

# What's Happening at the Q

## OCTOBER WARRIORS' CALL



### October 2023

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15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	31				

On Orange Days, students have all Red and Gold classes except for Seminar

First Day – 17 Aug 23/Last Day – 6 Jun 24

Conference Day – 3 Nov (No Classes)

Federal Holiday – No Classes

Holiday Break – No Classes

CCRS/Teacher Workdays – No Classes

HS Graduation – 1 June 2024

Early Release Wed - Classes R1, R2 & R3

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## Meet your High School SGA

**President:** Clara Pattay

**Vice President:** Caden Bradley

**Treasurer:** Trinity Jackson

**Historian:** Stephanie Diaz

**Public Relations:** Victoria Sandate

## Upcoming events:

October 4: Early Release Day

October 11: PSAT/NMSQT

(10th & 11th Grades)

October 12: Fall Sports Pictures

October 13: George Mason Admissions Recruiter

October 17: PSAT (8th & 9th Grades)

October 20: Last Day of Quarter 1

October 24: Hall Decorating (2:30-6:00 PM)

October 25: Middle School Night

October 28: Homecoming Game (RED OUT) /Dance

October 30: Picture Day Retakes

October 31: Book Character Day

# SPORTS NEWS



## Football

Sat, Oct 7 away vs Massanutten MA @ 14:00  
Sat, Oct 14 away vs Christchurch School @ 14:00  
Fri, Oct 20 away vs Greenbrier CA @ 19:00  
Sat, Oct 28 at **HOME** @ 13:00 (HOMECOMING - RED OUT)



## HS Soccer

Tue, Oct 3 away at Wakefield @ 16:30  
Thr, Oct 5 at **HOME** @ 16:00  
Wed, Oct 10 away at Tandem @ 16:00  
Sat, Oct 14 away vs Highland @ 13:00  
Tue, Oct 17 at **HOME** @ 16:00  
Wed, Oct 18 away at King Abdullah Aca. @ 16:30  
Thr, Oct 19 at **HOME** @ 16:00  
Tue, Oct 24 GPAC Tourney Quaters TBD @ 16:30



## MS Soccer

Tue, Oct 3 at **HOME** @ 16:00  
Thr, Oct 5 away @ Fredericksburg Academy @ 16:00  
Thr, Oct 12 at **HOME** @ 16:00



## Volleyball

Mon, Oct 2 at **HOME** @ 16:00  
Fri, Oct 6 away vs Wakefield @ 17:00  
Tue, Oct 10 away vs Tandem @ 17:30  
Thr, Oct 12 at **HOME** @ 16:00  
Sat, Oct 14 away vs Highland @ 13:00  
Tue, Oct 17 away vs RMA @ 16:00  
Thr, Oct 19 away at Grace Prep @ 16:00  
Thr, Oct 26 at **HOME** @ 16:30  
Tue, Oct 31 GPAC Quarterfinals @ 16:00



## Cross Country

Tue, Oct 3 away at GPAC (FA) @ 15:00  
Tue, Oct 10 away at Foxcroft @ 15:00  
Tue, Oct 17 at **HOME** @ 15:00  
Tue, Oct 24 away at Randolph Macon @ 15:00

Winter Sports tryouts will be in November  
TBD.

Students must have a current Sports  
Physical on file to participate.

# SNACK SHACK

Didn't get breakfast? Hungry between classes?  
Come visit the Snack Shack in Ms. Harris' Room 207  
Snacks available for purchase every day  
except during lunches.

# SENIOR ADS

EARLY YEARBOOK SPECIAL

SEPTEMBER 1 - NOVEMBER 30

PRICES WILL INCREASE DECEMBER 1

1/4 Page: \$30

1/2 Page: \$60

Full Page: \$100



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# HOMECOMING



**Theme: Midnight Masquerade**  
**Colors: Purple, Black, Silver and Gold**

## SPIRIT WEEK

<b>OCT</b> <b>20</b> <b>F</b> <b>ALOHA</b> <b>DAY</b> <b>(SENIOR DAY)</b>	<b>OCT</b> <b>24</b> <b>T</b> <b>TWIN</b> <b>DAY</b> <b>(HALLWAY</b> <b>DECORATING</b> <b>AFTER</b> <b>SCHOOL)</b>	<b>OCT</b> <b>25</b> <b>W</b> <b>BARBIE AND</b> <b>KEN</b> <b>WEAR PINK</b> <b>TO HONOR</b> <b>BREAST</b> <b>CANCER</b> <b>AWARENESS</b>	<b>OCT</b> <b>26</b> <b>T</b> <b>SCHOOL</b> <b>PRIDE</b> <b>ROCK YOUR</b> <b>RED AND</b> <b>GOLD</b> <b>PEP RALLY</b>	<b>OCT</b> <b>27</b> <b>F</b> <b>COUNTRY</b> <b>CLUB</b> <b>OR COUNTRY</b> <b>COWBOY</b> <b>COWGIRL</b>
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**HOMECOMING GAME: Saturday, October 28 at Butler Stadium @ 13:00.**  
**Game will be a RED OUT to support Red Ribbon Week.**

**Homecoming Court King and Queen will be crowned at halftime**

## HOMECOMING DANCE

**(9TH - 12TH GRADES)**

**DATE: October 28**

**TIME: 7:00 PM - 10:00 PM**

**PLACE: The Clubs at Quantico**

**TICKETS: \$25.00 thru October 27. \$30 at the door.**

**Tickets will be sold September 28 - October 27 in school.**

**October 28 at the door. Price includes dessert and drinks.**

**All Guests (non QMHS students) must be preapproved by Administration by October 20th. See Office for forms.**

# Middle School Night

**Date: Wed, October 25**  
**Time: 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM**  
**Cost: \$5.00**

**COSTUME  
CONTEST**

**Pizza, snacks and water will be  
available for sale at an additional  
cost.**

**Students will need to go home after school  
and must have a ride home after the event.**



# ART CLUB

**Thursdays**  
**from 2:15 pm - 3:45 pm**

**Art Room**  
**with Ms Costa**

# Games Club

**Join the Games Club to play  
Dungeons and Dragons,  
Tabletop RPGs, board  
games, cards and more!**

**Meetings each  
Tuesday**  
**from 2:15 pm - 3:45 pm**

**in the Information Center  
(Library)**  
**with Ms. Callaway**



# Book Character Day

Dress as your favorite  
book character on  
**October 31**

**ON SALE OCT 30  
BY SGA  
HANDED OUT ON  
OCT 31**

**SPIRIT  
WEAR**



**Long Sleeve**  
S/M/L: \$20  
XL/2XL: \$25



**Short Sleeve  
Tee Shirt**  
S/M/L/XL: \$15  
2XL/3XL: \$18



**Hoodies**  
S/M/L/XL: \$25  
2XL/3XL: \$30

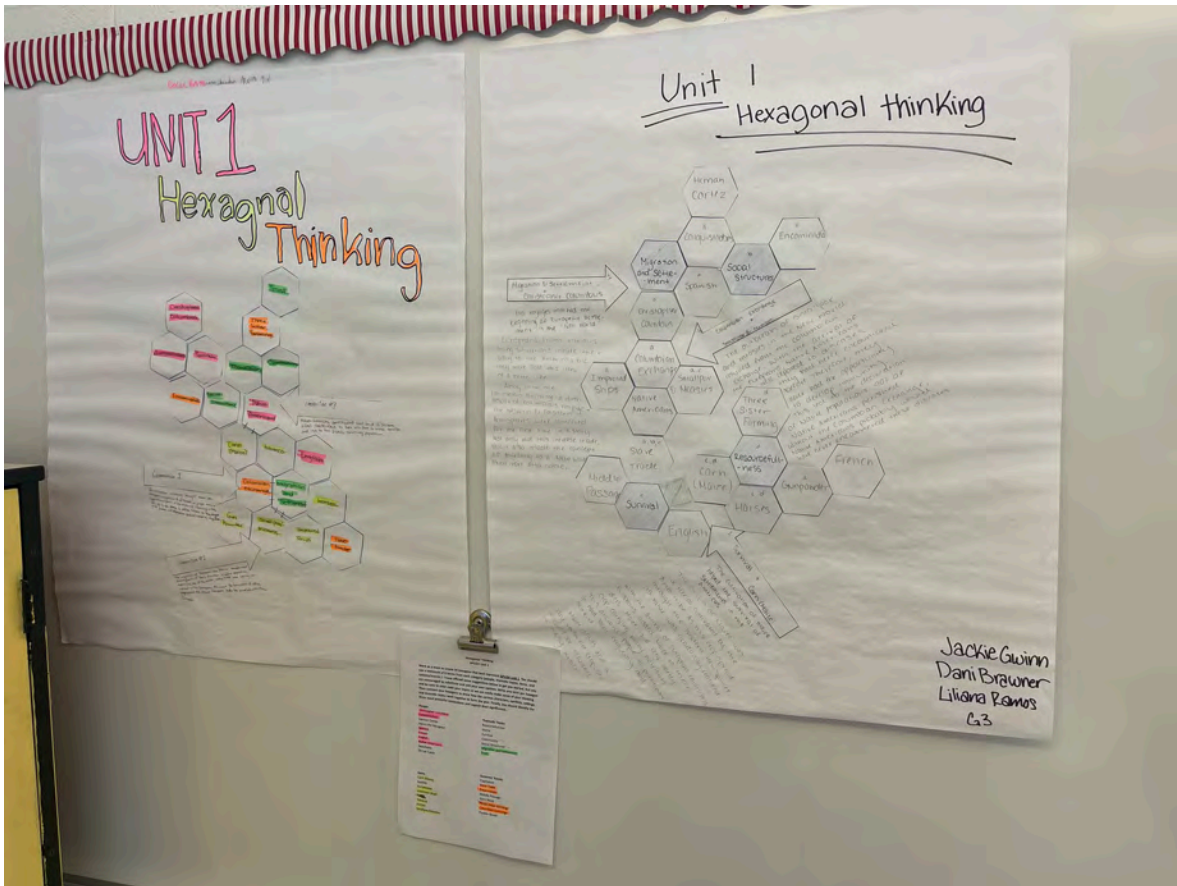


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# PATHWAYS TO COLLEGE & CAREER CONFERENCE

**SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 30 | 8:30 AM - 2 PM**

**WHO:** 8th-12th grade military-connected and DoD students and parents/guardians

**WHERE:** Crossroads Elementary School  
3315 Purvis Road | Quantico, VA 22134

**HOW:** To register visit [pcc23.eventbrite.com](https://pcc23.eventbrite.com) or scan QR code.

**TIME:** Check-in begins at 8:30 a.m.  
Workshops will start at 9 a.m.

**Register by Thursday, September 28. Space is limited!**



**ADMISSION:** FREE

**This event is open to military and DoD ID card holders.**

For more information contact TGR Foundation at 714.765.8040 or email [ewsp@tgrfoundation.org](mailto:ewsp@tgrfoundation.org).

The Pathways to College and Career conference will be a half-day of hands-on specialized instruction offering a range of college and career preparation workshops for military-connected and DoD high school students and their parents/guardians. The primary goal is to help students finish high school better prepared for postsecondary success. This unique approach has a customized track of concurrent workshops for students and parents.

Continental breakfast and lunch will be served; this free event is open to 8th-12th grade military-connected students and DoD students and parents/guardians.

## SAMPLE STUDENT WORKSHOPS:

- o Developing Your College List
- o Personal Statement: Your Questions Answered
- o Scholarship Search 101

## SAMPLE PARENT WORKSHOPS:

- o College Applications Explained
- o Using Social Media for Scholarship Searches
- o Securing Funding for Higher Ed



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# Would you like to check your child's grades whenever you want?

The DoDEA Student Information System (SIS) is Aspen. Parents AND students each have their own access into that system so that they can check grades, attendance, and other information. Best of all...you already have an account! Just sign into the DoDEA SIS platform with the same email address and password you used to register your child. Click the HELP! button or scan the QR code below to open a tip sheet for parents.



*DoDEA SIS Aspen  
Parent Tip Sheet*



## & Did you know??

You can set notifications on your child's attendance and grades in Aspen through your Parent Aspen Account. Once you log in, find the "Notification" tab on the left and set your preferences!



<https://dodeasis.myfollett.com/aspen/logon.do>

Subscribe	Name	Description
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Attendance	This subscription will notify you of any attendance entry for this student
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Grades	This subscription will notify you when any grades below a specified threshold are entered for this student. Grades are scaled as a percent from 0 to 100. If a student receives a class assignment or test grade that is below the specified threshold, a notification will be sent to your email address.  In the space below, please enter a grade threshold to use for determining what grades to report. This should be a number from 0 to 100. For example, an entry of 75 would trigger a notification for any grade entered that scaled below 75%.  Grade Threshold <input type="text" value="80"/>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Late Grades	This subscription will notify you when a teacher enters a special score of Late for an assignment that has not been turned in. The notification will be sent to your email address.



# Where can I get the info I need??

In addition to this newsletter, you only need a tiny bit of info to be able to keep up on the happenings at Quantico MHS.

**Facebook**—THE official DoDEA Quantico MHS FB Site:



<https://www.facebook.com/DoDEAQuanticoMHS> Be sure to “Like” and “Follow”



**DoDEA Website**—Managed locally and globally:

<https://quanticomhs.dodea.edu/>

**DoDEA SIS (Aspen)**—

There is an announcements page with an Events scroller and Google Calendar that you can view before you check your child’s grades:

<https://dodeasis.myfollett.com/aspen/logon.do> Check [this flyer](#) if you need to know more.



**Email**—This is the OFFICIAL mode of communication between the school and home. Be sure to check the email address you gave to the school when you registered your child(ren). If this info ever changes, please contact [shawn.williams@dodea.edu](mailto:shawn.williams@dodea.edu) to give an update.

**QMHS Student Google**

**Classroom**—Students are enrolled in this, and parents are welcome to look over their shoulder.



Questions? Please contact [QMHS.webmaster@dodea.edu](mailto:QMHS.webmaster@dodea.edu)



# QMHS INFORMATION CENTER NEWS!

## Researching? IC has resources to help!

DoDEA has purchased 114 online databases for students. Access is through the Information Center folder in ClassLink. Several classes have already been using the online databases and more are scheduled.

Here is an overview of what is available.

**Gale Databases**= 36 available through App in ClassLink, Destiny Discover and MackinVIA

**ABC-CLIO**=16 available through MackinVIA

**Cavendish Square**=55 available through MackinVIA

Also available through MackinVIA: specialty Core Concepts in Biology, Chemistry and Periodic Table; Financial Literacy; Digital Literacy; Country Reports; Britannica Encyclopedia; Britannica Image; Britannica Spanish Center

\*\*\*Students are encouraged to contact Mrs. Kaysak if they have any questions about these resources

## CHECKOUT BOOKS!!!

ELA classes have completed orientation and students have been checking out books since August 21<sup>st</sup>! Students may have two (2) print books out at anytime. Books are checked out for three (3) weeks.

We have several overdue books as it is past the first three weeks of school. Students should check their school email for overdue notices.

360 books have been checked out as of 9/20/23!

## Students completed a Reading Interest Survey during the Orientation in the IC

The students were asked to rate different types of books from Love It! to Hate It!

6<sup>th</sup> grade Love It choice—Action/Adventure 50.9%  
7<sup>th</sup> grade Love It choice—Action/Adventure 45.5%  
8<sup>th</sup> grade Love It choice—Action/Adventure 36.2%  
9<sup>th</sup> grade Love It choice—Horror/Suspense 36.4%  
10<sup>th</sup> grade Love It choice—Action/Adventure 34.8%  
11<sup>th</sup> grade Love It choice—Fantasy 28.6%  
12<sup>th</sup> grade Love It choice—tie between Action/Adventure and Fantasy 33.3%

Overall least favorites: Poetry (34.6%) and Biography (31.7%)

Pie graphs for the whole school results and 6, 7, and 8 grades are posted outside the IC.



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## MATH

Pre-Algebra  
Algebra  
Algebra II  
Basic Math  
Elementary Math  
Middle Grades Math  
Pre-Calculus  
Calculus  
Multivariable Calculus  
Discrete Math  
Finite Mathematics  
Geometry  
Statistics  
Trigonometry

## SCIENCE

Anatomy and Physiology  
Elementary Science (Grades 1-8)  
Environmental Science  
Biology  
Chemistry  
Organic Chemistry  
Earth Science  
Microbiology  
Physics  
Physical Science

## ENGLISH

Essay Writing  
Grammar  
Literature  
Reading  
Vocabulary

## ENGLISH LANGUAGE LEARNERS (ELL)

Reading Help  
English Language Use  
English Writing  
Types of Writing

## SOCIAL STUDIES

Civics and Government  
European History  
Geography  
U.S. History  
World History  
Social Studies (Grades K-8)

## SOCIAL SCIENCE

Criminal Justice  
Introductory Psychology  
Introductory Sociology  
Research Methods

## WORLD LANGUAGES

**SPANISH, FRENCH, GERMAN, ARABIC, ITALIAN**

Grammar  
Reading Comprehension  
Writing

## BUSINESS

Accounting  
Business and Consumer Math  
Business Law  
Economics  
Finance  
Principles of Management

## COMPUTER SCIENCE AND LITERACY

Microsoft® Access, Excel, PowerPoint, and Word  
Java® Programming  
C++ Programming

## TEST PREP

ACT®  
SAT®  
PSAT®  
NCLEX®  
GED®  
HiSET®

## NURSING/ALLIED HEALTH

Allied Health  
Care Plans  
Clinical Assessment  
Clinical Management  
Epidemiology  
Evidence Based Practice  
Health Services  
Healthcare Administration  
Medical Coding  
Medical Surgical  
Medical Terminology  
Pediatrics  
Primary Care  
Pathophysiology  
Pharmacology

## STUDENT SUCCESS: STUDY AND LIFE SKILLS

Building a Support System  
Finding Scholarly Resources  
Healthy Habits  
Motivation and Goals  
Notetaking  
Organizational Skills  
Stress Management  
Study Strategies  
Time Management  
Utilizing Resources

## PARENT COACHING

Finding Balance  
Managing Knowledge Gaps  
Motivation and Goals  
Scheduling and Organization  
Setting Expectations  
Study Techniques  
Using Resources

## AP® SUBJECTS

AP Art History  
AP Biology  
AP Calculus AB  
AP Calculus BC  
AP Chemistry  
AP Comparative Government and Politics  
AP Computer Science A  
AP English Language and Composition  
AP English Literature and Composition  
AP Environmental Science  
AP European History  
AP French Language and Culture  
AP German Language and Culture  
AP Human Geography  
AP Italian Language and Culture  
AP Microeconomics  
AP Macroeconomics  
AP Physics 1: Algebra Based  
AP Physics 2: Algebra Based

## IB® SUBJECTS

IB Language A:  
• Language & Literature  
• Literature HL & SL  
IB Mathematics:  
• Pre-Calculus HL & SL  
• Calculus HL & SL  
• Statistics HL & SL  
• Discrete Math HL  
IB Chemistry  
IB Physics  
IB Biology  
IB History  
IB Psychology  
IB Computer Science  
• Java  
• C++



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