



Every Fox Needs a Den. **Welcome to Yours!**

A message from your principal, Dr. Travis



I hope this update finds you well.

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Next week, individual student schedules will be made available on the Home Access Center. If you are unable to see your student's schedule on the Home Access Center it is likely that you have not completed the new or returning student registration process. As of this writing, 1,950 out of 2,114 returning students (92%) have successfully completed the registration process! We still have 164 students that have not completed the process, yet. Families still needing to complete this process should log in to Home Access Center and complete the returning registration on the enrollment tab. **If you need additional assistance or for more information, please contact us at 630.553.4380 ext. 5358.**

Building a master schedule for over 2,200 students who select from nearly 200 individual course options is always a challenge. Our Student Support Service team does an outstanding job each year, however there are always some challenges that our team will attempt to resolve. If this applies to you, families should reach out to their child's counselor with any questions regarding their student's schedule. Please refer to the **Student Support Team caseload matrix** included later in the update, if you are unsure of your student's counselor.

Make sure you circle **Thursday, August 24th** on your calendars— **you don't want your student to miss the first day of school!**

Please know that we are still here to help, so any families who may need assistance can either stop by between the hours of 7:00 - 3:00 or reach out to our main office at 630.553.4380.

Included in this update:

- Key Important Dates for Release of Information - **old item**
- 23-24 Returning Y115 Student Registration - **old item**
- Student Parking - **old item**
- Freshmen Physical Requirement - **old item**
- Senior Vaccination Requirement - **old item**
- Fall Sports Registration - **old item**
- YHS Athletics Season Passes On Sale Now - **new item**
- Fall Athletic Kick-off events - Save the date! - **new item**
- New students to Y115? Come take a guided tour of YHS/A - 8/16 - **new item**
- Open Campus Self-Guided Tours - 8/18 (8:30 - 11:30) - **new item**

- Freshmen Transition Program - August 23 - **old item**
- Main Campus (Upperclassmen) - Open Campus Visit - August 23 - **old item**
- Save the date - Curriculum Night 8/30 - **old item**
- We are here to serve - Student Support Services - **new item**
- Off-Campus Privileges - **new item**
- Locker Request - **old item**
- Pre-Order your 23-24 Yearbook Now! - **new item**
- **Hey Seniors** - purchase your Senior Yearbook Ads! - **new item**
- Did you order a 22-23 Yearbook? - **new item**
- **Job Fair** - Whitsons School Nutrition - 8/10 (11a.m. - 2 p.m.) - **new item**

In addition to my weekly email updates, I encourage everyone to follow us on [Twitter](#) and “like” our [Facebook](#) page to learn about all the great things happening at YHS. We have so many great things happening—so don’t just FOLLOW but SHARE our FOX PRIDE within our community—help us build our following!

As always, if this update raises questions, please ask. Thank you for all that you do—it does not go unnoticed or unappreciated. Have a great day and a fantastic summer! **GO FOXES!**

With **PRIDE**,
Dr. David S. Travis



Estimados padres hispanohablantes, Aquí en Yorkville High School queremos que todas nuestras familias tengan la información necesaria para apoyar y ayudar a sus hijos. Si necesita información sobre nuestros procesos, nuestra programación, o las oportunidades disponibles para sus hijos o si tiene alguna pregunta se puede comunicar con las siguientes personas en español. Sra. Noemi Terrazas – Consejera escolar de Yorkville High School @ nterrazas@y115.org or (630) 553-4380 ext 4241

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Key Important Dates for Release of Information

As a means to ready our families for the start of the school year, listed below are some tentative dates that we will release the following information:

- 23-24 Student Schedules will be available on the Home Access Center on **August 11.**
- Parking Permit Applications can be accessed via the Student Payment Portal - due **August 11th.**
- Bus Route Information will be posted on the Home Access Center on **August 18.**
- Parking Permit pick-up in the YHS Sports Lobby on August 18th from 8 am-12 pm and **August 22nd** from 12-3 pm.
- First Day of IVVC Attendance - **August 21.** *Families participating in IVVC programming should expect direct communication from IVVC the week of August 14*
- First Day of Student Attendance - **August 24.**

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Student & Staff Salute

2023-2024 Returning Student Registration

Returning families are expected to complete the on-line registration process. I would like to extend my gratitude to the over 1,800 families that have already completed the online process—WAY TO GO! Families still needing to complete this process should log in to Home Access Center and complete the returning registration on the enrollment tab. **If you need**



Student Parking

In order to park on school property, students must have a parking tag for an assigned parking space. To be eligible for a parking tag, students must complete a parking application and pay the required fees, which can be found in the Student Payment Portal on the Yorkville District #115 Registration Homepage.



All of the following items must be submitted prior to receiving the parking pass:

- Completed Application with parent and student signature
- Copy of student driver's license
- Copy of CURRENT insurance

A copy of the student's driver's license and insurance can be submitted electronically to Dloos@y115.org or in-person during parking permit distribution.

How do I turn in my parking application? Applications must be completed online through the Student Payment Portal. The parking application must be completed by **August 11th, 2023** to be entered into the lottery.

How do I get to choose my parking spot? This year we will be assigned Seniors on lot preference, followed by Juniors and Sophomores.

When do I pick up my parking permit? Parking permits will be distributed in the Athletic Lobby at Yorkville High School on Friday, **August 18th from 8:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.** or **Tuesday, August 22nd from 12:00 p.m.-3:00 p.m.** to students or guardians with a valid photo ID.

No parking permits will be given to students or guardians without a valid photo ID.



Hey Freshmen

As a reminder, all students entering 9th grade must have a medical physical exam on the [Certificate of Child Health Exam form](#) (spanish) and updated immunizations on file by October 1, 2023, to avoid being excluded from school. (A sports physical does not meet this requirement). Appointment dates will not be accepted. Additionally, all 9th grade

students must have proof of a dental exam on file by May 15, 2023. Here is the [proof of dental examination form](#) (spanish) that must be submitted. If you have any questions, don't hesitate to contact the Building Nurse at Yorkville High School Academy, **Arlene Anderson**, at 630.553.4385 ext. 4925. Please don't delay, do it today!

Hey Seniors

As a reminder, all seniors must show proof of having had the meningitis vaccine for school attendance this year. Seniors must have at least 1 dose of the meningitis vaccine after their 16th birthday. Additionally, as you were notified previously, proof of having the vaccine is required in order for students to complete the registration process. If your student has already had this vaccine

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and you have not yet turned in proof, please contact YHS building nurses Mary Feldott at mfeldott@y115.org or Jennifer Dryden at jdryden@y115.org. If your student has not had this vaccine yet, please do so ASAP— **don't delay, do it today!**



Upcoming Events

Fall Sports Begin on Monday, August 7th!

Fall sports begin this Monday, August 7th. Registration for fall sports is open on the [athletic website](#)! All student-athletes must be registered online and have a pre-participation [physical](#) evaluation on file with the Athletic Department. Physicals are good for 395 days and copies should be turned in directly to the athletic office or emailed to Jen Dickson at jdickson@y115.org. There is an \$80.00 athletic participation fee charged per sport, per athlete. Payments are collected online after teams are set in the fall.



Athletic All Sports Passes on Sale Now: YHS Season Passes are on sale out of the Athletic Office for \$75.00 per pass. Passes are sold directly out of the Athletic Office (cash or check only). Please contact Jen Dickson at jdickson@y115.org if you are interested in purchasing a [season pass](#). Go Foxes!

We hope to see you at one of the following home events to kick off the 22-23 year!

Thursday, August 10th
Boy Golf at Blackberry Oaks 7am
Girls Golf at Whitetail Ridge 7am

Monday, August 14th
Girls Golf at White Tail Ridge 4pm
Boys Golf at Plainfield North Invite 12pm

Tuesday, August 15th
Girls Golf at Blackberry Oaks 4pm

Wednesday, August 16th
Girls Golf at Blackberry Oaks 4pm

Thursday, August 17th
Varsity Girls Tennis at Kaneland; JV home 4pm
Boys Golf at Blackberry Oaks 4pm
Red/White Girls Volleyball Scrimmage 5pm

Friday, August 18th
Red/White Soccer Scrimmage 4pm
Red/White Football Scrimmage 6pm

TO ALL OF OUR NEW STUDENTS & FAMILIES, WELCOME TO Y115/YHS!

New Student Tours - Wednesday, August 16th; 9:00 - 11:00 AM

Any new student to Y115/YHS has an opportunity to take a guided tour of the main campus (10th - 12th grade) or the Freshman Academy (9th grade). This is a great opportunity to familiarize yourself with the layout of the school. This program is for families new to Y115 school district, not for returning y115/YHS students.

Welcome Back Y115/YHS - Visit Campus for all STUDENTS & FAMILIES

Open Campus - Friday, August 18th; 8:30 - 11:30 AM

All students and families are welcome to take a self-guided tour of both campuses. This is a great opportunity to walk your schedule, check out your locker (if requested), and get a general feel of the campus before the first day. Plus, you can pick up your ID in the Sports lobby.



Hey Freshmen...

We are hosting our annual Freshmen Transition Experience (for students only) on **Wednesday, August 23, 2022, from 1:00 PM-**

3:00 PM at our freshmen campus (YHSA). All incoming freshmen are expected to attend this event, which allows students to familiarize themselves with the high school and discover what it takes to succeed as a high school freshman. 9th-grade students in the Life and Academic Skills Program are welcome to attend as well! Please note that we will share specific information and expectations for the event as we get closer to the date. Unfortunately, we don't provide a bus service, so families must provide transportation. If you have any questions, feel free to reach out to Joe Fornell at jfornell@y115.org. Don't miss it!



Hey Upperclassmen...

We didn't forget about you. The YHS main campus will be open on **Wednesday, August 23, 2023, from 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM** to give our upperclassmen the opportunity to find their classrooms, walk their schedules, meet their teachers, and check out the building. We hope this helps!



Curriculum Night - August 30th

Wednesday, August 30th - YHS invites our families to our annual Curriculum Night at 6:00 PM. Families will get to follow their student's C-day schedule, personally connect with each of your student's teachers, and tour the campus. **You don't want to miss it - We hope to see you here!**

Notes to Note

We are here to serve ~ get to know your Student Support Services team!

YHSA (9th Grade)			
Joe Fornell Dean of Students jfornell@y115.org 630-553-4380 x 4113			
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Sarah Pottinger Field Experience spottinger@y115.org 630-553-4380 x 4241			
Kendall Sims College & Career Counselor ksims@y115.org 630-553-4380 x 6649			

*Department Chair & covering until new counselor starts 8/21/2023

Off-Campus Privileges 2023-2024

Earlier this week, an email went out to all parents or guardians of qualifying Junior and Senior students eligible for Off-Campus Privileges. If you have not done so already, please fill out the Off-Campus Parent Permission Form if it was sent to you and use the unique code sent in the original email to serve as the parent signature. In order for a student to be eligible for Off-Campus Privileges, academic, attendance, and disciplinary requirements from the 2nd semester of the 2022-2023 school year must be met. [Please refer to the Off-Campus Privilege Information Document](#) for more information on these requirements. Sophomores and will have the opportunity to earn OCP after the first quarter if they have met the requirement; and freshman after 1st semester. If you have any questions or concerns please reach out to the Dean's Office at (630) 553-4380 ext. 4056.

Lockers

Lockers will be issued through the Dean's Office for the 2023-2024 school year. While lockers are available for all students, students will only be assigned lockers upon request. **Please use [this linked Google Form](#) from the Dean's Office to request a locker for next year.** Any student wishing to request a locker must do so by **Friday, August 11th.**

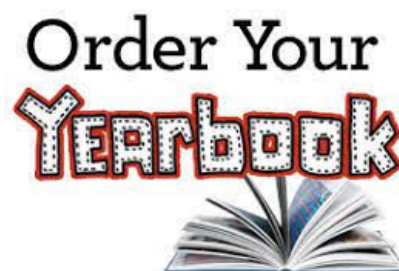
Hey Parents, PRE-ORDER your 2024 YHS yearbook now!

Pre-orders are available from August 4, 2023 until June 1, 2024 OR until we sell out. Books cost \$65 UNTIL NOVEMBER 1.

Guarantee a book for your student by placing your order early!

You can pre-order in one of TWO ways this year:

1. Visit www.yearbookforever.com and search for "Yorkville"
-- we are listed as Yorkville Community High School.



Here, you can place an order for a book and other additions, including personalization of your book with a Namestamp or iTag. This site also allows you to purchase a senior ad.

2. Visit the Y115 payment portal to order your yearbook. [Use the link here](#), and make all of your Y115 payments at once! No personalization or senior ads will be sold through the [Y115 payment portal](#) -- this is for books ONLY.
3. **We SOLD OUT of 2023 yearbooks and have a wait list for extras -- CONSIDER ORDERING YOUR BOOK NOW so that you guarantee a copy!!**



SENIOR parents - Celebrate your student with a personalized ad! Makes a great gift!

Are you interested in commemorating your student in a unique way this year? **Consider purchasing a senior ad!** Senior ads allow you to select a 1/8 or 1/4 page slot in the yearbook and feature your own photos and message to your senior. Please [check out this four minute video](#) to learn more about senior ads! **Senior**

ads are available for purchase until June 1, 2024. Reach out to Mrs. Calder at kcalder@y115.org for more info. Senior ads MUST be purchased through www.yearbookforever.com.

Did you order a 2022-2023 yearbook?

Books will ship in mid-September and be available for student pick-up at Yorkville High School. 2023 graduates may pick up their books from the main office once books arrive. Please have your student listen to announcements and watch for fliers with info about yearbook distribution. NO BOOKS will be available for purchase if you missed out on a pre-order -- you MUST contact Mrs. Calder at kcalder@y115.org to be added to the wait list, and being on the wait list does NOT guarantee you a book.



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