



# This Week at Hagerty High School...

### Principal's Message December 2, 2022

I hope that everyone enjoyed a wonderful Thanksgiving week with friends and family. There are only two weeks left in the first semester! 9-weeks exams will take place during the week of December 12-16. The exam schedule is attached for you. Please remember that we do not allow students to take exams early. If a student misses an exam due to absence, then they will need to schedule a make-up test with the teacher. This test may be administered in January when students and teachers return from the winter holidays. A zero will be placed into the gradebook until the exam is made up. Upon completion of the exam, the grade will be changed and updated officially in Skyward.

This is also the time of year when our performing arts programs put on their winter showcases. Come out tonight and see the band program's Rhapsody in Blue Concert starting at 7:00. This is always a fun performance that showcases the students' ability to organize the ensembles. Next week our chorus program will host their winter show on Tuesday evening at 7:00. The week will end with our dance show on Friday night at 7:00. Don't miss your opportunity to come out and watch some of our most talented students perform!

I hope everyone has a wonderful weekend! Go Huskies!

#### **Student Services**

**Bright Futures Application:** December 5-6, Seniors will submit their Bright Futures Scholarship application during Economics or US Government classes. If students are absent or do not have one of these courses on campus, they may use the attached file to help complete the application. In this application. Students are asked to provide their Social Security number. If this information is unknown, the system will not be able to fully process the application. If a student does not know or does not wish to provide this information, they will be given a 'pseudo number'. This will need to be updated in the application at a later date.

**Bright Futures Evaluation Reports for Juniors and Seniors** have been posted to Skyward. These reports may be accessed form the Skyward Parent account under the *Portfolio* tab.

Community Service Updates: We are awaiting clarification on what type of work hours can be applied towards community service for the purpose of the Bright Futures Scholarship. We have been advised from the Florida Department of Education that students may not combine work hours with community service hours in order to reach the required total. Once we receive direction from the state and county regarding the type of work they will allow, we will share that information and those forms with you. Thank you for your patience.

**Community service** information and documents can be found at <u>THIS</u> link on the Hagerty website. Students may also pick up printed copies in either Student Services office. *The deadline for seniors to submit service hours is May 1, 2023.* 

**Thrive with 5!** Are you surviving senior year? THRIVE w/5 is an opportunity to participate in activities seniors need to complete and earn entries to win fun prizes along the way! See the attached flyer for more information.

Please check the <u>Student Services 2022-23</u> Canvas Page regularly for important announcements, scholarships, volunteer opportunities, college visits, and much more!

### **Testing Updates**

Please see our school website for the most up to date testing calendar. Students should check their school email regularly for testing updates.

# **Important Dates**

December 12-16: 2<sup>nd</sup> Quarter Exam Week December 14-16: Early Release Days January 26: Curriculum Night

April 22: Prom at the Hard Rock Universal May 16: Graduation at the UCF Arena (9:00 am)





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### **Hagerty Happenings**

**Credit Denial:** Please make sure that you review the credit denial and make-up time document in the attachments. If your student has more than 9 unexcused absences in a class, then they need to make up that time in order to earn credit in the class. It is the student's responsibility to track their missing time and make up any hours in order to earn credit.

**PTSA Holiday Ship:** Mark your calendar for next week, Dec 5-9, to visit our PTSA Holiday Shop for some great Husky gifts. Hoodies, shirts, hats, ornaments and more! We will be outside the front office every day from 9am-1pm.

**Husky Holiday Shots:** Please see the attached flyer for holiday photo opportunities that are being provided by our boys' lacrosse program as a fundraiser.

**Winter Week:** Next week, Hagerty High School will celebrate Winter Week! Thank you to the Leadership students for organizing this week and the events for our students to participate in. Here is the schedule for the week:

Monday: Merry Monday Morning (Pajama Day)

Tuesday: Ugly Sweater Day

Wednesday: Santa's Workshop (show off your favorite holiday accessories); Snowball Fight (6:00)

Thursday: Kohn's Candy Canes (wear red and white); Flick on the 50 (6:00)

Friday: Hawaiian Holiday (wear a tropical holiday outfit)

**106.7 Baby DJ Toy Drive:** Hagerty High School is a drop off location for the 106.7 "Baby DJ" toy drive. Toys must be new, unopened, and unwrapped! Collection areas are located in the front office lobby and/or participating club rooms. All toys will go to local families in need. The last day to drop off toys is December 13<sup>th</sup>.

# This week's activities on campus:

Monday: Girls Soccer vs. Lake Highland Prep (5:00/7:00)

Tuesday: Boys Soccer vs. Harmony (5:00/7:00); Winter Chorus Concert (7:00)

Wednesday: Varsity Girls Basketball vs. Tampa Plant (4:30); 9<sup>th</sup>/JV Boys Basketball vs. Olympia (6:00/7:30);

Dodgeball Tournament (6:00)

Thursday: JV Girls Basketball vs. Timber Creek (4:30); JV Girls Basketball vs. Spruce Creek (6:00) Varsity Girls

Basketball vs. Spruce Creek (7:30); Flick on the 50 (6:00)

Friday: Winter Dance Show (7:00)
Saturday: No Home Events





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