# HAIS WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

### MAY 8-12, 2023



#### PEEK AT THE WEEK

**HCC FINALS WEEK | TEACHER APPRECIATION WEEK** Monday, May 8: AP Calculus Exam Tuesday, May 9: Wednesday, May 10: AP Spanish Exam Wednesday, May 10, 3:30-4:30pm: Interact (Rm 132) Wednesday, May 10, 3:30-5:00pm: Emerge Junior Cohort Meeting Wednesday, May 10, 3:30-5:30pm: HAIS Volleyball vs EECHS @3505 Coyle Wednesday, May 10, 5:30-7:00pm: HAIS Sports Banquet Thursday, May 11: AP World History Exam Thursday, May 11, 5:30-6:30: 2023 Japan Tour Meeting (Virtual) Invite sent via email Thursday, May 11, 3:30-4:30pm: Debate (Rm 113) Friday, May 12, 8:30-12:00pm: HCC Graduation Friday, May 12, 11:40-12:30pm: Campus Waiver Day/Spring Fair

\*\*\*There are no after school activities on Fridays\*\*\*

#### UPCOMING

May 15: SDMC Meeting May 15: 9th Grade Camp Allen FT May 15: HCC/Dual Credit Graduation Celebration May 16: 10th Grade Camp Allen FT May 16, 6-7pm: Senior Trip Parent Meeting (Virtual) May 17: 11th Grade Camp Allen FT May 19: Senior Field Day May 22: Senior Activity Day May 23: Senior Breakfast May 24-26: Senior Trip May 25-26: HAIS Finals (Early Release) May 29: Memorial Day Holiday May 30-31: HAIS Finals (Early Release)

### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**



Fri-Yay Treat Donations Needed: Help show support of HAIS faculty and staff with our Fri-YAY Treat program. Sign up <u>here</u> to show your appreciation.

▷ 2022-2023 HAIS Tutorial Calendar is now available! <u>View here</u>.

### WHAT'S HAPPENING IN OUR CLASSROOMS?

Review the <u>Homework and Assignment Tracker</u> to check in with your students' academic progress, see their weekly learning objective, and note any important class announcements. Navigate through the tabs at the bottom of the page to view different subject areas. If you have questions about a particular assignment, please contact the teacher.

### **STUDENT SERVICES**

HAIS School Counseling and Wrapaound Support

## Submit a SAF!

Scan the QR Code to connect with Mr. Estrada (Wraparound) or Mrs. Salinas (Counseling)

Clothing, School Supplies, Counseling, Mental Health, Job Assistance, Rental Assistance, Food/Nutrition, Legal Support, Academic Counseling



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### **HCC INFORMATION**

#### HELPFUL HCC RESOURCES

Want to know how to log into your Canvas? What do you do if you have trouble accessing your HCC Email? How do you register for academic services?

Check out our HCC Resources page here.

### STUDY ABROAD/TRAVEL ABROAD

**Follow @HAISstudyabroad** on Twitter and Instagram and check out our **updated <u>website</u>** for more information on upcoming deadlines. **Don't miss out on your chance to see the world!** 

### AMIGOS APPLICATIONS ARE STILL BEING ACCEPTED!

### SUMMER PROGRAMS

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#### Volunteering and Immersion in Costa Rica, Ecuador, or Panama!

#### Volunteer Abroad

Earn 12 service hours per week while you support local organizations on issues like climate change, wildlife conservation, youth empowerment, microenterprise, and more! College credit is also available on select projects.

#### Find the Project for You

Our programs for ages 15–19 vary in length, Spanish level, theme, and lodging type. Choose a two, three, four, or six-week project, live with a host family, or pick a group experience. Whatever you're looking for, there's an AMIGOS project for you!

#### From an AMIGOS Alum:

"My favorite part of AMIGOS was how I became so comfortable with the people around me and tried so many new things that pushed me out of my comfort zone and helped me grow. I don't think any other program can do that so well."

-Sophia, Panama 2022

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### **CELEBRATING ALL THINGS HAIS**



#### **#PHOENIXRISING**

SHOUT OUT GOES TO ...

Mary Kate Miller, Yasmin Tafolla, and Annabeth Golden : Great job on spearheading the Amigos de las Americas beautification project! - Ms. Alderete

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Kiani Foster, Zoe Hall, Nicole Cain, Bailey Williams, Regina

Emalyne Lopez Moreno, Luis Alcala, William Recio, Damon Carroll, Amarri Jackson, Sophia Rivas, Jasmine Gil, Remy Brown, Aislee Crissman, Sidney Dunn, Cooper Fairman, Takara Flowers, Sorbari Nwitua, Jonathan Rodriguez, Valerie Salmeron, Marco Soto-Arce, Ronia Straughter, and all the other helpers!: Thank you! Thank you! Thank you! Your hard work left our courtyard looking AMAZING. Don't forget to submit your hour(s) in Innerview for volunteer hours. -Ms. Alderete

Mrs. Kala, Mrs. Devaney, Mr. Morin: Thank you for your yummy submissions to the first HAIS Salsa competition! You're ALL winners!!!

Ms. Lopez-Garcia, Mrs. Leos, Ms. Garcia, Ms. Alvarez, Mr. Hernandez, Ms. Benavides: Thank you all for the support in preparation for Signing Day, the salsa competition, and the beautification. Some of you were thrown into your role last minute, and you were amazingly supportive team members. You are all greatly appreciated. -Ms. Alderete

Mrs. Devaney & Mrs. Gomez: Great job working so diligently to organize and plan a smooth testing experience for our students! -Ms. Alderete

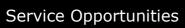
Submit your Shout Out for next week's newsletter.

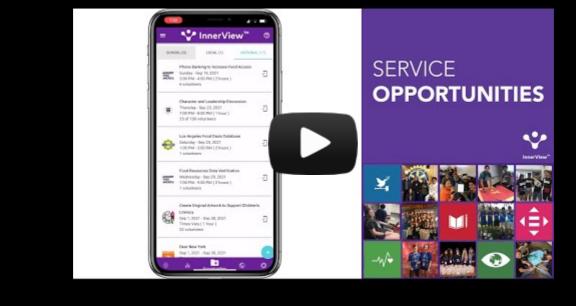
#### **GET INVOLVED!**

#### **EVENTS**

#### **INNERVIEW - HOW TO**

#### FINDING VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES





#### **INNERVIEW**

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Click here to visit the HAIS PTO Site



## We need your help to make the 2022-2023 school year a success!



### Donate to the PTO!

If every HAIS family donates \$50, the PTO will be able to fund the Halloween Dance, gifts for teachers and staff, and so much more.



### Volunteer your time!

We will have many opportunities throughout the year to help.



#### Sign Up Genius!

Watch for opportunities to donate food, supplies, and more throughout the year.

To donate and for more information: haispto.org haispto@gmail.com

## PURCHASE HAIS GEAR AND SUPPORT YOUR HAIS PTO

Show off your HAIS pride and support the HAIS PTO. You are able to choose your color of choice for most items. Check out the site and order now!

Click here to place your order and have it delivered directly to you.







#### SHOP ONLINE, DONATE TO HAIS

**Online shopping**? Shop Amazon through <u>https://smile.amazon.com/</u>, and Amazon will donate a portion of your purchase to your favorite charitable organization. Please consider selecting "HAIS PTO" as your AmazonSmile charitable organization!



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