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Happy Sunday HHS Parents/Guardians, and Students,

Hopefully you and your family are enjoying this cold weather. Can you believe it? The fall semester is coming to a close in just a couple weeks. Time really flies. Continue to encourage your child to stay the course and to finish this semester strong. You hang in there as well. Under the aren't too many announcements this week (yes, I am probably forgetting something... SMH...), yet here we go!

- ➤ Mental Health Supports: Sharing this information once more. The holidays are not a happy time for everyone, so we want to be sure you are aware of the Mental Health Support(s) for the Holiday Season that HISD offers. Taking care of your mental health is the best gift you can give yourself and your child(ren) this holiday season and always. Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to reach out to Mrs. Alexandra Payne (alexandra.payne@huttoisd.net).
- ➤ Midterm Exam Schedule: As stated previously, the end of the fall semester is coming to a close soon and all of our students will take midterms. Be sure your child is studying and preparing for their midterms. Encourage them and let them know they can be successful on their midterms. Here is the HHS 24-25 Midterm/Final Exam Schedule Student and Parent Version schedule.
- > Orange Santa: Orange Santa 2024 is underway and THANK YOU to everyone who has donated and assisted in any way. Our Orange Santa 2024 distribution will be Saturday, December 14, 2024 starting at 8am from the HHS Old Library. If you have any questions, reach out to Mrs. Melissa Hollingsworth (melissa.hollingsworth@huttoisd.net).
- > PTSA Fundraisers and Information:
 - "PHILL the Box!": Our PTSA is at it again! They are having an additional fundraiser and this time it is to Phill the Box. This is a clothing donation drive used to raise money. Our Phill the Box donation box is located in the northernmost part of the student parking lot. The PTSA did this last year and made approximately \$300. Please donate and thank you in advance!
 - Hippo Ornaments: It's almost tree decorating time. If you would like a unique
 and personalized hippo ornament to adorn your tree or to give as a gift, use this
 Hippo Ornament Order Form Link to make it happen. A portion of the proceeds
 will support our HHS PTSA.
 - Please JOIN THE PTSA. We need your active participation, your voice and your membership dues to help to fund all the wonderful events our PTSA sponsors. So again, PLEASE JOIN <u>Join the 24-25 Hutto High School PTSA!</u>

> College and Career:

- Visit our College and Career website College, Career, and Military Website
- What's going on around campus and various updates <u>College and Career</u> Newsletter
- FREE COLLEGE TUITION: Visit this link to learn more about Texas 4-year colleges that offer FREE TUITION.

> <u>Upcoming Events and Reminders:</u>

- HHS/NGC/RHA Yearbook: Here is this year's official HHS/NGC/RHA yearbook site for this school year <u>Hutto High Schools Yearbook</u>.
- > Who to Contact: Contact information for your child's counselor and assistant principal/academic dean is listed below. Please reach out to these individuals first for assistance. If you need to meet with either of these individuals, please email them to make an appointment.

Students by Alpha	Counselor	Assistant Principal/Academic Dean
A - C	Ms. Angela Entrekin angela.entrekin@huttoisd.net	Ms. Molly Reardon molly.reardon@huttoisd.net
D - He	Mrs. Melinda Earp melinda.earp@huttoisd.net	Dr. Nina LeBlanc, Amanda Horn nina.leblanc@huttoisd.net. amanda.horn@huttoisd.net We are on the hunt!!!
Hi - Mon	Ms. Mika Harrell mika.harrell@huttoisd.net	Mr. Jarred Houston jarred.houston@huttoisd.net
Moo - R	Johnny Kay johnny.kay@huttoisd.net We are on the hunt!!!	Wayne Christmas wayne.christmas@huttoisd.net
S-Z	Mrs. Regina Reese regina.reese@huttoisd.net	Corey Fairley Corey.fairley@huttisd.net
	Lead Counselor Mr. Johnny Kay johnny.kay@huttoisd.net	Associate Principal Amanda Horn amanda.horn@huttoisd.net
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As always, I am humbly honored to serve!

Respectfully,

Dr. LaKesha Whitfield Principal Hutto High School 737-327-5796 "Rowing in Excellence...Together!" #Innovating Today, Shaping Tomorrow"