# **Thurgood Marshall High School** Clubs, Activities, & Organizations

## <u>Art Club</u>

Sponsors: Amarienne Williams, Martin Kelly, Freddie Trotter Purpose: To make a more artistic campus and ignite interest in the visual arts by creating collaborative art that will be displayed throughout the campus. Meetings: Thursdays (Weekly) Time: 3:05 – 4:00 p.m. Room: P112 Cost: \$10

#### **Business Professionals of America**

Sponsors: Joyce Lawson, Monica Gillespie-Johnson Purpose: Provide students with opportunities for growth through education, competition and community service. Meetings: Wednesdays (Weekly) Time: 7:00 – 7:30 a.m. Room: D101 Membership: All grades Cost: \$25

# Criminal Justice Club

Sponsors: Tracy Wilson

Purpose: To give students practice in public speaking, listening and note taking, as well as giving them a voice and raising their awareness on worldwide issues. Meetings: Mondays (Bi-Weekly) Time: 3:00 – 4:00 p.m. Room: P108 Membership: Open to all grades Cost: \$60

## Drama Club/Thespian Troupe

Sponsors: Nancy Lynch
Purpose: This troupe shall be the advancement of standards of excellence in theater.
Meetings: Tuesdays (Bi-Weekly)
Time: 3:00 - 4:00 p.m.
Room: J112
Membership: Students interested in gaining eligibility to become a thespian must earn thespian points via production work.
Cost: \$28

# <u>FFA</u>

#### **Spon**sors: Kenneth Parker

**Purpose:** FFA is a dynamic youth organization within agri-education that prepares students for leadership/personal growth and career success. **Meetings:** Tuesdays (Monthly)

*Time*: 6:00 p.m.

**Room:** P121 **Membership:** Open to all students that have paid dues and in class

*Cost:* \$25

# Gaming Club

Sponsors: Freddie Trotter Purpose: Provide students an opportunity to socialize with fellow students who share similar interest. Meetings: Tuesdays (Weekly) Time: 6:00 p.m. Room: K119 Membership: Open to all students that have paid dues and in class Cost: None

# Int elligence Programming Club

Sponsors: Doug Phillips Purpose: To help teach students the fundamentals of programming and how it supports our world growing tech industries. Meetings: Thursdays (Weekly) Time: 3:00 – 4:00 p.m. Room: M502 Membership: Open to all grade levels Cost: None

# <u>Key Club</u>

Sponsors: Samuel Padgitt, Chaderic Clayton Purpose: Community service based organization tied into the local Kiwanis Club in Houston & Missouri City, TX. Meetings: Thursdays (Weekly) Time: 7:00 – 7:30 a.m. Room: R101 Membership: Open to all who'd like to serve Cost: \$20

#### <u>Mu Alpha Theta</u>

Sponsors: Terrance Stills Purpose: National Mathematics Honor Society Meetings: Monday (Monthly) Time: 7:00 – 7:30 a.m. Room: C101 Membership: Seniors and juniors by interview Cost: \$30



## National Honor Society

Sponsors: Amber Johnson

Purpose: To create enthusiasm for scholarship to stimulate a desire to render service, to promote leadership and develop character in the student of secondary schools. Meetings: Monday (Monthly) Time: 3:00 – 3:55 p.m. Room: P101

Membership: 1.5 Semesters completed, 80% Average/GPA 3.0, Letter sent to potential candidate Cost: \$15

## Peer Assistance & Leadership (PALS)

Sponsors: Ashley White Purpose: Bring awareness to school for each month, character education mentor program Meetings: Daily (5<sup>th</sup> period) Time: 3:00 – 3:45 p.m. Room: G102 Membership: Juniors and seniors - by application and interview only Cost: None

## <u>Pep Squad</u>

#### **Sponsors:** Marcus Washington

Purpose: The purpose of the Black Hole is to assist in increasing student spirit and fan support at athletic events. Meetings: Wednesdays (Monthly) Time: 3:00 – 3:45 p.m. Room: A109 Membership: Open to all grade levels Cost: None

#### Poetry Club

#### Sponsors: Kimberly Mateo, Shantel Benjamin

**Purpose:** To compete in speech and debate tournaments and make good friends while developing lifelong skills in public speaking, critical thinking, research, and writing. **Meetings:** Tuesdays (Weekly)

*Time:* 7:00 a.m., 3:00 p.m. *Room:* Library *Membership:* Open to all grades. *Cost:* None

#### Speech & Debate

#### Sponsors: Godfrey Boston, Samuel Padgitt

**Purpose:** To compete in speech and debate tournaments and make good friends while developing lifelong skills in public speaking, critical thinking, research, and writing. **Meetings:** Tuesdays (Bi-Weekly)

*Time*: 3:00 p.m.

**Room:** R101

Membership: Open to all grades. Professional Communication Prerequisite Cost: None

**Student Council** 

Sponsors: Cherell Thomas, Charles Jenkins Meetings: Tuesdays (Bi-Weekly) Time: 3:00 p.m. Room: H101 Membership: Open to all grades; we will review grades & behavior. Cost: \$35

## Tri-M Music Honor Society

Sponsor: Tracy Anderson
Purpose: To recognize students for academic and musical achievements as well as inspire music leadership.
Meetings: Thursdays (Monthly)
Time: 4:00 – 5:00 p.m.
Room: K102
Membership: Students enrolled in choir or band; 10th - 12th grades only.
Cost: \$20 (new members), \$10 (continuing members)