

Trailblazer ● Times

April 1, 2022



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Graduation information



Virtual Academy seniors who will graduate with **Heritage High School**

- Contact person at HHS: Beth Coleman, colemanel@lcsedu.net
- Do you plan to walk in graduation? If so, you'll need to pay senior dues. You pay this to Heritage High School.
- Cap and gown distribution for virtual grads will be anytime after April 1st. Students can pay their senior dues when they pick up their caps and gowns. You will not be able to get them without that.
- **Senior Cap and Gown Pictures are on April 21 from 8:00 a.m-3:30 p.m. Please [CLICK HERE](#) to sign up for a time that is convenient for you. This is the only day for cap and gown pictures. There will be no make ups.**
- Graduation rehearsal is May 27 at 11:30 a.m. If you plan to walk, you should be at HHS for the rehearsal.
- Graduation Day is Sunday, May 29. Report to City Stadium no later than 11 a.m. on the day of graduation.
- Check out [Heritage Class of 2022 Website](#) for more details about HHS graduation.



Virtual Academy seniors who will graduate with **E. C. Glass High School**

- Contact person at ECG: Sarah Gray and Krista Rawls-Fanning
- Cap and gown distribution is planned for April 7.
- Check out the [E.C. Glass Class of 2022 Website](#) for more details about ECG graduation.

Counselor's Corner

With Mrs. Edmondson



Course Selection Forms

Parents of rising 6th through 8th graders, please come by our offices at 701 Thomas Road (RCI Business Complex) to sign your students course selection form. If you are not able to come by, please let Mrs. Edmondson know via email (edmondsonkn@lcsedu.net) or phone.

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CPR/AED: 9th Grade Students ONLY

9th Grade Students received an email on Tuesday, March 29th to watch the videos on CPR and AED and to complete the CRP/AED Quiz. Students are to complete this by April 8th. Please have your 9th Grade student complete this if they have not already.

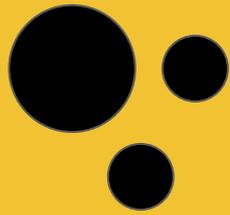
Academy Day

Senator Mark Warner is inviting Middle School students, High School students, and parents to Academy Day 2022. There will be representatives from Virginia congressional delegation as well as speakers from:

- Department of Defense Medical Examination Review Board
- the University of Virginia ROTC programs
- Virginia Tech Corps of Cadets
- the Virginia Military Institute
- the Virginia Women's Institute for Leadership at Mary Baldwin University.

You will be able to ask questions and learn more about becoming a congressional representative.

- **Save the Date:** Saturday, April 23, 2022
- **Time:** 10:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.
- **Location:** Virtual

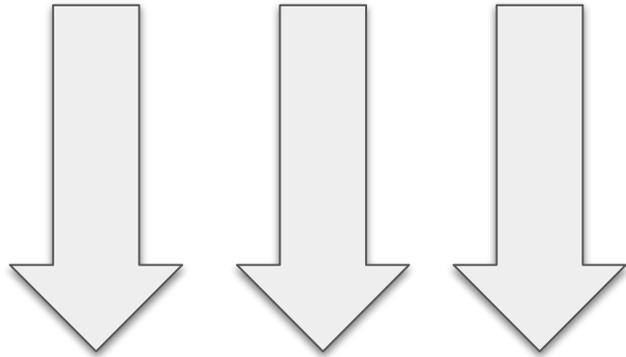
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Trailblazer TV

Check out our latest episode of our student newscast on our YouTube Channel.

[CLICK HERE](#)

●: Reminders



Parent Feedback Form

Getting your feedback is very important to us!

Please click on the link below and complete this brief survey to share how we did educating your child this school year.



[CLICK HERE](#)

Save the Date!

Our End of Year Celebration will be:

Thursday, May 19 at Riverside Park

9:30 a.m. until ...

All Virtual Academy students and families are invited.

We look forward to celebrating the school year with you. We'll be recognizing our graduating class of 2022 and highlighting all our great successes this year.

See you May 19!

During the months of April and May, students in grades 3-12 will be taking SOL tests. Click below on the calendars to see when and where each test will be administered. AP testing is included in the calendar as well.

[CLICK HERE](#)

for April

[CLICK HERE](#)

for May

Spring SOL Testing Calendar



Please return all books to the Virtual Academy once you have completed the book study. Thank you!

MIDDLE SCHOOL TEXTBOOK AND NOVEL PICKUP/RETURN

6th grade Advanced English:

Wonder (Return)
Mrs. Frisby and the Rats of Nimh (Return)
Mixed Up Files (Return)

7th grade English:

Wrinkle in Time (Return)
Holes (Return)
Boy at War (Return)

7th grade

Advanced English:

The Giver (Return)
Holes (Return)

6th grade English:

Hatchet (Return)
Mrs. Frisby and The Rats of Nimh (Return)
Mixed Up Files (Return)

All 8th grade:

Green Glass House (Return)
Ghost (Return)

Please return all copies of novels once you have completed the book study. Thank you!

HIGH SCHOOL TEXTBOOK & NOVEL PICKUP

9th-grade English:

The Great Gatsby
Brown Girl Dreaming
American Born Chinese
Eats, Shoots, and
Leaves

10th-grade English:

Lord of the Flies
Fahrenheit 451
Julius Caesar
Antigone

11th-grade English:

A Good Man is Hard
to Find
Of Mice and Men
A Raisin in the Sun

12th-grade English:

Hamlet
Frankenstein
Beowulf

AP English Literature and Composition:

Hamlet by William
Shakespeare
Beowulf

AP US Government
AP US History
AP World History
Geometry
Trigonometry

Also, you can access
the following online:

[A Worn Path](#)

[The Jilting of Granny](#)

[Weatherall](#)

[Soldiers Home](#)

WAKE UP

Virtual Academy

MORNING ANNOUNCEMENTS



8:10 A.M.

EVERY SCHOOL DAY ON THE
VIRTUAL ACADEMY YOUTUBE PAGE

Don't forget to visit our Virtual Academy
Youtube link below **at 8:10 AM each
school day** to watch Mr. Boyd (and guests)
share **student shoutouts,**
birthdays, trivia, and **important
announcements!**

You won't want to miss it!



Counselor's Corner

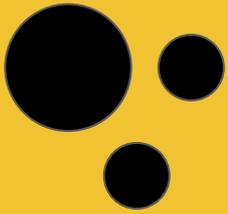
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SOL Resources

As we get closer to the end of the school year and when students are taking their SOLs, I wanted to ensure you were of a great resource. The following link is a great resource to help prep for an upcoming SOL.

[SOL Testing Resource](#)



Scholarship Opportunities

There are several scholarship opportunities coming up for our students. Below are just a few:

- [2022 Alexander Scholarship](#) (deadline: April 30th)

Please reach out to me via email (edmondsonkn@lcsedu.net) if you have questions about the scholarship or if you are interested in applying.

Help is on the way!

Attention ALL STUDENTS!
We are now able to provide
TUTORING for interested
students this semester.

If you are interested, please
reach out to Mrs. Edmondson
at edmondsonkn@lcsedu.net



Thank you for viewing this week's



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WE ARE ON THE MOVE!