

MILLER PLACE HIGH SCHOOL

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Dear Parent/Guardian:

As we approach the close of the 2024–2025 school year, I want to take a moment to thank you for your continued partnership and share some important information to help ensure a smooth and successful end to the year. Please review the following items with your child to ensure they are informed and prepared.

Earth Science Practical: On Thursday, June 5th, school is in session while students are taking their Earth Science Practical. Students enrolled in the Earth Science course and any students retaking this component of the Regents will be notified in another mailing.

Senior Laptop Collection: On Tuesday, June 10th, during their English classes, seniors will be required to return their laptop, charging cord, and laptop case. Before seniors are issued their caps and gowns, all previously mentioned items must be handed in and all fees (book fees, outstanding food account balances, etc.) paid to ensure participation in graduation.

Geometry Regents: On Wednesday, June 11th, *only* students enrolled in the Geometry and Geometry Honors course or those retaking the Geometry Regents should be attending school.

Locker Clean Out:

- Students will still have access to their lockers until the end of the day on June 12th. ***All items must be cleared out of their lockers by the end of the day on Thursday, June 12th.***
- Students will be given the opportunity to clean out all materials from their lockers, prior to June 13th, the last day of classes at the high school. During homeroom, students in grades 11 and 12 will clean out their lockers on Tuesday, June 10th. Students in grades 9 and 10 will have the same opportunity on Thursday, June 12th.
- Students should leave their locks secured to their locker at the conclusion of the day June 12th.
- Lockers will be secured and all materials that remain in student lockers ***will be discarded*** at the conclusion of the day on Thursday, June 12, 2025.
- If your child is absent on Thursday, June 12th, please contact the HS Main Office, prior to the end of the school day, to make arrangements to pick up any remaining contents in your child's locker.

Last Day of Classes:

The last day of classes will be Friday, June 13, 2025, and the last day of classes for our BOCES program students is Monday, June 16th. Transportation to BOCES, from the high school, will continue as normally scheduled through Monday. On Monday, June 16, 2025, BOCES students need to either take the morning bus and remain in the cafeteria or get dropped off at the high school by 11:00 AM. Any questions or concerns, please see Mr. White, Assistant Principal.

School-Wide Testing Administration

The school-wide testing schedule will begin on Monday, June 16, 2025, and will continue through Wednesday, June 25, 2025. There are no classes in session during this time and only those students scheduled to take an exam or who are receiving supervised extra help may be in the building. Please refer to the attached testing calendar. These exams will be given during two exam sessions each day, 8:00 AM - 11:00 AM and 12:00 PM - 3:00 PM. In observance of Juneteenth, school is closed on Thursday, June 19th.

- All students are required to take scheduled school finals and Regents examinations. **Only students who are legally absent with a doctor's note will have make-up privileges for final exams.** Students who are absent **without** a doctor's note will receive a "0" for the final and Regents exam(s). The Regents exam is the course final and is valued 10% of their final average in the class. **There are no make-up for any NYS Regents exams.**
- No electronic or communication devices are permitted to enter the testing area. Prohibited items include, but are not limited to, cell phones, **wearable devices/smart wearables, including smart watches**, and health wearables with a display, IPODS, MP3 Players, iPads, tablets, other eReaders, personal laptops, notebooks or any other computing devices, camera or other photographic equipment, headphones, headsets, or in ear headphones such as earbuds and any other device capable of recording audio, photographic or video content or capable of viewing or play back such content. All electronic and communication devices must be turned in when students enter the building. **Students found to be in possession of any of the above-mentioned items, in the testing location, will receive a zero on their exam.** The school is not responsible for any damaged or lost electronic devices. Detection devices will be used to monitor students as they enter the building.
- During Regents and school-wide testing days, students will **not** be allowed to bring backpacks or any type of carrying case to school.
- All students will enter exclusively through the **designated doors by the Unified Arts wing.** Students entering the building will be allowed to bring only pre-approved items. Those items include inhalers (for medical purposes), small pocketbooks, pens, pencils, and specific materials appropriate for the exam, such as a calculator or compass.
- Regents Exams will require the use of both an ink pen (no gel pens or markers) and pencil. Please be sure to have students bring **pens to all Regents Exams.**
- Calculators will be provided for final and Regents Exams if a personal calculator is not available.

Transportation:

Bus transportation for all morning exams will follow the normal time and location as it was during the school year. For afternoon exams, a modified schedule will be utilized. After each examination, an abbreviated bus schedule will be used to transport students from school to a specific drop-off location. For a more detailed explanation, please refer to the attached page located on the "Modified Bus Schedule for June Testing 2025." Any questions, the bus company can be contacted at 631-924-8400.

Breakfast/Lunch-Cafeteria Needs:

During finals and Regents week, breakfast and bagged lunches will be available in the cafeteria for purchase. Food items brought from home should be in a **clear** Ziploc bag.

Book Fines/Library Books:

Students must settle all fines prior to the end of the school year. Seniors will not be given their caps and gowns required to participate in the graduation ceremony until all fines are settled.

Any questions regarding testing, please contact Ms. Debra White, Assistant Principal, at 474-2723 or the Guidance office at 474-2728.

Sincerely,

Kevin M. Slavin
Principal

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Modified Bus Schedule for June Testing

During the weeks of June testing (when classes are no longer in session), June 16th to June 25th, the high school will run on a modified bus schedule.

- Students will follow their normal bus routes for the AM arrival time of 6:55 AM.
- Additional buses will be provided to transport students to the high school for the afternoon exams.
 - Afternoon exams will begin at 12:00 PM. Students' arrival time for these exams will be 11:30 AM.
 - **All students should be at their designated bus stop at 10:50 AM for all 11:30 AM arrivals.**
 - See below to note the bus schedule for the afternoon arrivals. The chart below will explain which bus stops will be utilized on specific days.
- The district will also provide additional buses, throughout the day, to transport students home once they have completed their exams.
 - Buses **will leave the high school** to transport students home, after the morning exams, at the following times:
 - 10:30 AM, buses will depart from the high school.
 - 11:15 AM, buses will depart from the high school.
 - Buses **will leave the high school** to transport students home, after the afternoon exams, at the following times:
 - 2:15 PM, buses will depart from the high school.
 - 3:15 PM, buses will depart from the high school.
- Attached is the (4 BUS) separate modified bus schedule.
- Please contact the bus company at 631-924-8400 if you have any questions.

	Wed. 6-11	Mon. 6-16	Tues. 6-17	Wed. 6-18	Fri. 6-20	Mon. 6-23	Tues. 6-24	Wed. 6-25
Regular Arrival	Regular Arrival Times-Geometry Regent AM	Regular Arrival Times	Regular Arrival Times	Regular Arrival Times	Regular Arrival Times	Regular Arrival Times	Regular Arrival Times	Regular Arrival Times-Algebra 2 Regent AM
11:30 am Arrival for PM exams	No Tests- No PM Busing	4 Bus Schedule	4 Bus Schedule	4 Bus Schedule	4 Bus Schedule	4 Bus Schedule	4 Bus Schedule	No Tests- No PM Busing