



A.B. Miller High School
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The end of the first quarter is upon us, with this important grading period end this Friday, October 9, 2026. These report cards will be available for students and parents on Q starting Monday, October 12, 2026. As a reminder, the 1st and 3rd quarter report cards, in addition to the 1st and 2nd semester report cards are used for athletic and performing group eligibility. Students must earn a C average or 2.0 overall and not fail more than two (2) courses at any of these checkpoints.

For all senior families, October marks college preparation for next school year. The FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid) application period has opened. Please see the Counseling Article on the next page for its purpose and how to get your students application done. For students who are ahead of credits by a minimum of 10 and have their FAFSA completed may meet with their counselor to obtain a shorten day application for a free 6th period. All students doing the free 6th period, MUST leave campus at the conclusion of 5th period daily. Also this month our seniors will be working with their counselors to complete the California State University (CSU), University of California (UC), and the Common App with our seniors. This will be in anticipation of our College Application Kickoff event on Friday, November 13, 2026. We are working with your student to ensure that their applications are complete prior to the event, as many will also be able to participate in on the spot admission that day to several local colleges and universities that day as well.

Also, this month we are working with our students on CalKIDS. CalKIDS (California Kids Investment and Development Savings Program) is a statewide initiative that helps students save for college and career training by providing eligible California children with a free scholarship funds. Many students may already have money set aside through a CalKIDS account, including eligible low-income, English learners, foster youth, students experiencing homelessness, and children born in California on or after July 1, 2022. Parents can easily check their child's eligibility by visiting CalKIDS.org and selecting "Confirm Eligibility." Families will need their student's Statewide Student Identifier (SSID), which can be found in Student or Parent Q. If a student is eligible, parents can claim the account online in just a few minutes. Once claimed, the funds remain available for the student to use toward qualified higher education expenses such as tuition, fees, books, supplies, and career training programs after high school.

I am here to serve you and our students. Please let me know if there is anything I can do to help you navigate high school. You are welcome to reach out via phone at (909) 357-5800 extension 10117 or by e-mail at barbara.kelley@fusd.net.

#WeAreABMiller
Dr. Barbara Kelley, Principal



FAFSA 2027-2028: Your Key to College and Career Training Opportunities

As students and families begin planning for life after high school, one of the most important steps they can take is completing the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) for the 2027-2028 academic year. The FAFSA is the gateway to financial assistance that can help cover the cost of college, university, trade school, or career training programs. By submitting the FAFSA, students may qualify for federal grants, scholarships, work-study opportunities, and low-interest student loans. Many states and colleges also use FAFSA information to determine eligibility for their own financial aid programs. Recent updates have simplified the

FAFSA, allowing most families to complete it in approximately 15 minutes.

Financial aid experts encourage students to complete the FAFSA as early as possible. While federal aid remains available throughout the application cycle, many state and institutional grants are awarded on a first-come, first-served basis. Filing early can maximize opportunities for free financial aid and help students receive award information sooner, making it easier to compare college options and plan for future expenses.

The process begins by creating a StudentAid.gov account, also known as an FSA ID, for both the student and any required parent contributors. Applicants should gather important information such as Social Security numbers, email addresses, and tax information. Once logged in at StudentAid.gov, students can start the 2027-2028 FAFSA, invite parent contributors if needed, provide consent for the Department of Education to securely retrieve tax information from the IRS, list colleges they are considering, review their information, and electronically sign and submit the application. Recent FAFSA improvements include clearer instructions, faster account verification, and the ability to invite contributors by text message or email.

Completing the FAFSA is one of the simplest yet most impactful steps students can take toward achieving their educational goals. Families are encouraged to submit their application early and ensure they do not leave valuable financial aid opportunities on the table.

Upcoming Events

- ❖ October 5 – Coffee with the Principal starting at 9:00 AM in P-3
- ❖ October 6 – Girls Golf vs. Jurupa Valley High School starting at 3:30 PM
- ❖ October 6 – Girls Flag Football @ Norte Vista High School starting at 3:45 PM
- ❖ October 6 – Girls Tennis vs. Big Bear High School starting at 3:45 PM
- ❖ October 6 – Girls Volleyball vs. Big Bear High School starting at 3:45 PM
- ❖ October 7 – Cross Country League Meet #2 @ Martin Tudor Park starting at 3:15 PM
- ❖ October 7- JV Football @ Patriot High School starting at 3:45 PM
- ❖ October 8 – Girls Tennis vs. Jurupa Valley High School starting at 3:45 PM
- ❖ October 8 – Varsity Football vs. Patriot High School starting at 7:00 PM
- ❖ October 9 – End of Quarter 1....Report Cards will be available on Parent Q starting October 12

Athletic Director's Message

Fontana A.B. Miller High School is one of ten member schools that comprise the River Valley Conference.

A.B. Miller fields teams in 21 boys', girls' and co-educational sports at two to three different levels (Varsity, Junior Varsity, and Freshman).

To participate in a team, each student athlete is required to maintain at least a 2.0 grade point average. To help our student athletes make the academic grades necessary, A.B. Miller runs an academic accountability program for its student athletes. The staff member who developed and oversees the program is responsible for tracking grades, making parent contact, tutoring, and serving as a liaison between student athletes, teachers, and parents.

If you have any athletics questions, please reach out me at pfeimh@fUSD.net or call me at (909) 357-5800 ext. 10114.

Michael Pfeiffer Jr., Athletic Director

A.B. Miller Athletics will be using **GoFan** for ALL home games for ALL levels (Freshman, JV, and Varsity). Many of our opponents will also be using **GoFan** for away competitions. Please use the QR code below **GoFan** and purchase your tickets.



Drop Off and Pick Up

Students may enter or exit one of two ways in the morning and at the end of the school day.

From the Cypress Avenue Side of Campus, please enter the parking lot from the northern gate near the tennis courts. Proceed to drop your student off and exit the southern gate. This parking lot is for student parking as well and is locked 15 minutes after school begins in the morning and is unlocked 15 minutes before the end of the school day.

From the Oleander Avenue Side of Campus, please use the northbound drop-off. Please do not sit and park in the morning, rather drop off and proceed north towards Highland Avenue to ensure that traffic keeps flowing. Students then need to walk in or out of the campus through the gates between the library and the Q-building (two-story building). This entrance will be open until 8:35 AM.

Students arriving after the gates are closed, need to proceed to the Attendance Office in the Oleander Avenue Parking Lot. Students check themselves in using our electronic pass system in the Attendance Office and quickly proceed to class, to minimize classroom interruptions and your student's learning loss.



AB MILLER REBELS

TUTORING SCHEDULE



**GET HELP.
STAY ON TRACK.**



**BUILD SKILLS.
GAIN CONFIDENCE.**



**PREPARE TODAY.
SUCCEED TOMORROW.**

Teacher Name	Subject	Room	Day(s)	Hours
Ms. Aird	Math	BC-1	Monday and Wednesday	7:30-8:00 AM
Mr. Tijerina	Spanish	F-2	Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday Friday	7:30-8:00 AM
Ms. Newell	Social Science	F-7	Monday	3:30-4:30 PM
Mrs. Lopez Gutierrez	Spanish	FL-10	Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday	3:30-5:00 PM
Mrs. Tradi	French	FL-11	Monday, Tuesday, and Thursday	3:30-4:00 PM
Dr. Acevedo	Spanish	FL-6	Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday	3:30-4:00 PM
Ms. Stanhope	English and Dual Enrollment	FL-9	Thursday	3:30-4:30 PM
Mrs. Richier	English	H-16	Thursday	3:30-4:30 PM
Mrs. Maxwell	English	H-18	Thursday	3:30-4:30 PM
Ms. Aguayo	English	H-4	Monday	3:30-4:30 PM
Mrs. Bogdan-Olaru	Math	M-10	Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday	7:45-8:30 AM
Mrs. Schief	Math and English	M-11	Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday Friday Monday, Tuesday, Thursday	7:30-8:00 AM 3:30-4:00 PM
Ms. Flores	Math	M-12	Tuesday	3:30-4:30 PM
Mr. Kim	Math	M-13	Monday and Friday	3:30-4:30 PM
Mr. Stoica	Math	M-15	Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday Tuesday	8:00-8:30 AM 3:30-4:30 PM
Mr. Bravo	Math	M-16	Tuesday	3:30-4:30 PM
Mrs. Orosco	Math	M-17	Monday and Friday	3:30-4:30 PM
Mr. Borschak	Math	M-18	Tuesday and Thursday	7:30-8:00 AM
Mrs. Elder	Math	M-3	Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday Tuesday	8:00-8:25 AM 3:30-4:30 PM
Mrs. Chaudhary	Math	M-7	Tuesday	3:30-4:45 PM
Dr. Abba	Math	M-8	Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday	3:30-4:30 PM
Mrs. Van Buskirk	Math	M-9	Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday	3:30-4:30 PM
Mr. Sandler	Science	Q-209	Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday	7:30-8:00 AM
Mrs. Braga	Biology and Marine Biology	Q-212	Thursday	3:30-4:30 PM
Mrs. Umandap	Biology	S-1	Monday, Tuesday, and Thursday	3:35-4:35 PM
Mrs. DeSart	English	S-5	Wednesday and Thursday	7:30-8:00 AM
Mr. Vamvakas	Biology	S-8	Tuesday and Thursday	3:30-4:30 PM



TUTORING IS FREE
★ OPEN TO ALL REBELS! ★



SHOW UP. PUT IN THE WORK. BE A REBEL.

PASSWORD RESET? NO PROBLEM!

GETTING BACK INTO YOUR ACCOUNT IN JUST A FEW EASY STEPS!

1

TRIGGER THE PASSWORD REFRESH

Have your Teacher use the Process Manager to trigger the refresh of your password.



Then wait
15 minutes

before attempting the steps below.

FORMAT:



+



BIRTHDAY
(MMDDYYYY)

+



FIRST 2 LETTERS
OF YOUR
FIRST NAME



Remember: The first two letters of your first name should use **proper capitalization**.

EXAMPLE:

Evelyn

Birthday:
June 8, 2018

Temporary Password:

=06082018Ev

2

LOG IN



Sign in with your temporary password.

IF YOU NEED TO
CHANGE IT:



PRESS

Ctrl + Alt + Delete



SELECT

Change a Password



CREATE

A new password

3

CREATE A STRONG PASSWORD

DO THIS:

- ✓ 8+ CHARACTERS
- ✓ USE 3 OF THESE:

A

UPPERCASE
(A-Z)

a

LOWERCASE
(a-z)

1

NUMBER
(0-9)

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SPECIAL
CHARACTER
(!@#\$% etc.)

DON'T DO THIS:

- ✗ Your name
- ✗ School or team name
- ✗ "Fontana"
- ✗ Easy passwords like:

12345678
abcdefghi

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YOU'RE ALL SET!

STRONG PASSWORDS KEEP
YOUR ACCOUNT SAFE.

Make it easy for **YOU** to remember
and hard for others to guess!



★ BE SMART. BE SAFE. BE SECURE! ★