

WEDNESDAY, February 19, 2020

TODAY'S ACTIVITIES (as time allows)

Does this class even matter????

- As we plan for next year and think about what classes we will be taking next year, sometimes it can be easy to wonder... do I REALLY need this class??
- Take a look at this chart created by Thomas Armstrong (2016) about how students can link material being taught in school to their own lives.
 - **Connecting Learning to Students' Personal Lives**

Content Area	Think of a time in your life when...
History (American Revolution)	You felt like revolting against authority
Literature (Macbeth)	You wanted something so badly that you were willing to break the rules to get it
Biology (stress response)	You get stressed out and experienced one or more physical, mental, or emotional disturbances
Mathematics (probability)	You weighed the possibilities/probabilities of doing something that was potentially dangerous
Social Science (prejudice)	You discriminated against someone because he or she was different from you OR someone else discriminated against you
Physics (Newton's first law of motion)	You felt like staying in bed indefinitely until one of your parents yelled at you to get up
Chemistry (Boyle's Law)	You felt like you were under a lot of pressure
Foreign Language (Spanish)	You really needed to speak

	Spanish to communicate something important or to understand something important that someone was saying
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REMINDERS:

- Mrs. Gunion and Ms. Meza have officially started meeting with the Class of 2023 for one-on-one course request meetings!
 - Remember: The date of your meeting has NOTHING to do with your priority of enrolling in classes for next year! We are simply planning for next year!
 - After you have had your one-on-one meeting, you only need to turn in the white paper from the meeting IF YOU MAKE CHANGES :)

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- There will be an adjusted bell schedule for Sophomore [Interviews](#) on Wednesday February 26, 2020
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Period 1	7:50am to 8:45am
Period 2	8:50am to 9:45am
Break	9:45a,m to 9:55am
Period 3	10:00am to 10:55am
Period 4	11:00am to 11:55am
Lunch	11:55am to 12:25pm
Sophomore Interviews	12:35pm to 3:10pm

UPCOMING EVENTS:

- **UPCOMING EVENTS**
 - BSU members: join us today at lunch for a fun Black History Month scavenger hunt!
 - The search begins in room 150. There will be prizes!
 - Do you want to be an airplane pilot? Friday, February 21st during periods 2 and 3 we will have a presentation on Aviation Careers in room 1300, Scottie Connect.
 - If you are interested and DO NOT have Scottie Connect, see Mrs. Milburn in 1380 before Friday

- Helix Dance presents its annual Hip Hop Night on Wednesday, February 26th and Thursday, February 27th at 7pm on the main stage theater. Tickets can be purchased at www.helixdancers.com
- Go ASPIRE is hosting a Dodgeball Game on Thursday February 20 from 3-5 on the football field, in between the 1100 building and the track.