# SHARPSTOWN INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL THUY LE-THAI, PRINCIPAL

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# COLLEGE CORNER

# Spartan Pride: Our Global Magnet Philosophy

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#### Special points of interest::

Academic support is provided to students during Advocacy, After-school, and on Saturday mornings.

April 12, 2016 College Entrance Exam during the School Day for Juniors.

## May Testing:

AP, EOC, STAAR ,Finals, and more.

Stay Academically Focused.

We celebrate the Global Citizen, College Bound mission that offers our students an advantage which other students in the general community may not share; educational standards for being successful in the developing, dynamic world around us. The philosophy of being a Global Citizen is that we are people of the world. One people enriched by individual and cultural diversity working together for a more peaceful and sustainable future. We are united by the common bond of humanity. Sharpstown International School embraces our Global philoso-



Our school community has a tradition of celebrating together.

phy in numerous ways : Sharpstown International Festival (IFEST) celebrations, Capstone projects, Project Based Learning, Model United Nations, Odyssey of the Mind, C-STEM, Fine Arts and Global/College Based Readiness Standards for all of our students (Performance Outcomes). We live in a Global Village with modern communications having world wide economic, environmental, social, and political impacts as it transcends race, culture, religion, ideas, and beliefs. Our need and requirement for service stems from our Global Village view of the world. We require 100 hours of community service from our students before they graduate from SIS. The students themselves develop plans of community action as part of their senior year capstone project.

Our International Magnet program has won recognition from America Achieves Organization which administers the OECD, PISA National testing, TEA, and US News and World Report of

Best High Schools. We are proud of our students!

Spartans focus on Scholarships

Keep checking the scholarship opportunities pro-

vided through Naviance. The Naviance icon is on the school web page.

Students log in with their student ID (user name) and their birth date for their

#### password.

Ask Ms. Brown-Robinson about College Readiness Scholarship Information.

Seniors must submit letters of College Acceptance, Scholarships, and FAFSA/TASA to Ms. Brown-Robinson.

# Test Anxiety?

Ways to reduce test anxiety.

- Maintain a positive attitude as you study.
- Go into the test rested.
- Stay calm during the test.
- Do not worry about other students finishing before you. Do your best.

	April 2016						
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	
STAAR Alternate 2 4/4-15				Notification on 4/1 is due to grades.	Summer School Parent Notification	2 Magnet Signing Day	
3	4	5	6	7	8	9 <sub>MUN Com-</sub>	
	AP Pre- Admin. Forms 12th Grade	AP Pre-Adm. Forms I I th Grade	AP Pre-Adm. Forms 10th Grade	Sr. Meet 8am AP Forms 9th Grade	8th grade Fri- day Talent Show	petition	
10	NHS	12	13	4 <sub>School</sub>	<b>5</b> Medical	16	
	field trip	SAT Exam Juniors	ZOO trip Grade 8	visit – Colorado	School Tour (AP Biology)	OM State Competition	
17	18	19	20	21	22	23	
	ELL Exit tests TLA – grade 8	Jr. Meeting 8am	Senior trip to Main Event		Earth Day	Senior Prom	
24	25 Teacher Appreciation week	26 <sub>4th</sub> Power Up check	27	28	<b>29</b> Sr. Pan- oramic Pic- ture	30	

Sharpstown International School 6-12 Grade Magnet May : STAAR , AP Exams, Finals & More

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