

HAIS WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

OCTOBER 10-14, 2022



PEEK AT THE WEEK

Anti-Bullying Week

Monday, October 10, 3:30-4:30pm: Odyssey of the Mind (OM) Meeting (Rm 204)

Monday, October 10: See to Succeed Paperwork Due

Tuesday, October 11, 3:30-4:30pm: Debate Club (Rm 113)

Wednesday, October 12: PSAT Day, Cafeteria Waiver Day/Senior Fundraiser

Wednesday, October 12, 3:30-4:30: Interact Club (Go Center, OM (Rm 204)

Thursday, October 13, 3:30-4:30: Debate (Rm 113)

Thursday, October 13, 5:30-6:00: HAIS FACE Walk-through

Thursday, October 13, 6:00-7:00pm: HAIS PTO Meeting (Go Center)

Friday, October 14:

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



Bully Prevention Week October 10-14

10/10 Monday

Wear Orange
Students and staff are encouraged to wear orange to unite against bullying.

10/11 Tuesday

Random Acts of Kindness Day
Students and staff are encouraged to start a random act of kindness movement by doing kind acts "just because."

10/12 Wednesday

Make Hello Global Day
Students and staff are encouraged to say hello and/or teach someone to say hello in a different language.

10/13 Thursday

Positivity Selfie Wall Day
Campuses will display a school-wide positivity, kindness, or smile wall where students can post positive messages, compliments, and notes of encouragement.

10/14 Friday

No One Eats Alone Day
During lunch, students will be encouraged to invite other students to sit with them and participate to ensure no one eats alone.

Use Hashtags

#HAIStogether
#NoBullyZone
#KindnessMatters
#OctoberisBullyingPrevention



UPCOMING

- 10/21: HAIS College and Career Day
- 10/24-28: Red Ribbon Week
- 10/24-28: Interact Club Trick or Treat to End Hunger
- 10/28: HAIS Halloween Dance sponsored by the HAIS PTO

ANNOUNCEMENTS & REMINDERS

▷ **Students Enrollment Packets** are due. Please complete entirely and have student return to their AVID teacher. Documents will ensure PowerSchool has the most updated information for students. ****The "Blue Form" Socioeconomic Form is the most important and directly impacts our campus budget.**

▷ **Fri-Yay Treat Donations Needed:** Help show support of HAIS faculty and staff with our Fri-YAY Treat program. Sign up [here](#) to show your appreciation.

▷ **Transportation:** If you need to submit a new transportation request, submit a transportation complaint, or change your existing stop, please complete this form:

<https://tinyurl.com/ye268tp6> <https://tinyurl.com/ye268tp6>

▷ **2022-2023 HAIS Tutorial Calendar is now available!** [View here](#).

▷ **College and Career Day Volunteers Needed:** Please see the flyer under "Get Involved" if you would like to volunteer as a speaker. Please contact Ms. Nance if you are able to participate.

WHAT'S HAPPENING IN OUR CLASSROOMS?

Review the [Homework and Assignment Tracker](#) 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
Wraparound 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



#RisingPhoenix

HCC INFORMATION

HCC FERPA FORMS

HCC FERPA Forms allow professors and parents to communicate once and only if students turn completed forms.

The first form is the notary form. This form is used when students are unable to be in person at the HCC Campus Registration Office. Once complete, students submit the form to HCC. Students/parents should submit the completed Notary form to their Grade Level Dean.

The second form, the FERPA Release Form, is the traditional form used in non-Covid times. Students complete this form in person at the HCC Campus Registration Office.

HCC Forms can be found [here](#).

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](#).

COLLEGE CORNER

MEET THE COLLEGE ADVISOR



hello

My name is Myro Martinez (She/Her/Hers) and I will be serving HAIS this school year as a College and Career Readiness Advisor. I graduated from Texas A&M in 2017 with a BBA in Management and in 2020 with a MS in Higher Education Administration. I love traveling, drinking coffee, and trying new food. I am passionate about helping students achieve their career and personal goals, and I have been doing this type of work for the past 5 years!

my role

Promote a college-going culture at HAIS
Assist students in the college application process including college apps, financial aid, and scholarships

other facts

- Previously served at Aldine High School and Wheatley High School
- Previous college advisor / recruiter at Texas A&M
- Currently serving HAIS and Young Women's College Prep
- I have my own coffee company called Villa Coffee Co (@villacoffeeco)!

let's connect

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STUDY ABROAD/TRAVEL ABROAD

Follow **@HAISstudyabroad** on Twitter and Instagram and check out our updated [website](#) for more information on upcoming deadlines and programs that may interest you.

CIEE Applications are **now open!** Start your application [and begin](#) your journey to a new culture and place. CIEE offers scholarship opportunities that cover partial to full programming costs.

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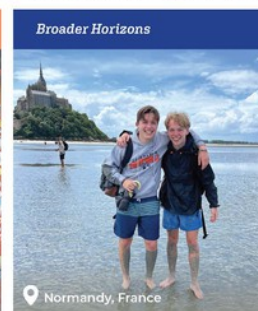
Our immersive programs are three to four weeks long and combine experiential classes led by local experts with excursions you won't want to miss. Gain independence and new friends along the way! This is the summer you'll remember forever.

Don't miss out! Apply by December 1 for a chance to win a free flight!



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10 DAYS IN INDIA!



IMPACT INDIA



OCTOBER 6, 2022

Learn More



LUNCH | GO CENTER

[HTTPS://WWW.PURANIKFOUNDATION.ORG/HISD](https://www.puranikfoundation.org/hisd)

CELEBRATING ALL THINGS HAIS

#PHOENIXRISING

SHOUT OUT GOES TO...

Ms. Roz Williams: Thank you for your Fri-Yay lunch!
- HAIS Faculty and Staff

Ms. Susan Davis: Thank you for your sweet treats!
- HAIS Faculty and Staff

HAIS Friday Club Leaders: Thank you for doing a wonderful job leading the first Friday Club day!
- Ms. Alderete

HAIS Faculty and Staff: Great job facilitating the first HAIS Friday Club of the year.
- Ms. Alderete



[Submit your Shout Out for next week's newsletter](#)

GET INVOLVED!

A poster for College and Career Day! The poster has a teal background with a white rectangular area in the center. The white area is decorated with yellow starburst graphics. At the top left of the white area is the Houston Academy for International Studies (HAIS) logo, which includes a globe icon and the text "HOUSTON ACADEMY FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDIES". The main title "COLLEGE AND CAREER DAY!" is written in large, bold, orange, hand-drawn style letters. Below the title, the date "October 21, 2022" is written in orange. To the left of the QR code, there is a block of text in orange: "PARENTS: SCAN THE QR CODE IF YOU ARE INTERESTED IN SHARING YOUR CAREER WITH THE STUDENTS!". To the right of the text is a QR code. Below the QR code is a black button with a white smartphone icon and the text "SCAN ME". To the right of the button is a cartoon illustration of a hand holding a yellow megaphone with a blue sound wave.

EVENTS

HOUSTON ISD RED RIBBON WEEK

OCTOBER 24-28, 2022

Celebrate Life. Live Drug Free!

MONDAY

**Pledge to
be Bully
and Drug
Free**



*Wear RED to
kick off Red
Ribbon Week!*



TUESDAY

**Be a Hero,
Not a Bully!**



*Wear your
favorite
superhero
gear!*

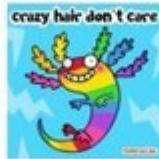


WEDNESDAY

**Drug and
Bully Free
from Head to
Toe**



*Wear hats or
crazy hair with
crazy socks!*



THURSDAY

**Team Up
Against
Drugs and
Bullies**



*Wear your
favorite team
shirt!*



FRIDAY

**Don't Be Caught
Sleeping, Say No
to Drugs!**



*Dress in your
school
appropriate
pajamas!*



PTO



**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

[Click here to visit the HAIS PTO Site](https://haispto.org)

Purchase a HAIS hoodie or t-shirt and support the HAIS PTO. [Click here to place your order and have it delivered directly to you.](https://smile.amazon.com/)

SHOP ONLINE, DONATE TO HAIS

Online shopping? Shop Amazon through <https://smile.amazon.com/>, 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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