

1/7/22

Dear Addenbrooke High School Parents,

I trust everyone experienced a restful and fun holiday break. We are back at work. We would like to introduce two new staff members: Mrs. Christina Rienhoff, our new math interventionist, working primarily with Algebra I students, and Mr. Adrian Garay, our guitar teacher.

Mr. Nitschke, our Spanish teacher, is working on a school principal program through CSU. As part of his coursework, he must spend four days as an acting principal. Next week, he will be acting in my stead from Monday through Thursday in order to fulfill necessary requirements.

Student Government is busy making preparations for the Winter Formal, which will be held this Saturday, January 8th from 8-11 p.m. in the gym.

Respectfully,  
Mrs. Lamgo

As some of our students continue to struggle academically in this unusual time, we are going to institute an additional strategy to cut down on missing assignments, which is the biggest culprit in failing grades.

#### MAD - Missing Assignment Detention

Once an assignment is late, it cannot earn a grade of more than 50%. Missing assignments turn to a 0% after five school days. For the last few semesters, there has been a mad dash at the end of the semester to complete recovery work for students with failing grades. To procrastinate all semester and then squeak out a save at the last minute is not building good character. As a remedy, we are reinstating lunch detention for missing assignments.

Here is how it will work:

We will pull a missing work report on Monday morning. For any student who is failing a class and has missing assignments, we will email you and your student that they will have lunch detention beginning on Tuesday. Your student will eat lunch in Room 217 in order to complete the missing work. Once the missing work is turned in, they can return to their regular lunch schedule.

#### ASH - After-School Help

Teachers have always been available after school from 3:30-4:00 M, W, Th to assist any student needing extra help. If a student has an F, they should be coming to ASH where they can get one-on-one tutoring from their teacher. You should expect teachers to email home in the event of a D and call home when a student's grade drops to an F. In that phone call, they should recommend that the student attend ASH until they raise their grade.

### Credit Recovery for a First Semester F

Last year, due to Covid, we allowed students who failed the first semester to earn a full credit **IF** they passed the second semester and passed the second semester final. We are going to offer that again this year. If your student earned an F in any class last semester, they can still get the full high school credit if they accomplish those two things.

### **To All Seniors:**

**Seniors who do not attend a meeting with Mrs. Rupp by the end of January will not be able to login to Google Classroom to see the assignments that are due for the capstone. Please make sure to accept one of the many invitations she has sent. If you have any questions, please contact Mrs. Rupp at [krupp@addenbrooke.org](mailto:krupp@addenbrooke.org). Thank You!**

### Calendar of Events:

Saturday, Jan. 8 Winter Formal (gym) 8-11pm

Tuesday, Jan. 18 MAPS Testing #2 (B1 Math, B2 Reading 6+)

Thursday, January 20th, 6:30pm at the prek-8 building Prospective Family Information Night

Th-Sat. Jan. 20-22 All-State Choir Festival

Thursday, Feb. 3 Ninth grade going to Romeo and Juliet at Colorado Ballet

Wednesday, Feb. 9 Gifted and Talented Field Trip

Friday, Feb. 11- start of MCR #3 Science Passage

Thursday, Feb. 17 P/T conferences 4-8p, 18th P/T Conferences 8-12a **In-person only**

**Please see the attachment below regarding Yearbook Senior Pages.**

# SENIORS

~~Yearbook Senior Ads Available!!~~

**Prices:** Full page (\$100), Half page (\$50)

\*Payment Options: Cash or check payable to ACA; or credit/debit card by contacting Jennifer Swenson at (303)989-1336 Ext. 138 \*

## Requirements:

Note/message or blurb from a parent/guardian to senior (one paragraph, 4-7 sentences recommended) & 5-10 pictures of the given senior from any point in their their life (the higher the resolution the better).

\*You may also choose to send in a professionally designed and photographed senior ad so long as it follows the requirements. If you choose this option, you are entirely responsible for finishing it and sending it in. \*

### Examples of Senior Ads:



\*To order a page email Alyssa Trujillo ([atrujillo@addenbrooke.org](mailto:atrujillo@addenbrooke.org)), and CC (Carbon Copy) Alia Lanzen ([alanzan@addenbrooke.org](mailto:alanzan@addenbrooke.org)) with your paragraph and pictures. Payment needs to be made to ACA/Jennifer Swenson by January 14th, 2022 \*