

MUSTANG HIGH SCHOOL

NOVEMBER 20, 2024

WELCOME TO OUR

MHS Newsletter



We're so glad
you're here

Important Dates

THANKSGIVING BREAK
NOVEMBER 25-29

WINTER BREAK
DECEMBER 20-JANUARY 7

*JAN 6-7 ARE PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT DAYS. STUDENTS RETURN TO CAMPUS JAN 8.



Semester TEST

DECEMBER 18 & 19

STUDENTS MUST BE PRESENT FOR
ALL SEMESTER TEST

****NO LATE TEST WILL BE ALLOWED****

ICAP

DECEMBER 1
DEADLINE

INDIVIDUAL CAREER ACADEMIC PLAN

ICAP IS A GRADUATION REQUIREMENT FOR EVERY
STUDENT, GRADES 9-12, AND MUST BE COMPLETED_
EACH YEAR BY [DECEMBER 1ST.](#)

THERE ARE TWO PARTS TO ICAPP:

1. THE OKCAREERGUIDE
2. THE FORMS IN THE STUDENT PORTAL UNDER
"FORMS."

ICAP 24-25 PRESENTATION

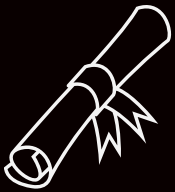


QUSTODIO

WE'RE HAPPY TO INVITE YOU TO JOIN US IN THIS WORLD OF DIGITAL WELLBEING BY GIVING YOU ACCESS TO THE QUSTODIO PARENTS APP. THIS WILL PROVIDE YOU WITH FULL VISIBILITY ON HOW YOUR STUDENT IS USING THEIR SCHOOL DEVICES. SIMPLY CREATE YOUR ACCOUNT TO SEE YOUR PERSONALIZED DASHBOARD.

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PLEASE VISIT OUR MUSTANG PUBLIC SCHOOLS WEBSITE FOR MORE INFORMATION AND HOW TO SIGN UP.



From the MHS Registrar's Office

To request your transcript, use the Parchment QR posted around campus or the link below. Then follow these important steps:

- Do not use your school email
- Make sure all spelling is correct
- Make sure your graduation year is correct



TRANSCRIPTS



Virtual Enrollment Information Spring Semester 2025

APPLICATIONS FOR THE MUSTANG
VIRTUAL ACADEMY ARE NOW OPEN IN
POWERSCHOOL PARENT PORTAL. USE
THE FOLLOWING LINKS FOR MORE
INFORMATION ON HOW TO APPLY.



[Spring 25 MVA App](#)



[Virtual Application Guide](#)

The application window is open from
November 15th through January 8th.
Coursework for the Spring semester
will begin on January 15th.

Student Attendance Reminders

STARTING IN THE 2024-2025 SCHOOL YEAR, THE POLICY WILL REDUCE THE NUMBER OF ALLOWABLE ABSENCES PER SEMESTER FOR STUDENTS FROM TEN (10) TO EIGHT (8).



- Students who exceed 8 absences in a semester shall receive a NC for that class, unless they have failed the class and then they will receive an F.
- If a student exceeds 8 absences, a doctor's statement that confirms the dates of the illness may be turned in to the attendance office upon the student's return to school resulting in the absence(s) being changed to an excused absence(s). Doctors' notes should be submitted to building administrative assistants upon return from absence(s). Original doctor's notes or other documentation should be kept for your own records.
- Students who fail based only on their attendance exceeding the 8-day limit may submit an appeal to a site committee within five (5) days prior to the end of the current semester. The appeal form is located on the school website. Instructions for the process of submitting the form to the Appeal Committee is located on the form. The appeal committee consisting of an administrator and counselor will review the merits of the appeal and submit a final decision to the site administrator. The decision of the committee is final.

Bell Schedules

Parent and Student Portal

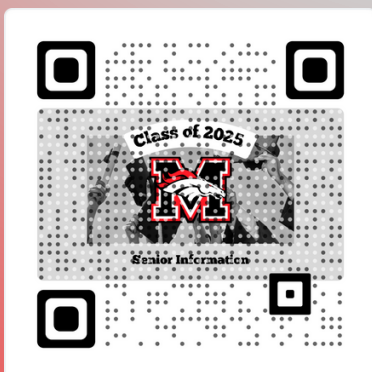
Please use the link below to view additional information on accessing PowerSchool.

[Parent Portal Information](#)



Senior Website

KINDLY MAKE USE OF THE QR CODE OR THE ACCOMPANYING LINKS TO ACCESS OUR RECENTLY LAUNCHED SENIOR WEBSITE. THIS PLATFORM WILL SERVE AS THE PRIMARY CHANNEL FOR SHARING ALL SENIOR-RELATED UPDATES, WHICH WILL ALSO BE COMMUNICATED THROUGH MINGA AND EMAIL TO OUR STUDENTS.



SENIOR WEBSITE

PLEASE SEE THE
UPDATED SENIOR
CALENDAR

Colleges On Campus

(DURING LUNCH IN THE COMMONS)



DECEMBER DATES:

3: CAMERON UNIVERSITY

13: UCO

FAFSA INFORMATION

2025-2026 FAFSA WILL OPEN ON DECEMBER 1, 2024.
HERE IS HOW TO PREPARE FOR YOUR APPLICATION:

PREPARING FOR THE 25/26 FAFSA

SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION

LINK TO MHS SCHOLARSHIP BOARD

MUSTANG HIGH SCHOOL REMAINS DEDICATED TO DISSEMINATING INFORMATION ON ALL AVAILABLE SCHOLARSHIPS. KINDLY PERUSE THE DETAILS BELOW AND ACCESS THE LINK PROVIDED AT THE BOTTOM TO EXPLORE OUR SCHOLARSHIP BOARD, WHERE ALL SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITIES ARE LISTED.



**MHS
COUNSELING
WEBSITE**

[VISIT HERE](#)

CV//TECH

Applications for the 25-26 school year are currently open. Apply online (cvtech.edu) anytime between October 1, 2024 and December 18, 2024. Early applicants do not receive enrollment priority; all eligible students who apply by the deadline will be interviewed in February 2025. If you have already applied and would like to change the program you applied for, please see Ms Qualls. Do not re-apply.

OPEN HOUSE

CV Tech Open House is December 4th from 5-7 at both Yukon and El Reno campuses. We encourage families to come check out the facilities and programs! You can also visit cvtech.edu to learn more about what CV Tech has to offer.



JUNIORS!

If you are interested in learning about
CV Tech one-year programs-
Specifically for your senior year, sign up below!

25-26 One Year Programs:

- Underground Utility Locating Technician
- Vision Care Technician
- Firefighting
- Esthetician
- Physical Therapy Services
- Teacher Prep

**WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 4TH
RESOURCE HOUR**

Must sign up to be assigned during Resource!

See Ms Qualls in K123 or
briana.qualls@cvtech.edu
if you have any questions!



MUSTANG ROBOTICS

Record Breaking Team Spotlight

Mustang High School Robotics Breaks Oklahoma State Record

MHS Teams, 17035 Knightmares and 6974 Monsters of Mechanics, worked together and broke the state record. They scored a combined 138 points in their match last Saturday. Team Knightmares is ranked 17th in the country in driver control period. They are hoping to spend the week improving their autonomous period and hopefully jump higher in the national rankings after their next meet this coming weekend.

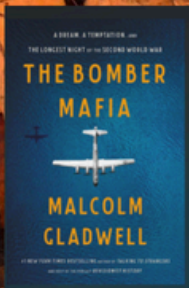
Congratulations to Team Knightmares & Team Monsters of Mechanics!



Media Center Minutes

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OUT IN THE
MEDIA
CENTER

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BOMBER MAFIA

by Malcolm Gladwell



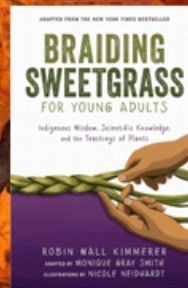
BIG LIES

by Mark Kurlansky



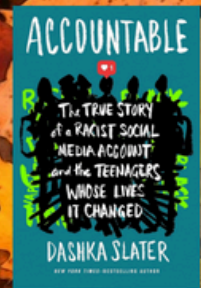
BOMB

by Steve Sheinkin



BRAIDING SWEETGRASS

by Monique Gray Smith



ACCOUNTABLE

by Dashka Slater



MONEY OUT LOUD

by Berna Anat



WHERE TO START

from Mental Health America



VICTORY STAND!

by Tommie Smith



PUNCHING BAG

by Rex Ogle



BUZZKILL

by Brenna Maloney



MURDER AMONG FRIENDS

by Candace Fleming



THE HARD PARTS

by Oksana Masters



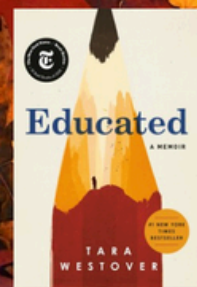
DEVOTION

by Adam Makos



LETTERS TO A YOUNG ATHLETE

by Chris Bosh

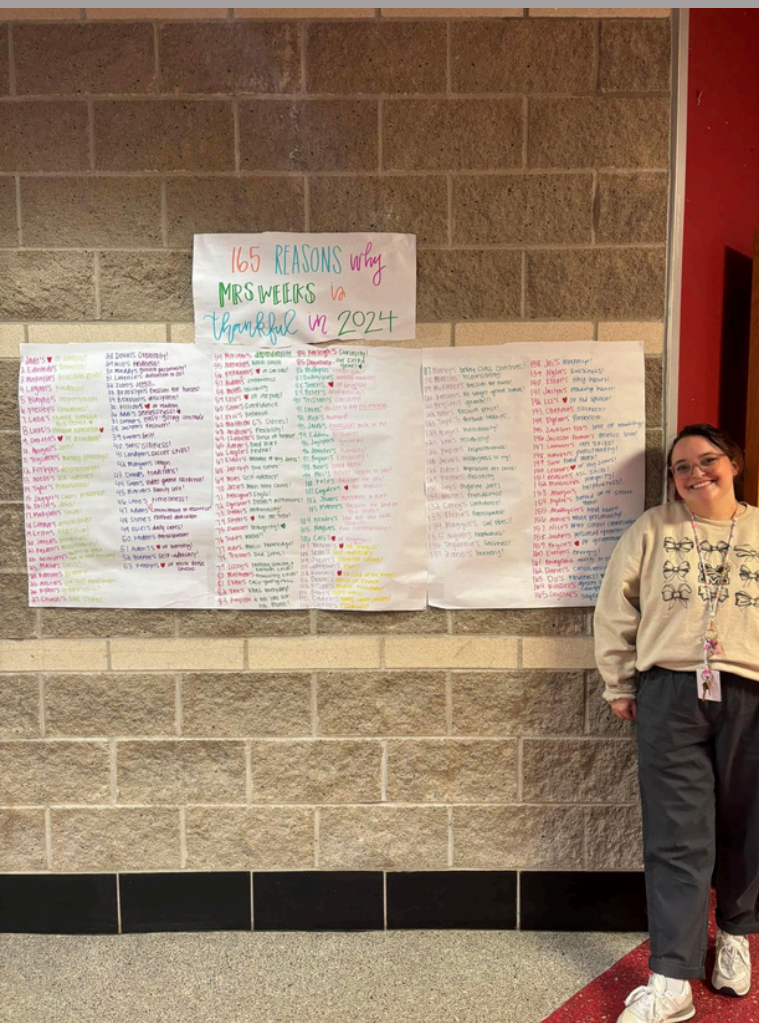


EDUCATED

by Tara Westover

#ThankfulThursday: Celebrating Our Students!

Just spreading a little positivity! This November, several English II teachers at Mustang High School, including Mrs. Danielle Weeks and Mrs. Lyndsie Denton, created "Thankful Posters" highlighting the unique traits of each student in their classes. These thoughtful displays are part of a cherished tradition that shines a light on the qualities that make each student special. Every November, this activity reminds us of the incredible Mustang community and the dedicated teachers who go above and beyond to make students feel seen and appreciated. Thank you, Mrs. Weeks, Mrs. Denton, and all the MHS English II teachers, for making #ThankfulThursday so meaningful!



thankful

Congratulations to Mrs. Sohailah Stout, Recognized as an Exemplary Teacher!

We are thrilled to announce that Mrs. Stout will be honored by the Oklahoma Music Educators Association as an Exemplary Teacher in the Choral Division at their state conference this January in Tulsa! This recognition highlights her commitment, talent, and impact in music education.

To qualify for this prestigious honor, teachers must have over 15 years of teaching experience (10 in Oklahoma), be a dedicated OkMEA member, and demonstrate excellence through awards, competitions, and endorsements from peers and administrators. Mrs. Stout's passion for teaching and her personal and professional growth have set a remarkable standard in music education.

Congratulations, Mrs. Stout, on this well-deserved recognition! We are so proud of your achievements and grateful for the inspiration you bring to our students and community!



R.E.A.C.H. would like to congratulate Mr. Tyson Meade

on being the recipient of the R.E.A.C.H. Out Award for the month of November! The R.E.A.C.H. Out Award is a student-nominated award that honors teachers who reach out, cultivate hope, and make a difference for our students, school, and community. Mr. Meade was nominated for this award by several students, and we were so proud to give him the award today!

Here are a few comments students submitted about Mr. Meade:

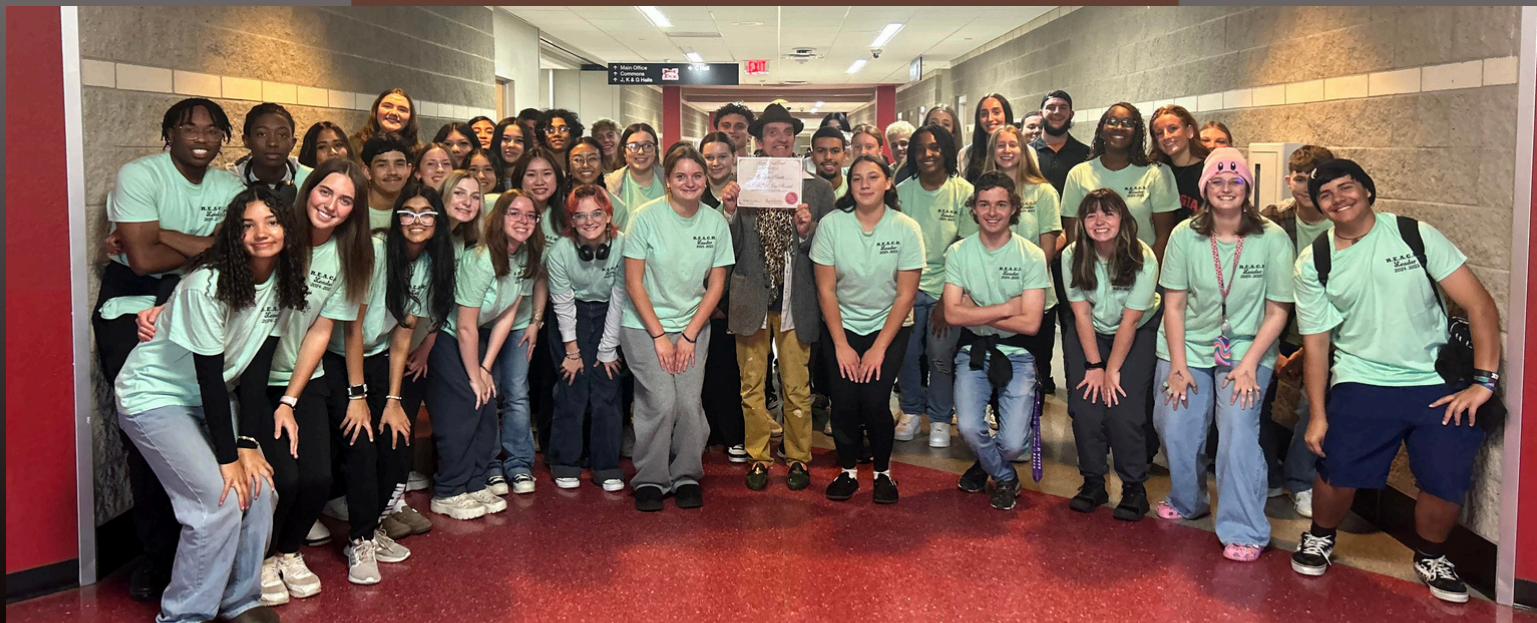
"Mr. Meade always has such a positive attitude every day. He is always making sure to be happy and sweet to us."

"He always makes sure to check in with all of his students, and that can change someone's whole day."

"Mr. Meade makes me enjoy coming to school."

"Mr. Meade is a great person and strives to be the best teacher he can every day."

Congratulations, Mr. Meade! Mustang High School is
better because you are here!



MHS

DONATIONS

THE MHS CARE CREW IS
LOOKING FOR DONATIONS OF
GIFT CARDS OR GIVEAWAY
ITEMS TO USE AS PRIZES FOR
SEVERAL FUN ACTIVITIES WE
ARE PLANNING FOR THE HIGH
SCHOOL STAFF. IF YOU ARE
ABLE TO CONTRIBUTE,
DONATIONS WILL BE ACCEPTED
AT THE FRONT OFFICE. WE
LOOK FORWARD TO SPREADING
JOY AND BRINGING SOME FUN
TO OUR STAFF AS WE ENTER
THE HOLIDAY SEASON. WE
APPRECIATE YOUR SUPPORT!



PLEASE EMAIL

TILLEYR@MUSTANGPS.ORG

FOR MORE INFORMATION

ABOUT MAKING A DONATION



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PAY BY CASH OR CHECK TO
MRS. WALKER IN RM K115

