

Academic Concentrations

January 2025

MoMath!

In December STEM concentration students had the opportunity to visit the National Museum of Mathematics in Manhattan. They joined the CHHS Calculus classes and Pi Squad members (the HS math club) to explore this interactive museum which “highlights the role of mathematics in illuminating the patterns and structures all around us.” The museum lived up to their description! Iliana Harris shared that she “enjoyed an exhibit with many differently shaped blocks you had to fit together to create a specific shape. It was a lot harder than it looked and it was a fun challenge.” Thank you to Ms. Lim for planning this trip.



Penelope, Iliana and Eryanna at MoMath

Concentration Meeting

We had our first Concentration meeting on December 17th.

Here is [the slideshow](#) from our meeting.

Please remember to check our shared Google Folder and your email!

A Real-World Opportunity for all Concentration Areas

The goal of the Youth Advisory Council is to educate students on the operations of town government and also to solicit their ideas for improvement in the town. This year, they are looking to have students help them create an outreach plan encouraging green initiatives across town and in the schools.

We had four CHHS students participate in last year's cohort, and we would love to have four students participate again this year. The time commitment is one evening (5:00-7:00pm) a month for four months. If you would like to be considered for a position on the council, please email Mrs. Fiorini Erica.Fiorini@chufsd.org by February 26th. In the email, please include a few sentences about why you would like to be part of the council.

What's Next?

During the first weeks of January, all CHHS students watched videos describing the exciting course offerings available to them for the next school year. In the first weeks of February, all students will be meeting with their counselors to review their course preferences and to make requests for their 2025-2026 classes.

During this same time, each concentration student will also meet briefly with Mrs. Fiorini to gauge how their potential course selections move them along their desired concentration pathway.

