

Parent Newsletter

MONROEVILLE HIGH SCHOOL

Winter News & Information

January, 2023

YouScience – An Aptitude and Interest Assessment

For the last few years MHS has administered YouScience to our freshmen students. This assessment looks at what types of interests a student has, but goes deeper to assess the aptitude of each student. After a series of brain games, students are provided a snapshot of how their brain works, their skill strengths and also the careers that are best suited for them to consider. The data from these assessments is being used to redesign our course offerings here at MHS and provide students with a more relevant experience.

These assessments not only help students develop an interest in various careers, but has allowed more opportunity for job shadowing experiences, hands-on learning activities, and field trip experiences. YouScience has allowed a growth in networking between the business world and students as well as the business world and the school.

There has been a disconnect between what students and society need and what education is empowered to deliver. It's called the relevance gap. Find out what it is and how we are working to solve it at the link below:

<https://resources.youscience.com>

SENIORS/PARENTS

*The form from Holiday Photography with your Senior Yearbook Portrait selection is due **February 1, 2023**. Please return the form to Ms. Replogle or to the high school office with the bottom portion filled out completely. If no form is returned, Holiday Photography will select your portrait for you.

*Your first deadline to submit pictures for the Graduation Slideshow is **February 3, 2023**. We are going to start collecting the **baby picture and candids**, so start looking through your albums. You have two weeks to find a baby or younger year picture and any candids you would like to submit to us.

REMINDERS

*Senior Trip Parent/Student meeting is February 8th at 6 PM in the cafeteria (mandatory for all students attending the trip)

*Service hours are due by March 1st (you must have 30 hours of service to graduate)

*All school fees must be paid by April 28th, if you have delinquent fees you WILL NOT be able to walk at graduation or receive your diploma.

SERVICE LEARNING REQUIREMENT REMINDERS

Due to the COVID-19 pandemic and resulting issues with completing service at the time, students in the graduating classes of 2023 and 2024 are required to have 30 hours of service in order to meet the graduation requirement. Current freshmen and sophomores revert back to the 40-hour requirement.

Please consult our Service Learning tab on the Monroeville High School webpage for a listing of qualifying service. Students should obtain pre-approval before service is completed to ensure their service qualifies towards graduation. Also, service learning opportunities are being sent out through Final Forms on a regular basis.

Important Dates

Jan. 24th – NHS Blood Drive

Feb. 4th – Hall of Fame Dinner

Feb. 10th – 3Q Interims

Feb. 13th – PK-8 Parent

Conferences

Feb. 21st – BOE Meeting

Mar. 3rd – MHS Service Fair

Mar. 8th – Senior Trip

Mar. 13th – BOE Meeting

Mar. 16th – End of 3rd Quarter

Mar. 17th – Staff Day

Mar. 20th – Spring Break begins



