2020-2021 COLT DAYS July 31– August 4, 2020

Welcome Casteel Families,

We are excited to welcome our Colts back to school on Wednesday, August 5. Schedules will be accessible to students on Thursday, July 30 beginning at 7:00 a.m. Please know that while most changes have been made to our master schedule, students' schedules are still subject to change.

In order to access your student portal, please use the information below as student passwords for all grade levels should now be set back to the following:

Student Infinite Campus Accounts:

Username: s + ID# (i.e. s123456)

Password: s + ID# + ! (i.e. s123456!)

Student Google Accounts:

Username: <u>S+id#@gse.cusd80.com</u> (i.e. <u>s123456@gse.cusd80.com</u>)

Password: s+id#+! (i.e. s123456!)

Schedule Changes

All schedule change requests must be submitted online via the Casteel website on the "Colt Days" tab beginning Thursday, July 30. Online submissions will be the only way to request a schedule change; requests through email or phone call will not be reviewed. If you cannot access your schedule, email Stephanie Waaramaa at <u>Waaramaa.Stephanie@cusd80.com</u>.

Schedule changes will be done for the following reasons only:

- A failure in a core course that necessitates repeating
- A course on your schedule that was taken during summer school
- A graduation requirement is missing from your schedule
- A schedule that is incomplete (i.e., less than six classes, four for Seniors)
- No schedule

You will be notified by email when the change has been completed, or if it has been denied. Please disregard Semester 2 schedules at this time. We are aware that they are not necessarily accurate.

PE Uniforms

All students enrolled in a PE class will need a uniform. You will be notified when this can be paid via "InTouch Fees and Payments." Uniforms will be distributed in class when school resumes.

Parking

We are currently accepting parking applications through the school under: departments/ bookstore/parking permit. <u>https://www.cusd80.com/Page/79231</u>

Applications must be filled out completely, scanned and attached as a PDF. <u>We cannot accept a picture</u>. You must also submit a copy of your valid driver's license and insurance card to keep on file with your application. All applications must be emailed to Mrs. Goble, our Bookstore Manager, at <u>goble.kristina@cusd80.com</u>. **We are not currently accepting payment** for parking. You will be notified when payment processing is available.

Transportation

If your student is scheduled to ride a bus, specific route information will be communicated by CUSD Transportation. Any questions regarding transportation or bus routes can be answered by the CUSD Transportation Department at 480.424.8600.

<u>Testing</u>

These tests are very popular and spots fill up quickly. Each test is \$20 which can be paid with other fees through the parent portal.

PSAT 8/9

The PSAT 8/9 is open to 8th and 9th grade students and is scheduled to be given on Saturday, November 14, 2020. Payment is due by September 25, 2020.

<u>PSAT NMSQT</u>

- PSAT NMSQT is for Sophomores and Juniors scheduled to be given on October 28, 2020. Payment is due August 7, 2020.
- *Juniors interested in the National Merit Scholarship must take this exam.
- * Testing dates are subject to change based on current state and National guidelines.
- * More information can be found on our website at https://www.cusd80.com/Page/98423

<u>AP Testing</u>

Students enrolled in an AP course for the 2020-2021 school year will need to register and pay by October 30, 2020. Each test a student takes is \$95 for AP and \$142 for AP Capstone. These fees have been assigned to individual student accounts. If you have any questions about AP, AP Capstone, or course fees, please email Ashely French at French.Ashley@cusd80.com

Dual Enrolment

We are proud to offer over 25 Dual Enrollment courses for our students. Our Dual Enrollment Informational meeting will now be virtual and available to parents on Wednesday, August 12. For more information on Dual Enrollment, please visit our website <u>https://www.cusd80.com/domain/9204</u>

<u>Textbooks</u>

In order for students to secure a parking space, **all textbook fees must be cleared from student accounts**. We must collect textbooks from <u>all</u> students prior to the start of the new year. A curbside drop-off bin for all CCHS students is available Monday through Friday at the main entrance to the building.

First Day of School

Wednesday, August 5, 2020

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New Parents to Casteel Junior/Senior High School

Virtual Orientation

More information to come.

August 26, 2020

Senior Information Night Virtual Presentation

> Curriculum Night TBD

** PSAT/NMSQT **

Wednesday, October 28, 2020

<u>** PSAT 8/9 **</u> Saturday, November 14, 2020 \$20 per test

Dress Code

Things to remember when purchasing clothes for the upcoming school year:

- NO spaghetti straps.
- ALL tank tops must fit closely under the arms.
- Clothing should have adequate coverage to allow a full range of movement without skin or undergarments showing.
- Undergarments must not be visible.
- Clothing must cover the entire buttocks and extend a reasonable length to ensure modesty.
- Garments that are "see-through," low-cut, or expose one's midriff are not acceptable.



Welcome Back Colts!

We are excited to announce COLT DAYS will be

VIRTUAL!

Mark your calendars now!

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