**TPRS "Monthly Minute"** 



#### **IMPORTANT DATES>>>>>**

September 2	Labor Day- No School
September 4 <sup>th</sup>	3 wk Progress Report
September 20 <sup>th</sup>	End of 1 <sup>st</sup> Six Weeks
September 26 <sup>th</sup>	TPRS Monthly Family Meeting @ Odessa College
September 27 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Report Cards to Students</b>

**Events:** 

September 15<sup>th</sup>- October 15<sup>th</sup> National Hispanic Heritage Month

September 3- Embrace, Crossroads

September 10- Embrace, Crossroads

September 17-Embrace, Crossroads

September 24-Embrace, Crossroads



# **Odessa High School**

August 27, 2024

# Welcome Back to School 2024-2025!

#### **Back to School Checklist:**

#### Give yourself a reality check.

If you haven't "checked in" mentally yet, you need to do it NOW! Reframe and engage. Please, do not start acquiring absences, truancies, or skipping classes. Remember to bring doctor's notes to verify your absences. Remember you must also call your corral when you miss school.

Corral 1 &2- 456-0223	Corral 5 & 6- 456-0263
Corral 3 & 4- 456-0243	Corral 7 & 8- 456-0273

#### **Complete TPRS Paperwork.**

You will need to complete a 2024-2025 intake for this school year. Call or come by our office so that we can get this done if you have not already.

#### **FREE CHILDCARE &**

**TRANSPORTATION**-- If you are planning to use the Free Childcare Services or would like information, call Sylvia Duran at 456-6971. You can view a virtual tour of the facility <u>here</u>.

If you need TPRS transportation because you are a parent or soon-to-be parent AND using childcare, call your TPRS Campus Staff to assist you.





Odessa American 🤗 August 13 at 5:22 PM · 😪

Students in the Ector County ISD Teen Parent Related Services program had a chance for a little pampering Monday, thanks to the I AM Preparatory Foundation partnering with Glitz House of Beauty and Lavish Barber Shop.



"There is an epicenter where divine love and the human experience meet that has always fascinated me. In this place, two power statements that God said to humanity live: I AM whatever you need me to be and you are whatever you believe in your heart to be. One is a proclamation made by God, to us. The other is an affirmation we make to ourselves. Both power statements, begin with I AM.... Which means, self-sustainability and civil-development are predicated on how we see the world





collectively, and how each person discovers the value of their fingerprint," stated TC Hughes, founder of the I AM Prep Foundation and eighth grade AP at Crockett Middle School.

"We love doing stuff like this. We like getting to see different people, getting involved in the community. It's ... something different for us,"

Waters said. Montoya, TPRS student, stated. "It means a lot because I'm not always able to do things for myself," she added.

Glitz

a full service salon in Odessa. provided ECISD **TPRS** parents an awesome opportunity to get pampered with nice haircuts in preparation for first day of school. Several students took advantage of a full day of pampering. The students chosen were students that are soon to graduate with a life plan in place.

A big thank you to "I AM Preparatory Foundation", who took charge in organizing the wonderful opportunity to our students.

#### Welcome Back Family Meeting Event was a Great Success!

On August 22<sup>nd</sup> Odessa College hosted our program for an afternoon of meet and greet with our families and affiliates. Many TPRS students and their families were in attendance. Plenty of information, resources, and giveaways were provided and shared. We thank Odessa College, First Five, Embrace, ECISD Community Outreach Center, Methodist Children's Home, CEHI Homebound Services, Early Literacy Jumpstart Program and their representatives for being available for our families and students. We will continue our monthly meetings at Odessa College in the Wood Math and Science Bldg., RM 119 for the remainder of the year. Our next meeting is scheduled September 26<sup>th</sup>, from 5:15-6:15 PM. Please, see pg. 6 for information and dates. We look forward to seeing you in attendance!





## **SENIOR SECTION:**



## 100% Graduation Rate for OHS TPRS Seniors!

We celebrated our OHS TPRS Seniors at graduation ceremonies in May and July. We are so excited to see our students venturing into their bright futures and continuing their careers and post-secondary education. ALL OHS TPRS students are ready to start their new journeys in August attending colleges and universities. We are so proud of your efforts and determination. You are familiar

with perseverance, and we are confident that all of our Seniors have built life-long skills that will carry them in their future



challenges allowing them to continue to be successful.

Congratulations to our TPRS OHS CLASS OF 2024!





**ECISD** Teen Parent Related Services

PLEASE ENSURE YOUR PARTICIPATION IN TPRS EVENTS THIS YEAR.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS & MAKE ARRANGEMENTS TO ATTEND.

MORE INFORMATION TO SOON FOLLOW.

#### <u>April 18th</u>

## TPRS Senior Celebration At Crossroads Church!

Seniors with their families will celebrate their high school journey with a nice luncheon and ceremony. Parents are asked to attend.

### OCT. 16 MCH HOSPITAL/ ECISD CHILDCARE TOUR & WORKSHOPS

\*TOUR OF BOTH FACILITES \*ONE-ON-ONE Q&A WITH A DOCTOR \*INFANT CPR

> <u>Nov. 14th</u> TPRS Health & Resource Fair @

#### VFW

Agencies and community resources will provide information & goodies to support TPRS students and families



## TPRS FAMILY MEETINGS 2024-2025

#### Meeting Time 5:15-6:30 PM



Odessa College Wood Math and Science Building Room 119

TPRS is a support program for ECISD Teen Parents. Odessa College partnership will allow us to provide informational family meetings on parenting and furthering post-secondary education after high school graduation. Do not worry if you are late; we prefer that you attend. We ask parents to attend a minimum of 5 meetings. There is much to learn. We look forward to supporting you and your child on their journey of parenthood and education.

Family meetings will provide an interactive opportunity to learn about parenting postsecondary life skills and much more.

## August 22th, 2024 TPRS Orientation

#### ATTENDANCE REWARD:

You and your student will earn an entry to an end of year prize for attending each family meeting. Our drawing will be at the March 27th meeting. Thank you to D&V Welding and Construction Service (Daniel Villalobos/ Valerie Grado) September 26<sup>th</sup>, 2024 October 24<sup>th</sup>, 2024 No Meeting in Nov or Dec January 30th, 2025 February 27th, 2025 March 27th, 2025 No Meeting in April or May



Door Prizes will be given.





Your OHS TPRS Team is excited to see and speak to you!

We are happy to learn that you have selected to participate in our teen parent support program at OHS. Our main objective is to assist you through the remainder of your high school experience and

ensure graduation. Our strong belief is that your situation is not a reason for giving up your dream of high school graduation and a career. Through our network of friends, staff, and support programs we assist you by coordinating all efforts to ensure that you have everything you need in your high school journey and reach your goal of graduation.

Our student support program provides a wealth of information and support while you are enrolled with Ector ISD. We are supported by district and campus staff, community agencies, physicians and nurses, local colleges and universities, and volunteers in a combined effort to ensure you stay in school and graduate. We also assist you in postsecondary options and transition. We look forward to building a support family for you and networking to meet your needs as a student of Ector ISD.

Please, know that we are readily available to answer your questions and address your concerns. Attached is a general information sheet for your TPRS program here at Odessa High School which contains our contact information and a list of program services. Keep this information sheet handy and accessible. We look forward to a successful year and we look forward to working with you! Feel free to call or email us if you have questions.

#### **TEEN PARENT RELATED SERVICES (TPRS) STAFF:**

Odessa High School: 456-0029

Connie Flores, Case Worker: 456-5271

Marisela Gonzalez, Specialist: 456-5854

Erica Dangerfield, TPRS Counselor: 456-5851

Marisa Moliina, OHS Nurse, 456-5253



Odessa High School Home of the Bronchos

Rose Valderaz, Coordinator: 456-8552

Kimberly Bryer, TPRS Homebound Teacher: 456-1006

Hortencia Del Bosque, TPRS Homebound Teacher: 456-8524

#### FPRS Affiliate Events:

<u>EMBRACE GRACE</u> is for young women who become unexpectedly pregnant. <u>EMBRACE LIFE</u> is for these young women who have been through EMBRACE GRACE or who already have a baby but would appreciate and desire receiving support and encouragement at Crossroads. <u>EMBRACE LEGACY</u> is for the soon-to-be father's or first-time fathers of the babies of the young women.

To Register for either program, please use the QR code. We look forward to seeing you soon!









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#### **SCHEDULE:**

Tuesday, September 3 | Introduction Tuesday, September 10 | Expect Tuesday, September 17 | Realize Tuesday, September 24 | Perceive Tuesday, October 1 | Trust Tuesday, October 8 | Reveal Tuesday, October 8 | Reveal Tuesday, October 22 | Defend Tuesday, October 29 | Free Tuesday, November 5 | Transform Tuesday, November 12 | Grace,

#### **SHOWER / PRINCESS DAY**

Saturday, October 26 – Princess Day 9:00am Sunday, November 17 – Baby Shower 4:00pm

# Get in FREE with your **ECISD** ID!

ECISD students, faculty and staff can get into all Odessa College Athletic events free!

