



ADMINISTRATION TEAM

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Principal

Darrin Flowers, 9th grade
Assistant Principal

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Assistant Principal

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Assistant Principal

Robert Williams, 10th grade
Assistant Principal

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WEEKLY NOTES

October 19 – 23, 2026

OCTOBER IS MICHIGAN COLLEGE MONTH

SPirit WEEK!!

MONDAY

Spirit Week: Dress for the Wrong Occasion

9th Grade PSAT Testing
College Visit: Howard, 10:50am
Girls Volleyball PSL Quarterfinals, 5pm

TUESDAY

Spirit Week: Adam Sandler vs. Strictly Business

10th & 11th Grade PSAT Testing

WEDNESDAY

Spirit Week: Family Day

College Visit: Columbia College Chicago, 10:20am
Departmental Meeting, 3:30pm

THURSDAY

Spirit Week: Throwback Thursday

Seminar will be moved to the last period of the day: 2nd, 6th, 4th, Seminar

College Visit: College Fair, Wayne State
Kahn Academy: 1:45pm – 2:15pm
Royal Court Tabeing, 2:15pm – 3pm
Girls Volleyball, PSL Semifinals @ WCCCD, 5pm

FRIDAY

Spirit Week: Class Shirts & Rennichella

College Visit: College Application Day, King @9am
Quarter 1 Ends
Homecoming Parade & Pep Rally, 12pm
Homecoming Football Game vs. Hamtramck, 7pm

SATURDAY

Homecoming Dance, Bellagio Banquet Center, 7pm

Mark Your Calendar...

- After School Tutoring: Monday – Thursday; 3:30pm – 5:30pm
- Saturday Tutoring: 8:30am – 12:30pm
- October 26: Quarter 2 Begins
- October 29: Jazz Night
- October 30: Phoenix Halloween
- November 2: 8th Grade Open House
- November 3: No School, District PD
- November 11: Report Card Day
- November 11: Title 1 Parent Workshop/SAC Mtg/SIP Mtg