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Dear NLRHS Senior Parents and Guardians:

As mid school year rapidly approaches, we want to increase awareness of the resources and opportunities available to your high school student and some significant dates to add to your calendar.

Class of 2023 Google Classroom

The high school has a google classroom dedicated to the needs of each grade level. Your student's Class of 2023 classroom contains:

1. all announcements regarding current happenings and graduation;
2. details and paperwork for Community Service Learning;
3. Transcript Request Form;
4. scholarship listing—including applications and application links;
5. FAFSA (Financial Aid) information and step-by-step video;
6. creating an academic resume' slideshow;
7. NAIA and NCAA Clearinghouse information and application links;
8. how to pay debts and check fines;
9. self-care articles and meditation links.

ASVAB

NLRHS will administer the ASVAB on Tuesday, November 29 in the Auditorium. If you plan to take the exam, please complete the form below. The ASVAB is the military entrance exam but may also be used as an aptitude test. There is no charge to take the exam. PLEASE BRING YOUR CHROMEBOOK--CHARGED!!!

The sign up link for the ASVAB is in the Class of 2023 google classroom under "Current Happenings."

HBCU College Fair

We will take a group of juniors and seniors to the Southwest High School on November 30 to attend the Historically Black Colleges and Universities College Fair. The sign up form is in the Class of 2023 google classroom; permission slips must be returned by Friday, November 18.

Senior Dues

The concept of Senior Dues was to lessen the amount of times seniors pay for various items. Currently, there are two options.



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OPTION 1: \$100

Cap, gown, and tassel**
Digital class photo
Senior Breakfast
Senior activity (TBD)
Senior t-shirt

OPTION 2: \$155

Cap, gown, and tassel**
Digital class photo
Senior Breakfast
Senior activity (TBD)
Senior t-shirt
Legacy Yearbook

Dues should be paid in the main guidance office. Cash only. Due by December 2!

**Seniors who wish to pay senior dues but have already ordered their cap, gown, and tassel through Jostens can subtract \$40 for the total amount due.

Legacy Yearbook

The Legacy yearbook can be ordered by visiting yearbookforever.com; senior ads or business ads may be purchased by completing this google form: <https://forms.gle/2a4Nk6RnHVCdQyqx9>
Ad sales close on **November 30!**

College Applications and Scholarships

The week of December 5 through December 9, counselors will offer a second opportunity for students to come to the cafeteria during flex for assistance with completing college, university, or trade school applications and/or scholarships.

Students need to know their social security number and complete mailing address to complete applications.

The counselors do not send transcripts. We have two registrars, Ms. Jackson and Mrs. Anderson, who send records. Students should complete the Transcript Request Form in the Class of 2023 google classroom when they need a transcript. If the transcript should be sent electronically, they will need to include an email address. Picking up a hard copy is also an option. Hard copies are available 24 hours after the request is made and are \$2 each.

Arkansas Scholars

The list of senior Arkansas Scholars is posted in the Class of 2023 google classroom. Arkansas Scholars must meet the following criteria:

1. Complete the Smart Core Curriculum
2. No semester grade lower than a C – weighted or unweighted
3. Attendance of at least 95%



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If your student believes they should be on the list but are not, please have them contact their counselor.

Honor Graduates

To earn the designation of Honor Graduate, a student must have a 3.5 cumulative grade point average in the college core curriculum. The cumulative average is based on all courses taken and the GPA is not rounded up. Additionally, honor graduates **must also complete a full credit of Community Service Learning** (75 hours) and submit all required items by May 1, 2023. Due to timing, this year's seniors have some flexibility as to the organization with whom they complete their hours.

December 16, 2022

Last day before Winter Break. There are no semester exams! It is a regular school day and attendance will be taken as normal.

January 20, 2023

Friday, January 20, 2023 is the last day of the FIRST semester. Because of the timing, we will not have semester exams. Student grades will be an average of the first nine weeks and second nine weeks marks. We will have second semester exams in May.

May 2, 2023

Arkansas Scholars Celebration; 6:00 p.m.: UAPTC Center for Humanities and Arts

AP Exams May 1 through May 5

May 1 – AP US Government (AM); **May 2** – AP Psychology (PM); **May 3** – AP English Lit (AM); **May 4** – AP Human Geography (AM), AP Seminar (PM), AP Statistics (PM); **May 5** – AP European History (AM), AP US History (AM)

May 8, 2023

Senior Academic Awards Program; 6:00 p.m., Performing Arts Center

Academic Awards Night focuses primarily on upperclassmen and is planned and executed by the school Activities Director. Outside agencies/sponsors are invited to present scholarships and seniors are invited to announce their future plans—college, military, work—and any scholarships they have received.



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AP Exams May 8 through May 12

May 8 – AP Calculus (AM); **May 9** – AP English Lang (AM); **May 10** – AP Spanish (AM), AP Biology (PM); **May 11** – AP Physics (PM)

May 12, 2023

Last day for seniors exempt from semester exams.

May 15 through May 18, 2023

Semester exams for seniors

May 19, 2023

Senior Breakfast and Senior Walk; Location TBD

May 20, 2023

Prom: The Venue at Westwind

Other May 2023 events with dates not yet determined:

1. Senior Celebration Activity
2. Academic Signing Day

Academic Signing is an end-of-the-year senior event sponsored by the North Little Rock Public Education Foundation. The honorees, chosen from the graduating seniors with a cumulative GPA of 3.8 or better (in the college core) and/or the designation as a National Merit Scholar, will be selected based on, but not limited to, the following criteria:

- Be the recipient of one of the top scholarships from their college/university of choice
- Be the winner of a state or national academic scholarship program (i.e. Governor's Distinguished, National Merit Finalist)
- Be appointed to a service academy
- Be accepted to a highly selective institution

Those selected to participate receive a FORMAL invitation. Not all students who meet the initial criteria will be selected to participate.

June 1, 2023

Graduation will be held at the Jack Stephens Center located on the campus of the University of Arkansas at Little Rock. The ceremony will begin at 7:00 p.m. and each graduate will be allowed six (6) guests; infants will count as one of the six permitted.

All graduates must wear a cap, gown, and tassel purchased through Jostens. Only items issued by the school may be worn with the graduation gown.