

Class   
of 2020 



**McLean High School  
Senior Parent Meeting  
Friday, March 6, 2020  
8:30**

# What's coming up?

Senior Packet - coming out in late March

Highlander Internship Program (HIP)

Senior Dues/Obligations

End of Year Events

Graduation!



# What is HIP?



- Created at the request of the Class of 2017
- Opportunity to explore a possible area of interest in college and provide experience that will be beneficial in the future
- Monday, May 18 - Friday, May 22
  - 5 day internship
  - 35-40 hours
- Student grades will be calculated as of work turned in by Friday, May 15, 2020.
  - Exceptions include Performing Arts rehearsals, dual enrollment courses, online courses, SOL requirements
  - Students will be exempt from final exams given during the final exam window for seniors
  - Teachers may not have graded work turned in prior to HIP start date

# Eligible Students



- 1) A 3.0 cumulative GPA at the 7th semester. Students must have a C or higher as a cumulative grade in each class at the end of the third quarter.
- 2) No more than six absences during the second semester until the internship starts, **excluding school-related activities** and two days allotted for college visits.
- 3) Teacher signatures, counselor signature, and Mr. Rolon's signature are required to show that student is in good standing regarding attendance, discipline, and grades.
- 4) Completion of the HIP Application Packet (available now); **Due Friday, April 24, 2020.**

# Application



All paperwork will be found on the McLean HS website under Student Life - Senior Events.

<https://mcleanhs.fcps.edu/student-life-activities/senior-events>

- 1) Internship proposal
- 2) Parent/Student signatures
- 3) Sponsor commitment form
- 4) Teacher signatures

# HIP Timeline



All applications due Friday, April 24 in the Main Office

HIP Committee members will divide and review application packets

Approved participants will be notified prior to HIP meeting on May 1

Internship dates: Monday, May 18 - Friday, May 22

Presentation: Thursday, May 28

# Senior Dues

\$130

Cover cap and gown, diploma cover, tassel, rental of DAR Constitution Hall, senior trip, and other graduation costs

Senior dues should be paid no later than May 1, 2020. Payment accepted through MySchoolBucks

*\*\*Families who are unable to pay their senior dues due to financial hardship should contact their counselor. All conversations will remain confidential.*



# Senior Obligations



Can be due to senior dues, lost/damaged textbook dating back to freshman year, course fee(s), parking fees, library fees, AP testing fees, etc.

Students will find out if they owe obligations starting mid to late March.

All financial obligations must be paid before students will be allowed to participate in the graduation ceremony.

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# Prom

Saturday, May 9, 2020

Fairview Park Marriott

8:00 pm - midnight

Tickets will be available through MySchoolBucks and will be \$65.



# Senior Exam schedule

For all seniors in HIP, the last day of school is Friday, May 15. Seniors participating in HIP are exempt from final exams.

Tuesday, May 19 - Periods 1 and 3

Wednesday, May 20 - Periods 4 and 6

Thursday, May 21 - Periods 5 and 7

Friday, May 22 - Period 2

*\*\*Seniors are released from school following their exams.*



# End of Year Senior Events



Tuesday, May 26 - Graduation rehearsal # 1 (starts at 9:45)

Wednesday, May 27 - Senior Trip to Hershey Park (must pay dues and obligations in order to go on senior trip)

Thursday, May 28 - HIP Presentations (starts at 8), Convocation (starts at 9:45)

Friday, May 29 - Graduation rehearsal #2 (starts at 9:45)

# Graduation



Monday, June 1, 2020 at 2:30 at DAR Constitution Hall

Students should arrive at McLean no later than 12:30 pm.

Students **MUST** ride the bus from McLean HS to DAR, can return to McLean on bus after ceremony (optional)

Doors open to the public 1 hour prior to the start of graduation. You will not be permitted entrance to DAR if you arrive late.

Dress code

Plan a place to meet outside DAR following ceremony

# Graduation

Congratulations to all seniors and their families!

Let's make the end of the year and graduation a time to remember!

