email or written note
- ▶ Call in for absences
  - ▶ 206-631-7217
- ▶ What if your child is sick?
- ▶ Off campus lunch privilege becomes available at the beginning of Junior year and ONLY with signed parent consent.
- ▶ Pre Arranged Absence Forms
  - ▶ Must be filled out two weeks in advance when possible

# HSD Transportation Request Form

- ▶ Highline School District families complete and submit transportation forms tonight or by Friday, May 13th
- ▶ Transportation for after school activities to be announced - for HPS boundaries only
- ▶ No before school transportation
- ▶ Out of district request can also be made if students can get to a bus stop
- ▶ Routes will be announced in late August





# Are you out of HSD district? Choice Transfer Request Form

- ▶ Done online for most school districts. Instructions for how to complete this form are in the packet you just received.
- ▶ The choice transfer request must be completed on an annual basis.
- ▶ Highline School District will notify the family when the transfer has been accepted.
- ▶ Out of district students are not officially enrolled until we have a Choice Transfer Request on file.
- ▶ RAHS Deadline is June 15th or before. Your students enrollment will not be accepted until this transfer has been completed.



# Online Enrollments: **Out of district**

- ▶ Done online. You have been given some instructions for how to complete this in your packet.
- ▶ First step is to complete your ParentVue registration. If you get a message telling you that you already have an existing account, call or email Debi Tranholt. Please don't move forward or you will make a duplicate account.
- ▶ The choice transfer request must be completed for enrollments to be accepted.
- ▶ Out of district students are not officially enrolled until we have a Choice Transfer Request on file.



# Online Enrollments: **In district**

- ▶ IF YOUR STUDENT IS CURRENTLY ENROLLED IN A HIGHLINE MIDDLE SCHOOL YOU DON'T NEED TO DO ANYTHING RIGHT NOW! Your students enrollment will roll over to RAHS.
- ▶ If you live in district, but have never enrolled a student in a Highline school or program, you will need to set up your ParentVue account to complete the enrollment.
- ▶ If you have ever had a student or have a sibling currently enrolled in the district, you may need to re activate your ParentVue account. Please contact Debi Tranholt for your activation code.
- ▶ You will not be able to select Raisbeck Aviation HS as your school of choice. You will need to select the intended high school your student would be attending in your neighborhood. If your unsure, please see directions in your packet.



# Course Requests & Registration

## Directions:

- ▶ Core required courses: Aviation English, Human History, Physics of Flight, Aviation Careers (.5) and Intro to Aerospace (.5) Students are automatically placed in these classes.
- ▶ Students will rank top 5 choices for electives; students will have 1 year-long or 2 semester long electives. Spanish 1 is an elective.
- ▶ Math: placement based on recommendation from 8th grade math teacher
- ▶ PE: students can begin hours in September; students will register through Advisory
- ▶ Band at Highline High School: see next slide

# Highline Band

- ▶ Will take place at Highline High School - you do not have to be a HHS resident to join
- ▶ Registration will take place first day of class at HHS
- ▶ Student must have transportation to HHS, but a bus will bring all students back to RAHS in time for 1<sup>st</sup> period
- ▶ 7:00 a.m. - Jazz Band (for those who want to participate in Jazz band, they are also required to be in Symphonic Band)
- ▶ 7:45 - 8:20/25 - Symphonic Band (Highline students won't start symphonic band until 8:00 but instructor will start teaching Aviation students at 7:45.



# Dress Standard

## Maintaining a Professional Culture

- ▶ Business Casual - Monday through Friday
  - ▶ Chino/Khaki style pants, slacks or jeans in good repair
  - ▶ No rips, tears or holes
  - ▶ Collared shirts - polo, blouse or button down; no visible graphics
  - ▶ Skirts/dresses; no leggings unless worn under a dress or skirt
  - ▶ Knit tops and blouses or sweaters (no tee shirts)
- ▶ No hats or other head coverings unless religious wear
- ▶ No Athletic wear, sweats or track wear
- ▶ No shorts

Acceptable outerwear: (must be in dress code underneath the outer wear) Jackets, sweaters, full front zip-up/quarter zip style RAHS sweatshirts or college/university sweatshirts. RAHS or college/university crew neck sweatshirts are also acceptable ONLY if a collar shirt is displayed underneath. Collar must show.



# Get Involved!

- ▶ Join a club or team
- ▶ Participate in Spirit Weeks
- ▶ Participate in class gatherings/LINK Crew
- ▶ Sign up for a mentor during sophomore year
- ▶ Apply for an internship - when qualified
- ▶ Purchase a yellow shirt!
- ▶ Run for office
- ▶ Attend dances and other events
- ▶ Join in spirit-week activities



# Laptop -Our 1:1 Environment

- ▶ Distributed 1st week of school
- ▶ Personal Laptops are OK but at your own risk
- ▶ All District Policies will be followed
- ▶ Technology Use Forms must be on file prior to receiving laptop
- ▶ Returning HPS students will need to know district username and password
  - ▶ Non HPS students will receive their log in from our technology specialist 1st week of school





# Museum of Flight Campus

- ▶ Automatic membership as an RAHS student; students must have their ID card displayed at all times
- ▶ The Museum of Flight is considered part of our campus for field trips
- ▶ Teachers will arrange field trips throughout the year
- ▶ Two major events at MoF - PTSA Auction and Pathfinders Gala



# Upcoming Events **UPDATE**

- ▶ Kick off Event with the Blue Angels Flight Team - usually first Friday in August
- ▶ Freshman Orientation - Week of August 22
- ▶ Registration day - Week of August 22
- ▶ The PTSA potluck - TBD
- ▶ The First day of school - Thursday, September 1



upcoming  
events

# Q & A

- ▶ If you have questions later, please email our office manager, Trish McGuire at [trish.mcguire@highlineschools.org](mailto:trish.mcguire@highlineschools.org)
- ▶ Or call 201-631-7200



# Thank you for Attending

- ▶ Course Selection Directions
- ▶ Turn in transportation form
- ▶ Visit student clubs and teams

