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Hoover High School

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REMINDERS

Freshman Orientation

August 1st, 2nd & 5th (A-L)

August 3rd, 4th & 5th (M-Z)

9th grade students will receive their schedules on August 5th during orientation.

Yellow Emergency Cards must be completed with parent/guardian signature prior to receiving schedule.

Sports physicals must be done before practices begin in July/August.

Please read through the dress code before doing your school shopping.

SAFETY REMINDERS

NO FOOD DELIVERIES. Hoover does not allow food deliveries from parents or delivery services.

Skateboards must be locked in the rack provided by the school. Students need to bring their own lock. Students may NOT carry skateboards on campus during the school day.

FUSD is not responsible for personal items such as cell phones, bicycles, skateboards, etc.

A Message from Mrs. Wheeler, Principal

Welcome to the 2022-23 school year at Hoover High School! We are preparing for the opening of school and are excited to welcome students and parents to this new year. The attached packet contains the information needed to help all students get off to a strong start, so please read through it carefully and keep it for your reference.

Hoover is committed to providing our students the high-quality education needed to be college and career-ready graduates: critical thinkers, effective communicators, responsible citizens, self-directed learners, and technological learners. We are qualifying students for college, providing more course options including career technical education and new electives, helping students stay connected to school through extra-curricular and co-curricular activities and strong academics, and providing a multitude of supports and opportunities for all students to be successful. As we welcome everyone to the 2022-23 school year, we intend to build on our prior work, learn from parent and student feedback, and work diligently to ensure that every student has a great experience at Hoover and is supported to achieve their best. We need parent and student involvement in helping achieve this vision, so please know you are welcome at any time, and we value your feedback and communication; and we value your partnership in helping make sure your student attends every day on time, stays on top of grades, and models behaviors that lead to success in school and the workplace. I encourage you to get directly involved at Hoover—by attending events, supporting activities, joining Booster groups, considering running for School Site Council, and staying in communication with teachers and staff. **Back to School Night is Monday, August 29th**; please put this date on your calendar to come see what's new, meet the teachers and staff, and learn about the opportunities here at Hoover. In the meantime, it is critically important that we receive updated emergency cards from everyone, and that your contact information is accurate in ATLAS. Also, if you know someone who plans to send their child to Hoover but who is not yet registered, you can let them know to come register as soon as possible. We're normally open for registration from 8-3 each day, but on Tuesday, August 2nd and Tuesday, August 9th we will be open until 7 p.m.

Incoming 9th graders should attend our Week of Welcome (WOW!) August 1-5th. This WOW Week serves as orientation to the school and gives 9th graders a head-start on making connections and getting set up for success. During WOW Week, students will be able to turn in emergency cards, see their class schedules, meet other students, engage in fun activities, purchase PE clothes, and tour the campus. Students will be able to pick up class schedules and request course changes if they return emergency cards.

All students should complete the emergency cards contained in this packet and return them to obtain class schedules during walk-through schedule distribution.

Finally, please note that our bell schedule has changed for this year. School starts at 8:30 every day and ends at 3:15 each day except for Mondays, when school ends at 2:15. Expect more details through student fresnoU email and through telephone messaging as we get closer to the start of school.

I look forward to working with you for a great year at Hoover High School. I am excited to welcome every Pate for an exciting and successful 2022-23 school year!

Sincerely,
Rebecca Wheeler, Principal

WOW – Week of Welcome/Freshman Orientation

Last Names A-L

August 1st, 2nd & 5th, 8:30 – 12:00 noon

Last Names M-Z

August 3rd, 4th & 5th, 8:30 – 12:00 noon

Orientation is designed to help new students gain knowledge of the Hoover way of life, make connections, and leave with a smile on their faces! Hoover junior and senior Pate Pack will make the students feel welcome, take them through a variety of activities - including a campus tour, AND give out some AWESOME prizes! Parents are encouraged to drop students off for the full program. **Parent Meet & Greet** - We welcome parents/guardians to stop by the cafeteria between 8:30-9:30 am on Friday, August 5th to enjoy a cup of coffee and donut. The counseling team would like to meet you and provide helpful resources for you and your student.

SCHEDULE DISTRIBUTION

To receive your 2022-2023 class schedule, students are required to **submit a completed Emergency Card**. Please have students turn Emergency Cards into their counselor during their scheduled distribution time below:

All 9th Grade Students

Friday, August 5th during orientation

10th – 12th Grade (students with last names beginning with A-L)

Tuesday, August 9th in Cafeteria 12:30 pm – 2:30 pm

10th – 12th Grade (students with last names beginning with M-Z)

Tuesday, August 9th in Cafeteria 2:30 pm – 4:30 pm

KNOW YOUR COUNSELOR

We've had changes to our counseling team! Students are assigned by their legal last name. If you have two last names, you will use the first of the two last names to determine whose caseload you are on. Please refer to the list below to identify who your counselor will be:

Last Names: A-Con

Greg.Boden@fresnounified.org

Last Names: Coa-G

Nathan.Chongtoua@fresnounified.org

Last Names: H-Map

Raquel.Lara@fresnounified.org

Last Names: Maq-Ph

Isaac.Reyna@fresnounified.org

Last Names: Pi-So

Marie.Aguirre@fresnounified.org

Last Names: Sp-Z

Katelin.Sievers@fresnounified.org

Head Counselor

Laurie.Miskulin@fresnounified.org

Project Counselor

Amy.Gonzalez@fresnounified.org

2022-2023 BELL SCHEDULE



Early Release Mondays All Period Schedule

Period 1	8:30-9:22
Period 2	9:28-10:14
Period 3	10:20-11:06
Period 4	11:12-11:58
Lunch	11:58-12:31
Period 5	12:37-1:23
Period 6	1:29-2:15
*Period 7	2:21-3:15

Tuesday – Friday All Period Schedule

Period 1	8:30-9:32
Period 2	9:38-10:34
Period 3	10:40-11:36
Period 4	11:42-12:38
Lunch	12:38-1:11
Period 5	1:17-2:13
Period 6	2:19-3:15
*Period 7	3:21-4:15

*Most student schedules are periods 1-6. 7th period is Credit Recovery.

Transportation

Bus schedules can be found on the Fresno Unified website:

transportation.fresnounified.org

HOW TO ACCESS YOUR STUDENT EMAIL

Step 1: In your internet browser, go to students.fresnou.org

- Log into your student portal using your 4-character ATLAS username
- If you forgot your password, reset it by clicking the 'Forgot your password?' link

Step 2: Click on the Office 365 icon



Step 3: Sign into Office 365 using your Fresno Unified email and password.

- Your email address starts with your 4-character ATLAS username (_ _ _ _ @fresnou.org)
- Your password for Office 365 is the same as ATLAS



Sign in

ab1c@fresnou.org

No account? [Create one!](#)

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Federal Student Aid
An OFFICE of the U.S. DEPARTMENT of EDUCATION

SENIORS - One of the first steps to earning FREE money for college is creating your personal electronic signature with the federal government. Seniors and one of their parents will need to create an FSA ID prior to completing the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA). Students and parents will have opportunities to work with their counselor to create an FSA ID; however, we are asking for your help, so you and your student are prepared. Students and parent will need the following information to create an FSA ID:

- Legal name as written on the social security card
- Social Security Number
- Home address
- Personal email account
- Personal cell phone number (optional)

SENIOR FAMILIES

Congratulations on making it to the most critical year of your student's high school experience! This will be an exciting and busy year for your senior. The year will be filled with building new relationships, strengthening existing ones, making important decisions, celebrating academic successes, and creating lifetime memories through a variety of events and activities. To kick-off your student's senior year, we invite you to attend **SENIOR NIGHT** to learn everything you need to navigate through this crucial year and set your student up for success! Please join us on **Monday, August 29th** during our Back-to-School Night. Invitations will be sent with details.



SENIOR PICTURES

If you have not scheduled your senior pictures, call Ficarra Studios at (559)266-0624 immediately to schedule an appointment. Contact Mr. Stafford in room 70 for more information.



NEW STUDENT REGISTRATION begins on Tuesday, August 2nd. Hours are 8:00—11:30 AM and 1:00—3:00 PM. We will also have two evening registrations on Tuesday, August 2nd and Tuesday, August 9th, from 4:00 —7:00 PM.

Please bring the following documents:

- Transcripts from the last school you received semester credits.
Incoming 9th graders need report card.
- Birth Certificate
- Shot Records
- Proof of address (must be in parent's/guardian's name, i.e., water bill, PG&E bill or lease agreement). The address must be within the Hoover boundaries.

ATTENDANCE PROCEDURES



Parents are required to call the Attendance Office every day their child is absent. Please call the day of the absence. Students must check out through the attendance office before leaving campus. Students who leave without clearing through the Attendance Office will be marked as having cut. Retroactive parental clearance may not be allowed. The attendance office numbers are:

Mrs. Cline (A-L) 451-4009

Mrs. Rubio-Perez (M-Z) 451-4008

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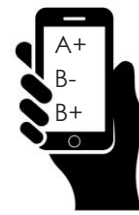
Any student late to school because of a medical appointment must report to the Attendance Office for an excused clearance slip. Verification from the parent/guardian or the medical office is required.

PERMIT TO LEAVE SCHOOL

Parents who are picking up their student during the school day must check out the student through the main office. Students may not leave campus during the school day for any reason without first obtaining an off-campus pass from the attendance office.

VISITOR CHECK-IN

All parents/visitors must check into the main office. Parking is provided in the small parking lot on First Street. Overflow parking is provided in the first row of the main parking lot (near First Street). Visitors parking in the overflow lot, must check in at the gate with the Campus Safety Assistant.



EDUTEXT

The EduText tool provides parents/guardians a daily grade and attendance update via their cell phones. These updates will provide a live snapshot of a student's cumulative grades and attendance that day, so parents/guardians have an accurate account of their child's academic progress. The portal can be found under the parent tab at www.fresnounified.org.

Registration for EduText can be done from your cell phone. Locate your EduText Parent PIN on your child's progress report. Text that Parent PIN to 28527 (ATLAS). Activation is immediate; updates will begin the following school day. Additional subscribers can be added using the same process.

MEDICATION AT SCHOOL

If any medication is to be taken at school for any reason, Hoover must have a doctor's written order on file each year. Medicine will not be administered without the doctor's orders. Doctor's orders may be faxed to Hoover at 451-4072.



STAYING CONNECTED

Personal information helps us keep you informed and allows us to connect with you in the case of an emergency. Ensure your personal contact information is up to date in the office.

- To update your phone number or email, go to the ATLAS parent portal.
- To update your address, visit fresnou.org/schools/hoover to complete and submit: *Request to Change Information*
- For assistance, call 559-451-4000

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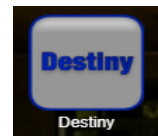


ITEMS STUDENTS SHOULD BRING TO BE PREPARED FOR LEARNING

- **Mask - optional**
- **Backpack**
- **Pen/Pencil**
- **Notebook**
- **Charged Laptop**

FINANCIAL OBLIGATIONS

A student and his/her parents are responsible for lost or damaged books, library materials, athletic equipment, uniforms, fundraising items or other materials assigned to the student. When a student loses or damages any of these items, the cost of such items are added to the student's financial bill. Students who owe money may be excluded from certain extra-curricular activities. Students need to clear all financial obligations before participating in commencement exercises or receiving a diploma. Students may check their obligations by clicking on the Destiny link found on their student portal. Parents may call Ms. Monroy at 451-4014 for assistance.



SEMESTER AT A GLANCE

AUGUST

Freshman Orientation

Last names A-L, 8:30-12:00 noon, Event Center 1, 2 & 5

Last names M-Z, 8:30-12:00 noon, Event Center 3, 4 & 5

Night Registrations, 4:00 – 7:00 PM 2, 9

First Day of School 15

Back to School/Senior Parent Night 29

SEPTEMBER

Labor Day – No School 5

OCTOBER

End of first quarter 7

Teacher Buy-Back Day – No School 10

NOVEMBER

Veterans' Day – No School 11

Thanksgiving Break – No School 21-25

DECEMBER

End of second quarter 16



HOOVER HIGH SCHOOL

DRESS CODE 2022-2023

The Hoover High School Dress Code is aligned to Fresno Unified Administrative Regulation 5132, in the interest of maintaining an appropriate learning environment. The responsibility for the dress and appearance of a student rests primarily with the student and their parents or guardians. The Dress and Appearance Code is gender neutral and applies to all students equally regardless of gender on campus and at school-sponsored functions and will be enforced consistently and fairly by all members of the school staff. General guidelines for dress and appearance include:

- All students are encouraged to dress in a manner that is appropriate, comfortable and conducive to an active academic school day.
- Clothing and hair styles are a matter of personal choice. However, clothing and hair styles that impact the health and/or safety of students and staff are not allowed. Clothing shall not materially interfere with schoolwork, materially disrupt the school environment, or create a risk of safety.
- Clothing determined to be gang-related is not allowed. The school collaborates with Law Enforcement agencies to update changes in gang-related and inappropriate apparel. Items below are prohibited due to this collaboration with law enforcement are marked with an asterisk*. This is subject to change based on updated information.
- "Clothing" in this dress code includes all accessories, including shoes and backpacks.

EXAMPLES OF INAPPROPRIATE CLOTHING INCLUDE:

- Clothing where the buttocks or torso is exposed, i.e., tube tops, half shirts, halters
- Clothing that is see-through (clothing must be opaque)
- Clothing or accessories which show profanity, obscene words or pictures, sexually suggestive statements, or incites to violence
- Clothing representing gang-related activities
- Clothing where the entire thigh is exposed, such as micro minis or short shorts.
- Bathing suits or cut-offs
- The wearing and carrying of tobacco promotional items, or items promoting controlled substances (drugs) and/or alcohol
- Clothing where undergarments are exposed
- Clothing that has text that is libelous, bullying, constitutes harassment or discrimination

ADDITIONALLY:

- *Any article of clothing that is 50% or more Red or Royal Blue is not allowed.
- *Bandanas are not permitted.
- *Articles of clothing depicting Bulldogs or professional sport logos, mascots, and professional team names are not permitted. This includes jerseys other than Hoover High School team jerseys. This also includes all hats, caps, and other headwear. Any hats, caps, headwear, or articles of clothing not meeting these criteria are not to be visible on campus.
- Footwear must be worn at school and all functions.
- Some courses (such as lab sciences, CTE, PE) may have specific footwear or clothing requirements to ensure the safety of students in the class. Please refer to the course syllabus.
- Some extracurricular or other school specific activities may have other requirements, as the standard dress and appearance policy would not be appropriate for the activity.

School Site Council Review May 12, 2022