

HAMMOND MIDDLE SCHOOL
VIKING TIMES
January 25, 2019

DATES TO REMEMBER

Monday, January 28	3-hour early dismissal
Tuesday, February 5	School Closed – Professional Day
Wednesday, February 6	Report Cards Issued
February 12 and 13	6 th grade MAP
February 14 and 15	7 th grade MAP
Monday, February 18	President’s Day
February 19 and 20	8 th grade MAP

YEARBOOK ORDERING INFORMATION

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SPOTLIGHT ON RELATED ARTS!

Semester 1 has come to a close! On Tuesday January 29, students will begin new Related Arts classes (with the exception of full-year classes). We are very excited to meet our new students!

Band

Congratulations to the following students for making Reservoir High School's top band as freshman! This is musical equivalent of making a varsity sports team as a freshman. We are proud of your hard work!

Priscilla Ye
Alex Cosner
Philana Chang

Sophia Pham
Jackson Durbin
William Tao

SPOTLIGHT ON 6TH GRADE!

The sixth grade team would like to remind parents to please check their child's binder. We are still seeing an extremely high number of students that are arriving to HMS without the basic school supplies. Please help us avoid the disruptions caused by not having a pencil or loose – leaf paper to work with in class. Help us, and the students start the second semester off fully supplied and ready to go!

Furthermore, we would like to remind parents to please have their students dress in layers when coming to school. Students, according to the HCPSS handbook, are not allowed to wear large, bulky, winter coats into the classrooms. Unfortunately, this leaves many students feeling uncomfortable in the the parts of the building that are cooler in temperature. We encourage students to bring sweatshirts and light jackets to help them stay comfortable throughout the day.

Finally, the second quarter ends on Monday, January 28. All late or missing work should have been turned in by Friday, January 25 as specified in the sixth grade late work policy. Again, this policy can be found on any sixth grade teacher's CANVAS page and will have a list of important "turn in dates" related to the third and fourth quarters.

Thank you for your continued support!

SPOTLIGHT ON 8TH GRADE!

Quarter 2 seems to have flown by! The last day of the marking period is Monday, January 28, so please be sure to check Canvas with your student to look over grades, missing assignments, and celebrations!

This is also a really good time of year to check with your child about restocking some of the essentials - loose leaf, pens, pencils, and highlighters all seem to be dwindling. Thank you for everything you do.

GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Please visit the [Community News and Programs](#) page on the HCPSS website for announcements of upcoming events and programs sponsored by non-profit organizations