

# Class of 2021 April Senior Meeting



# Today's Agenda

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- Welcome - Class Sponsors
- Greetings - Principal
- Important Dates - Administrator
- Verification Forms - Registrar
- SSL hours/Updates - Professional School Counseling Team
- Memory Book - Yearbook Team
- Testing - Testing Coordinator
- Peer Forward - Peer Forward Team
- Senior Updates/ Q & A - Sponsors



# Important Dates

- Senior Last Day
  - Friday, May 14, 2021
- Senior Check-Out Day
  - Tentative Wednesday, May 19, 2021
- Graduation
  - June 2, 2021



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# Graduation

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- Wednesday, June 2, 2021
- University of Maryland, College Park MD
- 9:00 AM
  - Student arrival TBD
  - Students must bring I.D. (driver's licence, school I.D. etc)
- *Prince George's County Public Schools (PGCPS) will hold outdoor graduation ceremonies in May and June, assuming COVID metrics are favorable and vaccination within the county continues to progress as anticipated.*

# Senior Check-Out

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- All graduating seniors will be assigned a time slot based on last name.
- Time slots will be posted in the Class of 2021 Google Classroom
- Distribution of cap & gowns (all packages) will occur during senior check-out

**SENIORS  
ROCK!**

# Senior Check-Out

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- All Bladensburg materials must be returned
  - Textbooks/class materials
  - Sports equipment/uniforms (return to coach once season is over)
  - JROTC uniforms
  - Band instruments/materials
  - Chromebooks (school-issued Chromebooks must be returned to receive cap & gown)

# Senior Check-Out

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- Please email Ms. Colbert if you are a summer graduate
- We must adhere to strict social distancing guidelines
  - Students who come outside of their assigned time slot will not receive their cap & gown
  - You will be rescheduled for alternate pick up time



# Graduation

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- Number of guest per graduate:
  - 2
- Graduation Rehearsal:
  - Video
    - Will be emailed





# Graduation Attire

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New 2021 Cap & Gown Design (please email Ms. Boyd if you purchased a cap & gown last year)

- White dress or white skirt with white shirt
- White shirt with white pants
- White/nude comfortable shoes (no sneakers)
- White short sleeve polo shirt with dark pants
- Dark comfortable shoes (no sneakers)

# From the Desk of the Registrar

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# Diploma Verification Forms

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- Due date - March 26, 2021
  - extension was given - April 16, 2021
- \$45.00 for a diploma reprint
- Change of address
  - <https://pgcpsmdc.scriborder.com/>



# Professional School Counseling

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# Student Service Learning Hours

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- The Maryland State Department of Education
  - Waived student service learning hours
  - Waived testing requirements

# Important Information

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- FINISH STRONG! The school year is not over!
- DECISION DAY IS MAY 6. Please share videos with Ms. Gordon.
- Please indicate what college you will be attending in Naviance.
- A PGCPs Senior Survey is required. Details coming soon.



# Mid Year Graduation Notification (GNA)

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- A personalized document, completed by your child's Professional School Counselor which provides detailed insight on your child's progress for graduation
- Jeopardy Letters



**Join our google  
classroom  
Use code:  
ecsgxn4**

## Professional School Counselors



**Mrs. Cheyonne Christian (Last Names A-C)**

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**Mrs. Consuelo Pettigrew (Last Names D-K)**

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**You Can Do It!**



**Ms. Tamara Kirby (Last Names L-P)**

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**Mrs. Gillian Caruth-Hunt (Last Names Q-Z)**

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# Memory Book

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# Memory Book Updates

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- Theme: “**Together Apart**”
- Memory Book/Yearbook - Cost: \$10.00
- Online Version
- Senior Ad Page by: Monday, May 3, 2021
- Create Your Page
- All pictures must be clear: nothing fuzzy or blurred
- A Google Form will be added to the Class of 2021 Google Classroom tomorrow to order a memory book.



# Examples of a Senior AD

**Tyler,**  
It is hard to believe that our little baby boy  
is all grown up and following his dream  
of playing college soccer and someday,  
professional soccer.



We are sad to let you go,  
but I can't wait to see  
what your future holds!

*Alisa Franasiaak*



Dear Alisa,  
You did it!!!  
We are so proud of you  
and all that you have  
accomplished.

May you be successful in  
all of your endeavors and  
may you achieve all that  
you dream of!

"Reach for the Stars!"

Love you always,  
Mom, Dad and Dan



# Testing



Ms. Shelton

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# TESTING UPDATES

**Senior Scholars in the Class of 2021 have received a WAIVER from MSDE to be excused from state assessments and bridge projects.**





Ms. Donald

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# Your PeerForward Peer Leaders Need Your Help

*FAFSA Completion % as of Jan 29 .....* **17%**

**March 1 Goal .....** **26%**

*# FAFSAs Until Goal.....* **33**

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*Current % Seniors with 3+ Apps .....* **12%**

**June 1 Goal .....** **55%**

*# Students to Goal .....* **158**

Join Us for College Applications  
Support, One-on-One FAFSA  
Support & SAT Test Taking Tips

When: Tuesday, February 16, 2021

Time: 4:00 P.M. - 5:00 P.M.

Join Zoom Meeting Link:

<https://pgcps-org.zoom.us/j/85110374155>

Meeting ID: 851 1037 4155





# Senior Updates

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Ms. Porter

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# Final Exam Schedule

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- **May 6, 2021**                      **Periods 1 and 3 (A-Day)**
- **May 7, 2021**                      **Periods 1 and 3 (B-Day)**
- **May 10, 2021**                      **Periods 2 and 4 (A-Day)**
- **May 11, 2021**                      **Periods 2 and 4 (B-Day)**
- **May 12, 2021**                      **Make Up Exams**  
**Periods 1A, 1B, 2A, 3A, 3B, 4B**
- **May 13, 2021**                      **Schools Are Closed**
- **May 14, 2021**                      **Make Up Exams**  
**Periods 1A, 1B, 2A, 3A, 3B, 4A, 4B**

# Advanced Placement Exam Schedule

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## **Paper and Pencil Only**

- **May 7, 2021 - Chemistry**
- **May 11, 2021 - Psychology and Spanish**
- **May 14, 2021 - Biology and Environmental Science**

# Last Meeting Dates

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- Senior Meeting
  - Wednesday, May 12, 2021
  - 10:00 AM
- Additional meeting may occur based upon new information





# Class of 2021 Google Classroom

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Class code:  
**rs7bbh7**

Countdown Timer

