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You and I... We are



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GREETINGS FROM MR. GONZALES

Spring has Sprung! In honor of the upcoming season, I'd like to share a quote from Charles Dudley Warner: "The man who has planted a garden feels that he has done some good for the world." As we enjoy the blooming flowers and warmer weather, I remain deeply grateful for the "garden" our Tiger Family continues to cultivate—our students' success. The ongoing support for our performances, athletic contests, and events has been crucial to our growth. It's truly inspiring to see our students continue to flourish!

I also want to congratulate our basketball, wrestling, soccer, and indoor track teams on their successful seasons. As we move into the second half of the spring semester, I encourage you to attend our upcoming events, including competitions from the robotics, tennis, softball, baseball, and outdoor track teams, as well as the end-of-year performances by our drama, band, and choir programs. There's always something happening at HHS!

By now, all students should have completed their course selection for the 2025-2026 school year and will soon return a signed copy of their schedule verification form. From now until the end of the year, our counselors will work diligently to ensure that each student's course selections align with their current needs and future plans. They will also be assisting the graduating class of 2025, ensuring they're prepared for the next steps—whether it's completing the FAFSA, applying for scholarships or grants, or connecting with colleges, universities, or workforce opportunities.

In addition to extracurricular activities and future planning, the spring semester is an academically busy time. Louisiana students participate in several state assessments during this period, including the ACT and Pre-ACT (administered on March 12), and the WorkKeys test (given throughout the year to some groups). We believe it's important to expose all students to the ACT and similar tests to familiarize them with the content and format. Students enrolled in English I, English II, Geometry, Algebra I, Biology I, Civics, and US History will also take the LEAP 2025 assessment in the coming months, with testing scheduled for May 5-7. These assessments are graduation requirements and count for 20% of the student's course grade. If you have any questions, please reach out to your child's teacher.

It's hard to believe we're only a few months away from the end of the 2024-2025 school year! A quick reminder—Spring Break will take place from April 14-17. I want to take this opportunity to thank the entire St. Charles Parish community for your unwavering dedication and commitment to excellence. You are all vital to the success of our students as we continue to nurture their growth!

Remember, YOU are part of the Tiger Family! We are Fierce. Noble. Strong. Together!

Jose Gonzales Principal Hahnville High School



IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER

March 29th —Pat Pitre Crawfish Cook-Off March 27th —HHS Open House 5:30-7:30 April 2nd-8th —Leap Testing

Counselors' Corner

Attention Seniors! If you have not completed the FAFSA you need to do so as soon as possible! Remember that this is no longer a graduation requirement but if you want TOPS money, loans, grants, etc., this must be completed. If you need guidance on how to get started please reach out to your counselor.

Attention 12th Grade Students: In order for your scholarship to be included in the graduation program, your scholarship offer

letter(s) must be turned in to Mrs. Angela Dempster in room AG7 as soon as possible. Even if you do not plan to take the scholar-ship, we would like to make sure your award is noted in the program. The

deadline to submit this information is April 26th.

Test Dates

Seniors, remember to check the HHS Counselor webpage for upcoming scholarships. The page is updated on a daily basis so be sure to check often.

Juniors – if you are planning to take a DE class next year in your senior year and you do not get the composite score needed, you can register to take the National test this summer and still qualify. Please see your counselor if you have questions.

• Juniors – We are planning your Senior Step Up event for May 20th. We will have a variety of visitors coming including industry, colleges, alums, and much more to help you transition to your senior year smoothly!

• Students – start looking at your grades. Your counselors will be calling you in before you know it to discuss summer school if needed. Remember, if you do not have enough credits to move up to the next grade level, you will be retained!

Seniors – You should have received a paper called ACT567 that needs to be signed and returned to the counseling suite. If you have not done so already, please get this done now so you aren't stopped when you come to do Senior Check Out Day.

Students – if you have not turned in your schedule verification form AND

your Individual graduation plan (IGP) papers you can still turn those into

Mrs. Angela Dempster in the counseling suite. They will be marked late but we will still look at them to try and make changes as needed.

Our counseling department splits the students by last name. Don't hesitate to call or email if you would like to set up a meeting to discuss your student.

Alphabet	Counselor	Email
A-Di	Jacquelyn Walther	jwalther@wearescpps.org
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School Office Specialist	Angela Dempster	adempster@wearescpps.org

Below are the ACT test dates and registration deadlines for 2024-2025. Register online at ACT.org. Junior and Senior students that are eligible for free or reduced lunch are eligible for 4 vouchers to take the ACT. Please see Mrs. Dempster in the counseling office to get a voucher.

April 5, 2025 February 28, 2025 March 16, 2025

June 14, 2025 May 9, 2025 May 26, 2025

July 12, 2025 June 6, 2025 June 20, 2025

Registration Deadline

Late Registration Deadline

Safe Schools with Coach Boyne

Safety is our top priority here at Hahnville High School. We value the safety of our students and employees, and we will do everything possible to ensure that we protect our students, employees, and visitors. As such, we wanted to remind you of some of our safety initiatives:

- 1: Students, employees, and school visitors must wear ID badges at all times.
- 2: Students are not allowed to have or use their phones during instructional time. It is now a state law. If students are seen with their phones, they will be confiscated.

3: Students are not allowed to wear any garments with a hood attached to them; if seen, these garments will be confiscated from students and returned to the students at the end of the school day.



STUDENT/FACULTY HIGHLIGHTS









SSC Recap

During the month of March, students were encouraged to review ACT strategies and formulas to help prepare them for their ACT test. The ACT was administered here on campus on March 12th. Other students that may not have taken the test used their SSC time to finish up assignments and bound with fellow classmates over common interest!



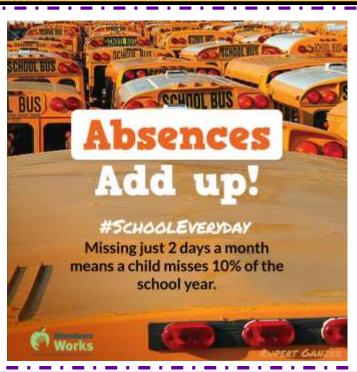




If you have any questions contact Mrs. Messina or Mrs. Lusco

Attendance Matters with Ms. Martin





Shop Tiger Mart for HHS Merchandise Online and In-store Open Monday-Friday 10:30am-12:30pm Join our Google classroom for store and merch updates! Code: pt6wml6 Shop with us and show your TIGER PRIDE!

HHS Yearbooks on Sal e!

The 2024 full color yearbook is now on sale for \$55. Place your order online at www.yearbookordercenter.com, school code is 2600, and drop payment in the yearbook order box near front office or send to Hahnville High School attention: Mr. Lanier.

Mental Health Corner

The Power of Sharing Your Story

Sharing your story is a powerful act of connection, vulnerability, and healing. It opens doors to understanding, allowing others to see the world through your eyes, and, in turn, helps you better understand yourself. Your unique experiences, struggles, triumphs, and dreams hold value not just for you but for the people around you. When you share your story, you create space for empathy, compassion, and shared humanity, reminding us all that we're not alone in our journeys. In this way, your story becomes a bridge, linking hearts and inspiring others to speak their truths as well. Don't be afraid to share your story.





Dr. Marquita Hill George

Nurse's Note

Nurse Marci Hunter wants to keep you informed about current health concerns!

Click the picture for more info!



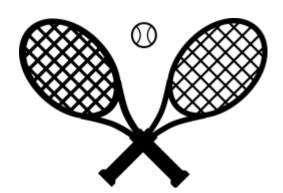
HHS Library Media Center

The HHS Library provides print and online resources for academic needs and personal enjoyment. It is easy to sign up for a library account by using your PowerSchool username and password. Your personal library account will give you access to e-books, digital audiobooks, and our online catalog. You have the ability to browse and place books on hold. If you haven't done so already, we encourage you to sign up for the HHS Virtual Library in Google Classrooms. If you have any questions, contact Mrs. Kim Lusco at klusco@wearescpps.org or Ms. Ana Pedone at apedone@wearescpps.org.

We are so excited to welcome you into our newly renovated library! Come and see what's new! Please continue to respect the integrity of the space by being respectful to us and other students around you.

Library Rules:

- 1: No food or drinks in the library.
- 2: Volume levels need to remain at a workable level.
 - 3: Scan ID when you come into the library and when you leave.



Men & Women's Tennis

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5	Date:	Opponent:	Time:
	2/25	St. Charles Catholic - Away	3:00pm
	2/27	Assumption - Home	3:00pm
	3/11	South Terrebonne - Away	3:00pm
	3/13	Brother Martin - Home	3:00pm
5	3/18	South Lafourche - Home	3:00pm
	3/20	Morgan City - Home	3:00pm
	3/25	Thibodaux - Away	3:00pm
	3/27	H.L. Bourgeois - Home	3:00pm
	4/1	Central Lafourche - Home	3:00pm
	4/2	Assumption - Away	3:00pm
	4/3	Terrebonne - Home	3:00pm
	4/8	Destrehan - Home (Senior Salute)	3:00pm
	4/14-16	Regionals @ Gonzales	TBA
	4/28-29	State @ Monroe	TBA
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Men's Basketball

Date:
2/28Opponent:
Bi-District PlayoffsTime:
TBA3/4-7Quarterfinals PlayoffsTBA3/10-15Top 28 FinalsTBA



Women's Basketball

Opponent: Thibodaux @ THS (V) Time: Date: 6:00pm 2/11 Central Lafourche @ HHS (JV/V) 5:00pm/6:00pm East St. John @ ESJHS (V) 6:00pm 2/14 Bi-District Playoff @ TBA TBA 2/TBA Regional Playoff @ TBA TBA 2/TBA

Bowling

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2/27	Destrehan (Men's V & JV)/AOL (Women's V) @ Bowlero	3:20pm
3/6 \$	John Curtis (Men's V) @ Colonial	3:20pm
3/10 🛂	Patrick Taylor (Women's V) @ Bowlero	3:20pm
3/10 \$\frac{1}{2} 3/11 \$\frac{1}{2} 3/13 \$\frac{1}{2} 3/17	Denham Springs (Men's V) @ Premier Lanes - Gonzales	3:10pm
₹ 3/13	Academy of Our Lady (Women's V) @ Colonial Lanes	3:20pm
3/17	Rummel (Men's V)/Mt. Carmel (Women's V)/ Kenner Discovery (JV) @ Bow-	3:20pm





Message from SCPPS:

Due to federal regulations, HHS is responsible for notifying you annually of the Asbestos Hazard Emergency Response Act (AHERA) management plan at your school.

Women's Golf		
Date:	Location:	Time:
$\sqrt{\frac{2}{13}}$	CLHS @ LaTour	3:00pm
) 2/20	CLHS @ St. Mary	3:00pm
) 2/27	DHS @ Cypress Lakes	3:00pm

Notice: In 1986 all asbestos materials were identified in all school buildings. A management plan was developed for each school as per the Asbestos Hazard Emergency Response Act (AHERA). The management plan is located in a binder in the main office of each school. The binders are available for review upon request.

Since the plan was developed, most of the asbestos has been removed. In a few buildings, some floor tile still remains that contains asbestos. All of the schools meet the health requirements that pertain to the regulation. If you have any questions concerning this topic, please contact Kevin Barney, Director of Physical Plant Maintenance at 985-331-3600 between the hours of 7:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m.

- March 29 Pat Pitre Crawfish Cook-Off
- April 9 Cord Ceremony
- April 10 Talent Show @ 6:30pm
- April 14-18 Spring Break (No School)
- April 22 Junior/Senior Awards Night
- April 24 DOW Crawfish Boil @ 2:45pm
- April 25 Pep Rally
- 🚇 April 26 Prom
- April 28 Freshmen/Sophomore Awards

Night

May 1 - Seniors' Last Day

Mark Your Calendar



- May 6 Ring Night @ 6:00pm
- May 5-7 LEAP Testing
- May 9 Graduation Practice @ 9:30am
- May 13 Grad Walk
- May 14 Graduation
- May 22 Last Day of School

In compliance with Title VI, Title IX and Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, this Educational Agency holds the following policy:

This is an equal opportunity school and is dedicated to a policy of non-discrimination in employment or training. Qualified students, applicants or employees will not be excluded from any course or activity because of age, race, creed, color, sex, religion, national origin or qualified handicap. All students have equal rights to counseling and training.