

The Houston Academy for International Studies



What's Happening at HAIS the week of May 11, 2015



In Science, Technology, and Math this week:

Biology: students will present their independent research projects.

AP/Dual Credit Biology: students will take the AP Exam and final exam.

AP Physics: students will continue review topics over the AP exam including the NMSI released multiple choice questions.

Pre-AP Physics: students will review quantum theory.

Science R & D: students will review unit lessons in preparation for the final exam.

Chemistry: students will review for the final exam.

AP/Dual Credit Chemistry: students will take the final exam.

Algebra 1: students will review for the final exam.

Algebra 2: students will translate conic sections.

AP Calculus: students will utilize relationships between f and f' to determine relative extrema.

AP Statistics: students will review for the AP Statistics Test, take the AP Statistics Test, and start to review for the Final Exam.

Pre-Calculus: students will apply the Law of Cosines to Solve Triangles.

Geometry: students will write and graph Equations of Circles.

Here's What's Happening in the Humanities this week:

English I students are concluding *Romeo and Juliet* unit and reviewing for their final exam.

English II: students are rehearsing and performing their creative scenes from *Macbeth* as a way to offer their own interpretation of the play.

Business English: students are presenting their professional online profile pages to the class.

AP Literature: students are completing their analysis of the film adaptation of *Hamlet* and reviewing for their final exam.

AP Language: students are continuing to study for the AP Language and Composition exam on Wednesday, May 13th.

AP Human Geography: students will be reviewing for AP Human Exam scheduled on May 15 and presenting their Trans-African Highway proposals.

Model United Nations: students have organized a Chick-Fil-A Spirit Night on Monday May 11, at the Kirby and 59 location and a Movie Matinee after testing on Friday May 15 in the cafeteria. All proceedings will benefit Microcredit loans in developing countries (KIVA).

AP World History: students will review for their AP Exam (Thursday, May 14th).

U.S. History: students will film review — "Forrest Gump" (1994) and make the connections to real life mid/late-20th century events.

Economics: students will review for their final exam set for Monday, May 18th.

Opening a World of Opportunities.



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HCC FINALS:
May 11—15

First Day of Summer School (HAIS):
Wednesday, June 3rd

HCC Summer I Session begins
Monday, June 8

HCC Summer II Session begins
Monday, July 13

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
					1 School starts at 9:00 am	2 Saturday Tutorials and APEX Lab Open
3	4 AP Chemistry Exam	5 AP Calculus Exam Algebra I STAAR Test	6 AP English Literature Exam; AP Physics Exam Biology STAAR Test	7 AP Spanish Language Exam U.S. History STAAR Test	8 School starts at 9:00 am *Students with U.S. History STAAR Make-up need to arrive at 8:00 AM	9 Saturday Tutorials and APEX Lab Open
10 Happy Mother's Day	11 AP Biology Exam POWER UP LAPTOP COLLECTION	12	13 AP English Language Exam AP Statistics	14 AP World History Exam	15 School starts at 9:00 am AP Human Geography Exam starts at 8:15 AM	16 HCC Graduation at NRG Stadium — 8:00 am Senior Prom at Downtown Club @ 7pm
17	18 Senior Final Exams Camp Allen (9th Grade)	19 Senior Final Exams Camp Allen (9th Grade)	20 Camp Allen (9th Grade)	21	22 School starts at 8:15 am HAIS Final Exams Periods 1 & 2 EARLY DISMISSAL	23
24 31	25 NO SCHOOL MEMORIAL DAY HOLIDAY	26 HAIS Final Exams Periods 4 & 5 EARLY DISMISSAL	27 HAIS Final Exams Periods 6 & 7 EARLY DISMISSAL	28 HAIS Final Exams Periods 9 & 10 EARLY DISMISSAL LAST DAY OF SCHOOL	29 Teacher Preparation Day	30 Class of 2015 Graduation at Butler Stadium — 4:00 pm