POP NEWSLETTER HOWARD HIGH SCHOOL

WE ARE ALL IN - ACADEMICS/ARTS/ATHLETICS/LEADERSHIP

DR. LATOYA SMITH, PRINCIPAL

Mr. Markcus L. Lawson, Assistant Principal Mr. John Hankinson, Assistant Principal Mr. Grant Bray, Dean of Students

WEEK OF APRIL 3, 2023

MSGT U. LANKFORD, TEACHER OF THE YEAR 2024











HOWARD HIGH SCHOOL

We Honor the Pack!



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WE ARE ALL IN!

BIBB COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT

HOWARD HIGH SCHOOL HUSKIES

Howard HS 84.5% GRADUATION RATE 2022



AS WE WRAP UP THIS YEAR'S DIGITAL CITIZENSHIP AWARENESS MONTH, THIS WEEK'S FOCUS IS HOW TO BE BALANCED:

"Boosting your digital well-being is not all about learning to give up your favorite subreddits or going cold turkey with your Instagram habit. Instead, you should aim to make your device use positive and purposeful."

Read more:

https://www.reviewstudio.com/blog/digital-wellbeing-and-how-to-find-balance-online/#DigitalHuskies #Built4Bibb #LeadingthePack

UPCOMING EVENTS

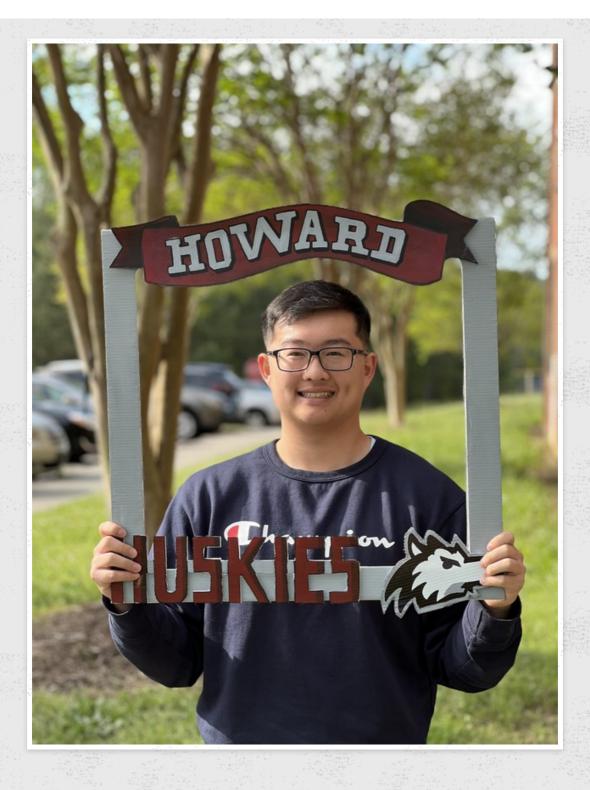
GEORGIA MILESTONES ASSESSMENT SYSTEM - (April 20-May 3) School Library Month (Month of April) Administrative Professionals Week (April 24-29)

CELEBRATIONS!

M. ZHANG GOVERNOR'S HONOR PROGRAM - MATH DESIGNEE

Congratulations to our newest Governor's Honor Program for Math Designee, Mr. Zhang! He is the 3rd Husky in the last few years to win this honor! For winning he gets to attend a 4-week program at Georgia Southern University this summer.

#HuskiesCalculate #Built4Bibb #LeadingthePack



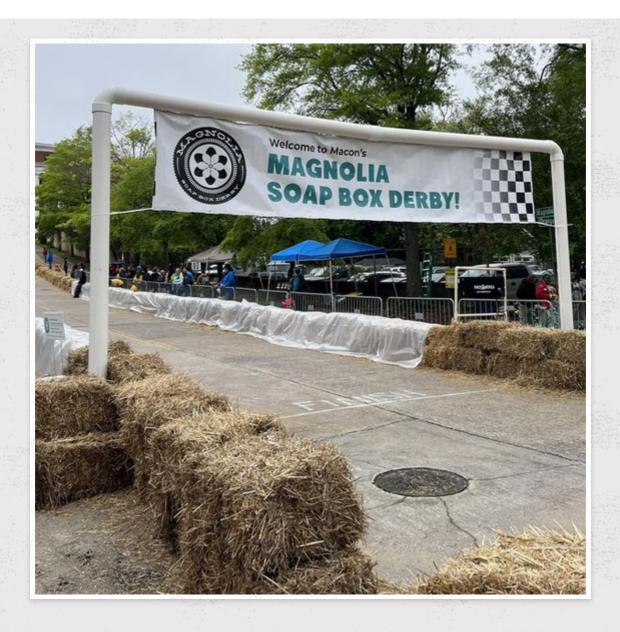
GEORGIA RIVER OF WORDS POETRY CONTEST WINNER!

P. Aka was named one of 4 Category IV (grades 9-12) State Winners for the 2023 Georgia River of Words Poetry Contest with his poem "Words Flow." This poetry contest is sponsored by the Georgia Environmental Protection Division's Georgia Project WET. According to the River of Words press release, "There were over 1,900 entries from Georgia this year and the State judging was very difficult." Aka's poem will be displayed at the 2023 Georgia River of Words Exhibition in May, and his poem will be featured in the 2023 Georgia River of Words Award-Winning Student Environmental Poetry and Art publication. Congratulations!



MAGNOLIA SOAP BOX DERBY!

Air Force Uno placed 2nd in the <u>Magnolia Soap Box Derby!</u> Team Bullet Bill (#6) needs your vote for best in the show: https://magnoliaderby.com/vote/steam/
#HuskiesRace #FlyFlightWin #LeadingthePack









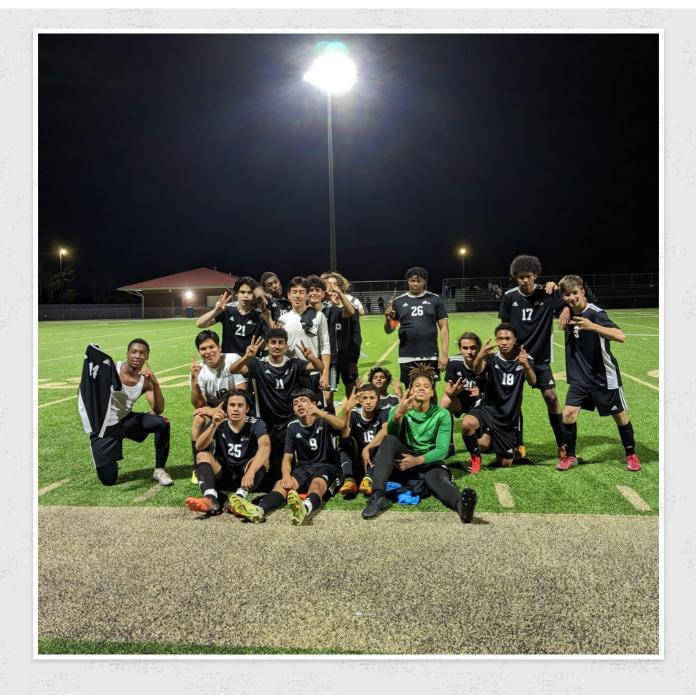
W.A.R. DAY #2

W.A.R. Day #2. We would like to thank our Superintendent <u>@dan_a_sims</u> for coming this morning and watching our guys work!!! <u>#GATA #ALLIN</u> W.A.R. <u>@howardhshuskies</u> <u>@BibbAthletics</u>





BOY'S SENIOR NIGHT WIN



The boys' soccer team played Westside on their Senior* Night, and got a win! Please congratulate the following players when you see them:

- M. Hugley
- Z. Delcid
- G. Rosado
- E. Zebley*
- P. Patel*
- S. Diez
- M. Martinez
- C. Sneeder
- C. Valverde
- A. Banks
- C. Douglas*
- M. Tyson
- V. Zhurala
- K. Vocke

ANNOUNCEMENTS

SENIORS, NOMINATE CANDIDATES FOR PROM KING AND QUEEN

Nominate with the link below:

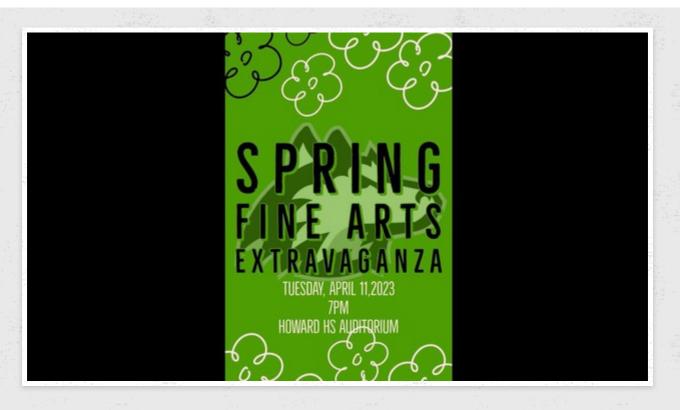
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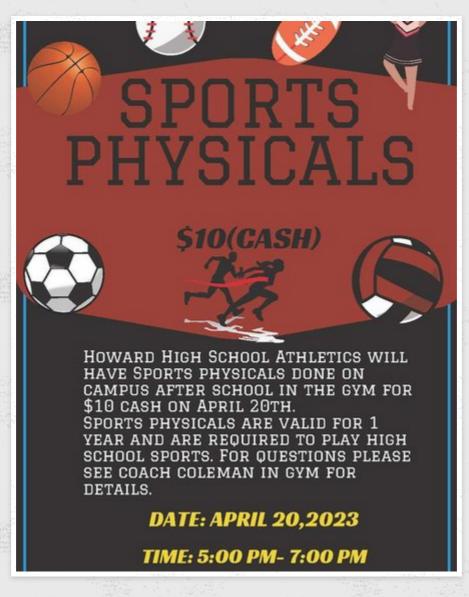
PROM DRESS GIVEAWAY

Senior girls, listen up! If you would like a FREE prom dress, please drop by Ms. Fincher's room, room 132, to view the dresses. Dresses range in sizes and colors. First come, first serve. Get them now so you will have time for alterations!



SPRING FINE ARTS EXTRAVAGANZA





The Paw Print

Literary Magazine

Requirments for all entries!

- Must be your original work
- Must have a title
- 1900 word limit
- Types of entries include short fiction, poetry, or one act plays
- Type in a Word document using Times
 New Roman / 12 point Font. Prose is
 Double Spaced. Poetry may be spaced according to the desire of the poet.
- Put your name, English teacher, grade level,
 type of entry, and title at the top of the page
- No cover sheet needed
- Email your Word document (not PDFe) to your English teacher by [Friday, April 21 st







The Bibb County School District, Griffith Family Foundation, Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Incorporated Epsilon Omega Omega Chapter, Communities In Schools of Central Georgia, and Michael Buckholtz present the

Second Annual District
"Social Justice: Silence
No More" Poetry Slam



Bernd Elementary Leadership Academy Staff and Friends

Presents

The Wiz

Date: April 28

Tíme: 6:30 p.m.

Place: Douglass Theater

Donation: \$10.00

For more information and tickets call 478-779-2750.



Computer Science

High School Programming Contest April 15, 2023

are searching for up to 20 teams of high school students from Central Georgia to compete in a fun and challer outer programming contest to be held on Mercer's Macon campus on April 15, 2023. Read over these details a team, and apply today!

What: High School Programming Contest - A Free Event sponsored by:

Middle Georgia STEM Alliance, 21st Century Partnership, and the Middle Georgia Innovation Projection

When: April 15, 2023 10am - 2pm

Where: Willet Science Center, Mercer University, Macon GA

Who: Up to 20 teams, each consisting of up to 3 high school students

Programming Environment: Teams will be required to program using Replit.com

(Create a free account ahead of time and practice using its IDE.)

Programming Languages: C, C++, Java, JavaScript, Python (request others)

Contest Problems: Teams will be given a set of 6 challenges of varying difficulty to solve with code.

Scoring: Teams will earn points for each challenge they complete. The more difficult the challenge, the more points it will be worth. In the event of a tie, the team that completed the challenges in the shortest amount of time will be declared the winner.

Awards: First, Second, and Third place awards will be given. Everyone gets a free T-Shirt!

Travel: You will be responsible for your travel to and from Mercer on April 15, 2023.





NEW CLUBS FOR HUSKIES

JOIN ONE OF OUR NEW CLUBS!

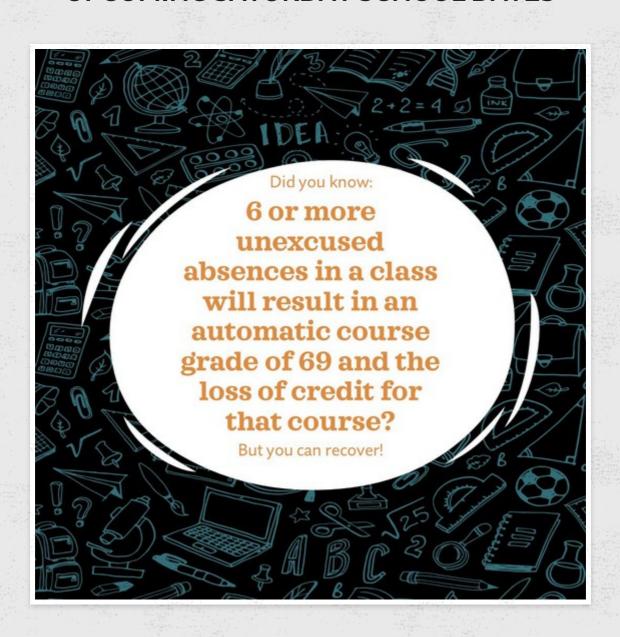
Robotics: Friday after school, Room 502

Drone Club: Thursday after school, Room 502

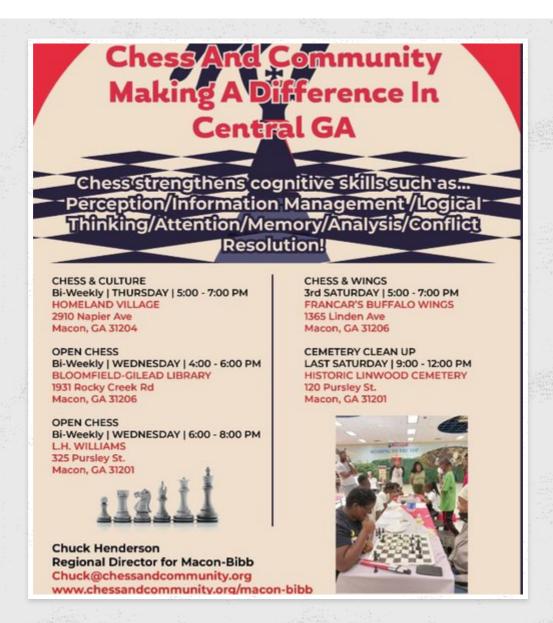
Chess Club: Tuesday after school, Room 501

Tabletop Role Playing Games: Thursday after school, Room 107

UPCOMING SATURDAY SCHOOL DATES







MERCER UNIVERSITY SUMMER SESSIONS READING AND WRITING



SUMMER SESSION

Reading & Writing Skills and College Prep Programs



Reading and Writing Skills Programs for Entering 6th, 7th, and 8th Graders

In these single-grade programs, students learn to read twice as fast. You'll become a stronger reader, with better comprehension in fiction and nonfiction.

You'll expand your vocabulary and learn how to take good notes. You'll improve your writing skills so that you can communicate your ideas clearly.

As a result, you'll get your homework done more quickly and easily, get better grades, and feel more confident as a student,

Reading and Writing Skills Programs for Entering 9th and 10th Graders

In these single-grade programs, students double their reading speed. You'll improve your comprehension and your focus in fiction, nonfiction, and textbooks.

You'll become a stronger writer, so you'll be able to communicate ideas more effectively. You'll also expand your vocabulary and learn the best way to take notes.

As a result, you'll complete homework more quickly and easily, get better grades, and build confidence as a reader and writer.

College Prep Program for Entering 11th–12th Graders and College Freshmen

In this program, you'll learn the skills you need to succeed in high school and college. You'll double your reading speed and improve comprehension, recall, and focus.

You'll icam time management and study strategies that will help you complete work efficiently. You'll also become a stronger writer and learn how to take effective notes.

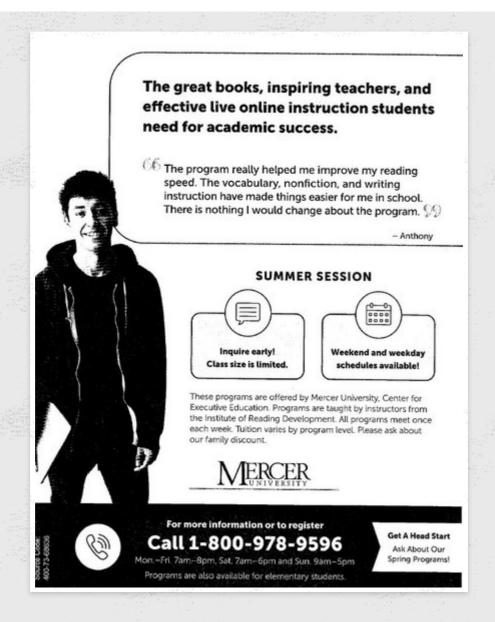
As a result, you'll approach every school assignment with confidence. You'll get schoolwork done faster, get better grades, and score higher on exams.

For more information or to register

Call 1-800-978-9596

Mon.-Fri. 7am-8pm, Sat. 7am-6pm and Sun. 9am-5pm Programs are also available for elementary students. Get A Head Start

Ask About Our Spring Programs!



PARENT ENGAGEMENT

GRE4T PARENT PERSONALIZED LEARNING (PL) BOOTCAMP ATTENTION ALL PARENTS February 22, 2023 9:00am-10:00am & 5:00pm-6:00pm We invite you to join us for our Parent PL Bootcamp. Your school is implementing personalized learning in classrooms as a participant in the GRE4T Initiative. A key metric for March 22, 2023 student success is parent and community familiarity with 9:00am-10:00am & 5:00pm-6:00pm personalized learning. This parent session will guide you in understanding: · What personalized learning is. April 19, 2023 Why it can be a fundamental component of your student's success. 5:00pm-6:00pm How you can implement strategies at home. "Personalized learning can make every students future GRE4T!"

COMMUNITY NEWS/EVENTS/UPDATES



MACON'S MENTAL HEALTH (MMHM)

Alliance Meeting, Pop-Up Gym, & Parenting on Purpose

Macon Mental Health Matters is hosting Pop-Up Gyms every second Saturday of the month.

Learn more here:

https://www.maconmentalhealthmatters.com/event-details/memorial-park-recreation-center-mental-health-pop-up-gym



Health Matters	10:00 AM - 1:00 PM / RAIN OR SHINE
Aug 13	ROSA JACKSON RECREATION CENTER 1211 MAYNARD ST, MACON, GA 31217
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	BLOOMFIELD GILEAD PARK 1931 ROCKY CREEK RD, MACON, GA 31206
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PACK OUT CHILDHOOD OBESITY!

Huskies are linking up with <u>Macon GA Chapter of The Links, Incorporated</u> to PACK out Childhood Obesity.

#HealthyHuskies #Built4Bibb #LeadingthePack

As we focus on #ChildhoodObesity, here are 4 ways to reach healthy weights as a family: https://bit.ly/3BR6CKK

Prevent Childhood Obesity

Parents and communities can support children with their journey to good health.

LITERACY CORNER

APRIL IS SCHOOL LIBRARY MONTH

To help celebrate School Library Month in April, the Media Services Department would like to invite all BCSD students, faculty, and staff to vote for their favorite books in the following six categories: PreK – 2nd, 3rd – 5th, Middle, High, and Adult/Faculty/Staff.

Click on the picture below to view the April Awesomeness Voting web page.

Voting Schedule

Sweet Sixteen: March 31-April 8

Elite Eight: April 9-15 Final Four: April 16-22 Playoffs: April 23-27

Winners will be

announced on April 28!



READ DAILY - CHECK OUT BOOKS ONLINE AT SORA BIBB OR VISIT THE MEDIA CENTER

Take time to read a book (Visit the media center to find your favorite genre), current events, sports news or magazines for at least 20 minutes per day.

SORA HAS new Black History book titles in Classlink! Check out one today.

On Thursday, the media center will release a Book Challenge and a Scavenger Hunt for students to participate. Be sure to check your school email.

HOTSPOTS ARE AVAILABLE TO STUDENTS WHO NEED ACCESS TO THE INTERNET AT HOME!

Please complete the form below if you would like to request a hotspot for your student. Students will be contacted to check out the hotspot within 24-48 hours once the form is

LAPTOP INFORMATION AND CARE

- •Students are not allowed to use personal devices at school. All students must use a school issued device during the school to complete assignments. Visit the media center to check out a laptop if you do not have a device.
- *Always keep your laptop closed when you need to walk with your laptop and it's not in the carrying case.
- •Never carry your laptop while open or lift the laptop by the screen/monitor! Handling your laptop in this manner can damage your screen.
- •Do not place paper/objects between your keyboard and monitor, it will crack your screen!
- •Keep drinks and liquids away from your computer. A spill can damage the hard drive and the motherboard. Such damages cost to replace the laptop, Please be careful!

ATHLETICS

HOWARD HIGH SCHOOL

DEPARTMENT OF ATHLETICS, SOFTBALL
DANNY SLAUGHTER, HEAD COACH
6400 FORSYTH RD.
MACON. GA 31210

Tryouts for the 2023 Howard Softball Team will be held May 8 - 11 at the Howard High Softball Field from 3:00-5:30 each day. Tryouts will include grades 8 - 11. All participants must have a valid physical and permission package on file with their respective school. 8th graders may be granted permission to leave school early on Tuesday and Wednesday tryout days.

3:00 – 5:30 Each Day Monday May 8 – Grades 9-11 Tuesday May 9 – Grades 8-11 Wednesday May 10 – Grades 8-11 Thursday May 11 – Grades 9-11

Participants must furnish their own glove and shoes. Each prospect will be evaluated on the 5 tools of softball.

Hit, Hit for Power, Field, Throw, and Speed.

At Howard High we strive to field the best possible team each season. We will have voluntary practices in June with regular practices starting the week of July 17. We will also have games and practices during the Fall Break in October. Each player who makes the team will be expected to be at practice every day and attend every game. There will be dues of \$150.00 and each player must participate in fundraising activities.

All prospects must have a dragonfly account to try out, with physical uploaded. Contact Coach Slaughter if you have questions @ danny.slaughter@bcsdk12.net

SOCCER SCHEDULE 2023

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		2023 SCHEDULE		
	DATE	AWAY TEAM	HOME TEAM	Region
Thurs.	2/2/2023	Howard	Griffin	
Mon.	2/6/2023	Upson Lee	Howard	
Thurs.	2/16/2023	Howard	Perry	
Sat.	2/18/2023	Spalding	Howard	
Fri.	2/24/2023	West Laurens	Howard	
Mon.	2/27/2023	Howard	Westside	
Wed.	3/1/2023	Howard	Baldwin	*
Fri.	3/3/2023	Griffin	Howard	*
Tues.	3/7/2023	Howard	West Laurens	*
Fri.	3/10/2023	Howard	Spalding	*
Sat.	3/11/2023	Baldwin	Howard	*
Thurs.	3/16/2023	Perry	Howard	*
Mon.	3/27/2023	Westside	Howard	*
Thurs.	3/30/2023	Howard	Peach Co.	
Fri.	3/31/2023	Howard	Warner Robins	
4/11/	2023-4/14/2023	1st Round	Playoffs	
	Reg	ded Games are Hom gion Games Marked	with an *	
			day Games at 12pm)	
	Huskies Kick-	Off at 7:00pm (Satur	day Games at 2pm)	
	Head Boys Coach: Jerm	aine Christian		
	Assistant Boys Coach: Dr. Veronica Christian			
	Head Girls Coach: Dr. Veronica Christian			
	Assistant Girls Coach: R			
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	Athletic Director: Latav Principal: Dr. Latoya Sn			

BASEBALL SCHEDULE



CLASSES OF 2025, 2024, 2023...

DYK Class of 2025, 2024, and 2023 Huskies can now qualify for \$500 and \$40,000 scholarships from BigFuture? The scholarships are open to all students, with no GPA, test score, essay, income, or citizenship requirements. Every month, they award \$500 and \$40,000 to students who take steps toward their career and the education they need to reach it.

Learn more here: https://bigfuture.collegeboard.org/

#CollegeorCareerReady #Built4Bibb #LeadingthePack



CLASS OF 2023



PHOTOS AT THE PROM - MAY 6, 2023



SENIOR UPCOMING DATES

STAYCATION - FRIDAY, APRIL 14, 2023

Seniors who have paid senior dues will participate in Staycation and receive a t-shirt and lunch while participating in outdoor activities. Students may also purchase snow cones during the afternoon while enjoying a water slide and obstacle course.

Graduation Ceremony
Wednesday, May 24, 2023
Macon Centerplex - 4:00pm

Graduation Practice
To be Determined

SCHOLARSHIPS FOR SENIORS



Undergraduate Admissions Information Session for Students & Families

Monday, April 17, 2023 6:00 PM - 7:30 PM Macon, GA



Register Now!



PHI BETA SIGMA FRATERNITY, INC. JEROME P. GUY SCHOLARSHIP

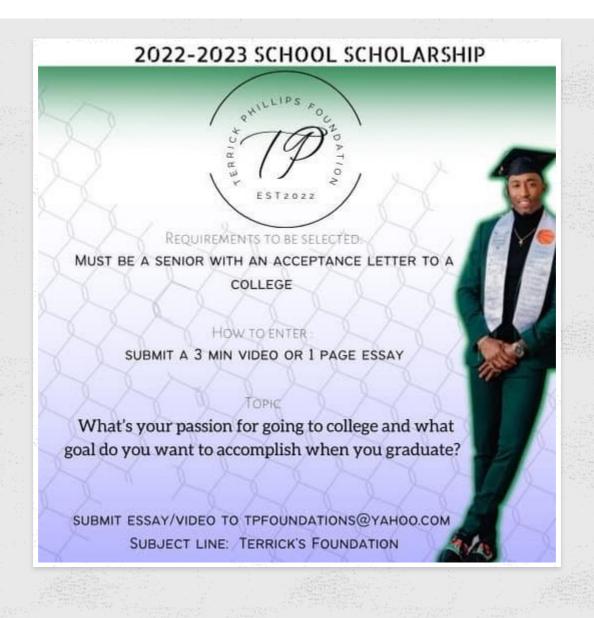
Scholarship Spotlight is from Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity, Inc. - State of Georgia/@gasigmas and is awarded to Huskies accepted to Albany State University. Use the QRC or link to learn more and apply:

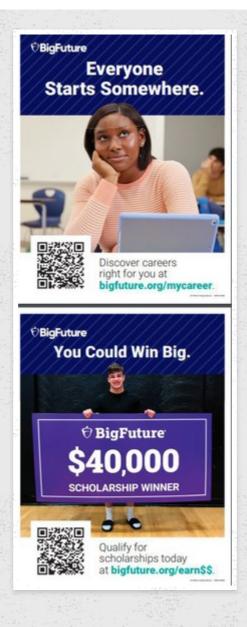




TPFOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP

https://terrickphillipsfoundation.org/





INTERNSHIP RECRUITMENT - RAFB 402ND SOFTWARE ENGINEERING GROUP





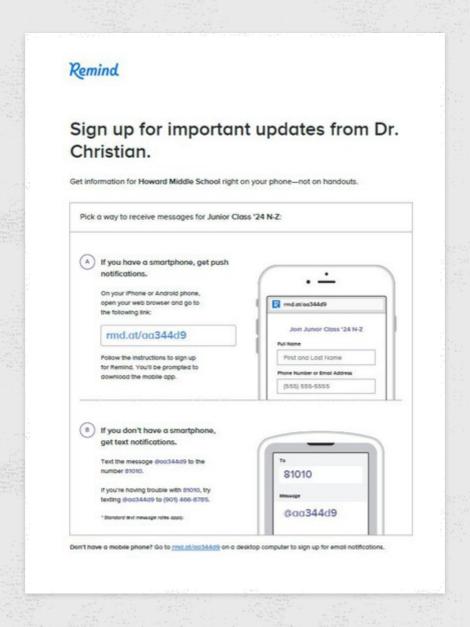


NOW HIRING

DOCUMENTS REQUIRED APPLICATION TIMELINE

CLASS OF 2024

JUNIORS PLEASE JOIN REMIND - USE THE INFORMATION BELOW TO SIGN UP:



SIGN UP FOR THE POP NEWSLETTER

