

......Making Connections!

August 1, 2019

To the Burleson High School Family,

On behalf of the BHS Staff, we welcome you to the 2019-20 school year. The staff has been working hard all summer in preparation for providing success for ALL students in the upcoming year.

Thank you for allowing us to play an important role in the growth of your child and we look forward to a great year at BHS!!! **GO ELKS!!!**

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact us at 817-245-0000, or visit our website at http://bhs.burlesonisd.net/.

Please read the following information and click on the blue links provided:

First Day of School is August 19th (Monday)

BISD 19-20 School Calendar

Bell Schedules for the 2019-2020 School Year

ELK Camp for incoming 9th graders (required attendance) Monday, August 12th - 6:00pm

Doors open at 5:00pm

Elk Camp Info: BHS Freshmen Parents

ALL STUDENTS: Registration and Enrollment

Online annual registration for returning students begins on Monday, July 16 through Skyward Family Access. You can update your contact information, emergency contacts, proof of residency (POR), health information, and sign-off on the BISD 1: You Lending Agreement for your child's digital device. Reminder - your child will not be able to receive their chromebook until this has been completed. This needs to be completed prior to August 10th.

Proof of Residency (required for all students)

To ensure that your child has an excellent first day, please make sure that you have provided us with a current proof of residency prior to August 10th. Below are some important dates to assist you with this process. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact us at 817-245-0250.

If you need assistance with your Skyward Family Access login and password, please click on the following link Family Access Help or contact us at 817-245-0230.

If you moved or need to update POR in person, BHS will be open:

July 30th & 31st 8:00 am - 11:30 am & 1:00 pm - 4:00 pm August 7th & 8th 8:00 am - 11:30 am & 1:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Schedules/First Day Procedures

Student schedules are available on Family Access through Skyward starting August 12. The first three days of school counselors will be working with only newly enrolled students. Beginning *Monday, August 12th*, students who fall into one or more of the following criteria may pick up a Schedule Change Request Form from their House Office or online:

- A senior not enrolled in a class necessary for graduation
- Scheduled in a class for which the student already has credit
- Scheduled into a class for which the student does not have the skills or prerequisite
- Scheduled a Dual Enrollment course but unable to pay for the course

Requests must be returned to the House Office with a parent/guardian signature no later than <u>Tuesday</u>, <u>August 27th</u>, <u>by 4:15 PM</u>. Forms may also be printed out from the link below. Only schedule requests with a completed form will be considered. <u>Monday</u>, <u>September 30</u> is the last day to drop PAP/AP courses.

<u>Click here</u> to get to Skyward Family Access. <u>Proof of Residency/Online Registration Procedures</u> <u>Athletics Physicals/Forms/Schedules</u> <u>BHS Schedule Change Request</u>

House Offices

BHS students are divided alphabetically by last name into House Offices:

Last Name A-G - Kappa House - (817)245-0031

Assistant Principal - Tommy Neal

Counselor - Debi Blevins

Attendance Clerk/ House Secretary - Kathy Swindall

Last Name **H-Pa**- **Sigma House** - (817)245-0013

Assistant Principal - Julie Knight

Counselor - Jami Renner

Attendance Clerk/ House Secretary - Shaquel Hall

Last Name **Pd-Z** - *Omega House* - (817)245-0030

Assistant Principal - Alan Sypert

Counselor - Charity Whatley

Attendance Clerk/ House Secretary - Stephanie Smith

<u>Kaitlin Houk</u> College Readiness Coordinator (817) 245-0060 <u>Alicia Zuniga</u> Testing Coordinator (817) 245-0087

BISD Attendance Letter
BISD Attendance Letter-Spanish

Dress Code

Please click on the links below to find out information about student code of conduct and become familiar with <u>dress</u> <u>code requirements</u>. The dress code information will help you when you and your student are selecting clothes that are appropriate for school. <u>Dress Code</u>

Tardy Policy

We will work with students during the first week of school considering they will be locating new rooms. For specific information on the policy please refer to <u>BHS Tardy Policy</u>

Student Parking

For parking information and students applying for a 2019-2020 parking pass click here: BHS Parking (link will be available after August 5th)

Transportation & Food Service

GoldStar Transit - Student Bus Information New for BISD: Monitor Bus Location with SAFESTOP Student Drop Off and Pick Up Map Cafeteria/Food Service Information

<u>District Issued Technology - Chromebooks</u>

BISD issues Chromebooks to all of our students and are required for many of the daily assignments and coursework. Students are required to bring Chromebooks to school everyday and they must be charged and ready for use in class. *****Chromebook Check-Out Information will be available at a later date.

BISD 1:You Technology Program Information

Textbooks and Supplies

Students will need to bring paper and a pen/pencil to the 1st day of class. Individual teachers will let the students know what supplies are necessary for their class. Textbooks for core classes are distributed as class sets to teachers. Students with an accommodation for a set to take home will need to request their books in the Sigma House Office. AP textbooks will be distributed within the first few weeks of school.

BHS Communication:

Parents and Students can access campus news here: **BHS Campus News**

Weekly CAMPUS Communication (ELK CALL Newsletter) will be sent out through Parent/Student Link.

BHS Web Page: http://bhs.burlesonisd.net/
Staff Directory available on BHS home page

Important Dates:

ELK Camp for incoming 9th graders - Monday, August 12 - 5:00pm

Meet the ELK - August 17

Meet the Teacher - September 24 **BHS Homecoming** - September 27

BHS Prom - Saturday, May 9

BHS Senior Day & Awards - Monday, May 18 BHS 2020 Graduation - Wednesday, May 27

Thank you for your continued support, GO ELKS !!!

Wayne Leek Principal Burleson High School