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Weekly Update – January 31, 2025

Good Afternoon, THS Families,

The course selection process for the 2025-26 school year was shared with students in grades 9, 10 and 11 this week. Please consider reviewing our annual [Program of Studies](#) with your student which provides course descriptions for both core and elective classes available at THS. (Please note: The POS can also be accessed through our Trumbull High School [website](#).)

Starting the week of February 3rd, counselors will begin meeting individually with students to kick off the course selection process. Instructions were posted on the “Class of” Google Classroom on January 24, 2025. Additionally, detailed information on how students can schedule appointments with their counselors can be found on the counselor’s Google Classroom. If you have any questions, please don’t hesitate to reach out to your student’s counselor.

Overall, it’s been a good week, as students have shared that they are gaining comfort with our recent change to semester 2. All mid-year report cards were published to the Infinite Campus Backpack on Tuesday, Jan. 28, 2025; parents, guardians, and students can use this [link](#) to access Infinite Campus (IC), our student management system, or contact the house office should you have any trouble accessing. I would be remiss if I did not acknowledge each of our families and students who attended our Basketball double header at Sacred Heart yesterday evening; it was a great display of community and exemplified what makes Trumbull such a special place.

Go Eagles!

Please see the items, below, and use the links to review additional details about upcoming events and happenings at THS.

Sincerely,

Todd G. Manuel
Principal, Trumbull High School

To keep up on all other THS happenings, please follow us on social media @trumbullhs on Facebook, Instagram and X.

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| Attention Seniors: Cap & Gown Deadline approaching Jan. 31, 2025 | Seniors - It is time to order your cap and gown for graduation. You can order online in the Infinite Campus portal. A complete package of a gown, cap and tassel is \$50. If you only need a cap and tassel, the cost is \$35. Orders will not be accepted after January 31, 2025. Please place your order now to guarantee correct sizing. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| <p>Cafeteria Clean Up Expectations</p> <p>Your help is needed please!</p> | <p>As many students have different lunch waves than they did in semester 1, it is a great time to remind and reinforce expectations. In an effort to keep our cafeteria/commons and lounge areas clean, we have an expectation that students clean up and dispose of their food in the identified garbage, recycling or compost receptacles. We appreciate your taking time to discuss this expectation with your student(s).</p> <p><i>Let's each please take pride in keeping our school as clean as possible!</i></p> |
| <p>Trumbull's Got Talent!</p> <p>Are you ready for this year's Trumbull's Got Talent Show?</p> | <p>On Thursday, February 6, at 6:00 pm, THS students will showcase their talents for what is sure to be an amazing show. We even have some special guest performances lined up from teachers! Last year was a great success. We raised nearly \$1,000 for My Friend Abby and hope to do the same this year. We will also donate proceeds from ticket sales to LivFree. Tickets are only \$5 and go on sale January 27th. Tickets can be purchased during lunch waves or at the door. Come out to celebrate the talent we have at THS and support two local organizations that do so much for those in our communities! See Mr. Doyle or Mrs. Brienza with any questions.</p> |
| <p>IMPORTANT: Student Absence Notification</p> <p>NEW SEMESTER HAS BEGUN!</p> | <p>Our families will continue to have the ability to report full day absences, late arrivals and early dismissals via their Infinite Campus Parent Portal using the mobile app or website in place of calling the school attendance line. For specific directions on how to report an absence via the Infinite Campus Portal, click here.</p> <p>As a reminder, families will receive notification of absences on an ongoing basis when students exceed the allowable absence threshold for each of their classes. This notification is aligned to TPS Policy 5113 High School Attendance/Loss of Credit, which can be viewed here. Also, a visual regarding the allowable number of absences per course can be found on page 4 of the policy or via this link.</p> |
| <p>SAT Prep Courses</p> | <p>SAT prep courses in ELA and Math will be offered through Trumbull Continuing Education beginning January 2025. More information, including descriptions of offerings, will be posted on the website www.trumbullconted.org.</p> |
| <p>Yearbook Information</p> | <p>Yearbook Pre-Orders extended through Sunday!</p> <p>We have extended the pre-order deadline through the end of the day on Sunday, Feb. 2. Reserve your copy of history by visiting Yearbook Order Center (use job number 14201). Place your order by Feb. 2 to guarantee your copy; after Feb. 2 we may have overrun copies available (very few, if any) for purchase in June. <i>Families of seniors experiencing financial hardship should contact their school counselor about our need-based yearbook scholarship program.</i></p> <p>Senior Yearbook Dedications</p> <p>We have approximately 1.5 pages of space in our senior dedications section. Did you miss your chance to place a dedication ad? Contact THSTrillium@gmail.com to reserve part of that space. You can also use ad space for businesses or sports booster ads. Visit this link to view prices/sizes. These ads will be sold on a first come, first served basis.</p> |
| <p>Weller Scholarship Opportunities for the Class of 2025</p> | <p>Senior students have an opportunity to win a Weller Foundation Scholarship. To gather more information about the various Weller Foundation Scholarships offered by the Weller Foundation, please access the following link: https://bartonwellerfoundation.com/foundation/ and click on the "Our Scholarships" tab. Please make sure students read the criteria as well as the rules and regulations regarding each of the scholarships. Please bring applications and secondary materials (if required) to Mrs. Codd in C- House by February 24. Please make sure to read all instructions for filling out applications before bringing application to Mrs. Codd.</p> |
| <p>TPAUD-Sponsored "Screenagers"</p> | <p>Join us for a free, virtual film showing and discussion panel of Screenagers: Under the Influence on Tuesday, February 25th, from 7-8:30 pm. Examine the impact of our digital age on teens' decision-making in relation to substances such as vaping, drugs, and alcohol, exploring the latest research and learning more about the personal experiences of teens and families. The film highlights the changing landscape of substances themselves, offering solutions for how we can best empower our teens to make informed and healthy choices. Register here or at www.TPAUD.org.</p> |

PTSA Information



Please join via the QR Code!

THS PTSA Meetings - We encourage parents, teachers, and students to attend. Future meetings, 7:00 p.m., Senior Lounge, are March 10 and May 12.

Volunteers Needed! POST PROM is in the planning stages. All grade-level parents are needed to make this a success. Please reach out to Diana Inesta to volunteer: dianainesta124@gmail.com
The next Post Prom meeting is Tuesday, 2/11/25, 7:00 pm, Hillcrest Middle School, front entrance.

THS Ski Trips! There is still time to sign up for the THS Ski trips! Trips are Feb. 8 and March 8. More details and sign-up form can be found in your student's Google Classroom. If your student already signed up, please be sure you have sent in your payment.

We are excited to offer you this link to access our [PTSA Newsletter!](#)