

TRAVIS TIGER CODE OF CONDUCT

BE RESPONSIBLE
BE RESPECTFUL
BE SAFE
BE READY TO LEARN

This Week in Tiger Land

Monday, May 22nd

Senior Exams—1st and 6th Periods
Orchestra Spring Pops Concert (7:00pm)

Tuesday, May 23rd

Senior Exams—2nd and 4th Periods
Band Spring Concert (6:00pm)

Wednesday, May 24th

College Wear Wednesday
Senior Exams—3rd and 5th Periods
Spring Athletic Banquet (6:30pm)

Thursday, May 25th

Senior Exams—7th Period
DEADLINE FOR LOCKERS TO BE CLEANED OUT! (by 3:00pm)
Baseball Playoff Game #1 vs. North Shore HS (7:30pm) @ Rice

Friday, May 26th

District-Wide College Wear Day!
Decision Day—Seniors Only
Baseball Playoff Game #2 vs. North Shore HS (7:30pm) @ Rice

Saturday, May 19th

Baseball Playoff Game #3 (if needed) vs. NSHS (3:00pm) @ Rice

11 DAYS

**UNTIL GRADUATION FOR THE THS CLASS
OF 2017!!!**

***“GIVE LIGHT AND PEOPLE
WILL FIND THE WAY.”***

- ELLA BAKER

Have questions about date/time for a school event? Want to know what's for lunch tomorrow? Want to purchase a parking permit?

[CLICK HERE](#) to go to our website for all this and more!

If you would like to submit an announcement for addition to this newsletter, [CLICK HERE](#).

Submit announcements for this newsletter [HERE](#).

THS 2016-17 THEME

“BE THE ONE...”

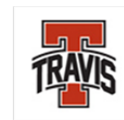


Travis High School Volleyball

Date: Saturday May 20, 2017

Time: 8:00 am – 2:00 pm

Location: Kroger Gas Station in Waterside
99 Grand Parkway and Mason Road



Please come support your Freshman, JV and Varsity Teams! All proceeds will go to the Travis Volleyball Booster Account. This money will ensure our volleyball players are equipped with the most up-to-date equipment during their high school years.

Graduation Information

Everything you need to know about FBISD Graduation ceremonies can be found [HERE!](#)

Textbook Return

Textbooks should be returned by the end of this week!
The book room will be open every day this week before school and during all lunches!

Roaring Ahead!

May 26th—June 1st—9th-11th Grade Exams
May 30th—Senior Trip—Fiesta Texas
May 31st—Graduation Practice (8:30am)
May 31st—Early Dismissal (all students)
June 1st—Senior Breakfast/Slide Show (8:30am)
June 2nd—Graduation!!! (2:00pm)

TIGER TRACKS

TRAVIS HIGH SCHOOL PARENT NEWSLETTER

ISSUE #171

MAY 22ND, 2017

Travis High School- May 22- June 1

Side by Side Exam Schedule

9th – 11th Grade

Seniors

Monday 5/22	Monday 5/22
7:30-8:25 – 1 st Period 8:30 – 9:30 – 2 nd Period 9:35-10:20 – 3 rd Period 10:25 –11:10 – 4 th Period 11:15 -12:45 – 5 th Period A Lunch – 11:15-11:45 ALL downstairs non-12 th B Lunch – 11:45-12:15 ALL upstairs non-12 th 12:45 – 1:35 – 6 th Period 1:40-2:45 – 7 th Period	7:30 – 9:30 – 1 st Period Exam 9:35-10:20 – 3 rd Period Review 10:25 – 11:10 – 4 th Period Review 11:15 – 12:15 – 5 th Period Review 12:15-12:45 – C Lunch 12:45-2:45 – 6 th Period Exam **Seniors that are Exempt may arrive late and/or leave early but must attend 3 rd , 4 th and 5 th period review
Tuesday 5/23 7:30-8:25 – 1 st Period 8:30 – 9:30 – 2 nd Period 9:35 – 10:25 – 3 rd Period 10:30 – 11:20 – 4 th Period 11:20 – 12:50 – 5 th Period and lunches 12:55 – 1:50 – 6 th Period 1:55 – 2:45 – 7 th Period	Tuesday 5/23 7:30 – 9:30 – 2 nd Period Exam 9:35 – 11:40 – 4 th Period Exam **Early Dismissal at 11:40 **Seniors Exempt from Both Report to Auditorium at 8:30 AM **Seniors taking one or both exams do not need to report to Activity
Wednesday 5/24 7:30-8:25 – 1 st Period 8:30 – 9:30 – 2 nd Period 9:35 – 10:25 – 3 rd Period 10:30 – 11:20 – 4 th Period 11:20 – 12:50 – 5 th Period and lunches 12:55 – 1:50 – 6 th Period 1:55 – 2:45 – 7 th Period	Wednesday 5/24 7:30-9:30 – 3 rd Period Exam 9:35-11:40 – 5 th Period Exam **Early Dismissal at 11:40 **Seniors Exempt from Both Report to Auditorium at 8:30 AM **Seniors taking one or both exams do not need to report to activity.
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Friday 5/26 7:30-8:20 – 1 st Period Review 8:25 -9:15 – 2 nd Period Review 9:20-10:10 – 3 rd Period Review 10:15-11:05 – 4 th Period Review 11:10-12:40 – 5 th Period Review and Lunch 12:45-2:45 – 6 th Period Exam **Juniors Exempt from 6 th Period Will Leave Campus, 9 th and 10 th – report to class	Friday 5/26 Decision Day – All Seniors report to Commons at 8:15 AM. Seniors will have lunch and Senior Meeting when we return from Decision Day. All Seniors will be dismissed at 2:00 PM
Tuesday 5/30 7:30-9:30 – 2 nd Period Exam 9:35-11:35 – 4 th Period Exam 11:35-1:05 – 5 th Period Review and Lunch 1:10-2:45 – 7 th Period Review **Juniors that are Exempt do not report to Exam Period, 9 th and 10 th – report to class **Juniors Exempt from 4 th only will report to the library during the exam period – you may not leave **ALL 9 th -11 th grade students MUST REPORT to the Review Periods	Tuesday 5/30 Senior Trip – Fiesta Texas – Students Meet in Large Gym at 7:00 AM. Students Not Attending the Trip – Meet in Auditorium at 8:30 AM.
Wednesday 5/31 7:30-9:30 – 3 rd Period Exam 9:35-11:35 – 5 th Period Exam **Early Dismissal for ALL STUDENTS **Juniors that are Exempt do not report to Exam Period, 9 th and 10 th – report to class **Juniors Exempt from BOTH exams – report to Small Gym at 8:30 for required Exemption Activity **Juniors Exempt from one –report only to exam period you are taking	Wednesday 5/31 8:30 AM – 11:30 AM – Graduation Practice – Meet in Auditorium
Thursday 6/1 7:30-9:30 – 1 st Period Exam 9:35-11:35 – 7 th Period Exam **Early Dismissal for ALL STUDENTS **Juniors that are Exempt do not report to Exam Period, 9 th and 10 th – report to class **Juniors Exempt from BOTH exams – report to Auditorium at 8:30 for required Exemption Activity **Juniors Exempt from one –report only to exam period you are taking	Thursday 6/1 8:30 AM – ALL Seniors Report to Commons for Senior Slide Show, Senior Breakfast, and Activity

TRAVIS HIGH SCHOOL EXEMPTION DAYS PROCEDURES & ACTIVITIES
11th Grade Students: May 22-June 1

FAILURE TO REPORT TO SCHOOL FOR DESIGNATED CLASSES/ACTIVITIES WILL RESULT IN STUDENTS FORFEITING THEIR EXEMPTIONS. ATTENDANCE WILL BE TAKEN AT ALL EVENTS!



Parking permits required each day (all regular rules apply)
ALL exempt students must turn in their textbooks to their teachers at the time teachers sign the exemption forms.

MONDAY – May 22, 2017	
1st Exam 7:30-9:30 3rd-5th Reviews 9:35-12:40 6th Exam 12:45-2:45	Exempt Seniors can arrive at 9:30 and leave at 12:45.
TUESDAY – May 23, 2017	
2nd Exam 7:30-9:30 4th Exam 9:40-11:40	Seniors exempt from both exams MUST report to the Auditorium @ 8:30 a.m. Seniors who have to take 2nd or 4th, or both, do not need to report for the activity. All Seniors dismissed at 11:40 a.m.
WEDNESDAY – May 24, 2017	
3rd Exam 7:30-9:30 5th Exam 9:40-11:40	Seniors exempt from both exams MUST report to the Auditorium @ 8:30 a.m. Seniors who have to take 3rd or 5th, or both, do not need to report for the activity. All Seniors dismissed at 11:40 a.m.
THURSDAY – May 25, 2017	
7th Exam 7:30-9:30	ALL Seniors Report to the Auditorium at 9:35 AM.
FRIDAY – May 26, 2017	
Decision Day	Seniors Report to the Commons at 8:15 AM; when we return from Decision Day there will be lunch served and a Senior Meeting; Seniors will be dismissed at 2:00
TUESDAY – May 30, 2017	
Senior Trip or Activity	Seniors attending the trip report to large gym at 7:00 AM; Seniors not attending the trip report to the Auditorium at 8:30 AM
WEDNESDAY – May 31, 2017	
Graduation Practice	ALL Seniors Report to Auditorium at 8:30 a.m. Seniors will enter through the I Hallway doors.
THURSDAY – June 1, 2017	
Senior Breakfast/Slide Show/Activity	ALL seniors report to the Commons @ 8:30 a.m. Seniors will enter through the gym entrance to the building.

9 th and 10 th Grade	11 th Grade	12 th Grade
Attendance: No more than 4 absences for the spring semester. 3 tardies equals 1 absence for exemption purposes. E's and U's are the only codes that should be used for totaling absences.	Attendance: No more than 4 absences for the spring semester. 3 tardies equals 1 absence for exemption purposes. E's and U's are the only codes that should be used for totaling absences.	Attendance: No more than 4 absences for the spring semester. 3 tardies equals 1 absence for exemption purposes.
Discipline: No removals to DAEP/JAEP in the 16-17 school year.	Discipline: No removals to DAEP/JAEP in the 16-17 school year.	Discipline: No removals to DAEP/JAEP in the 16-17 school year.
Fines/Fees: No outstanding fines or fees.	Fines/Fees: No outstanding fines or fees.	Fines/Fees: No outstanding fines or fees.
Grades: Must have a semester average of 80 or above for the spring semester average in the course eligible for exemption.	Grades: Must have a semester average of 80 or above for the spring semester average in the course eligible for exemption.	Grades: Must have a semester average of 80 or above for the spring semester average in the course eligible for exemption.
State Testing: Must have met minimum standard on the EOC exam for the course eligible for exemption.	State Testing: Must have met minimum standard on the EOC exam for the course eligible for exemption (US History).	State Testing: Must have met minimum standard on the EOC exam requirements (or new project requirements) for the core course eligible for exemption.
Exemptions: Eligible for 3 exemptions in core courses only. (Math, Science, ELA, or Social Studies)	Exemptions: Eligible for 4 exemptions in core courses only. (Math, Science, ELA, and Social Studies).	Exemptions: Eligible for exemptions in all courses.
Test Days: Students must attend class during exam exemptions to receive exemptions.	Test Days: Students must attend class or all required activities during exam exemptions to receive exemptions.	Test Days: Students must attend all required activities during exam exemptions AND senior week to receive exemptions

* Exceptions to Compulsory Attendance

- Religious holidays
- Required court appearances
- Activities related to obtaining US citizenship
- Service as an election clerk
- Documented health care appointments which require a student return from doctor to attend part of the school day as a temporary absences including but not limited to absences for recognized services for students diagnosed with autism spectrum disorders.
- Juniors or Seniors are allowed up to two (2) days for visiting a college/university provided the student:
 - 1) Receives prior approval from the campus principal
 - 2) Follows the campus procedures to verify such a visit
 - 3) Makes up any missed work

Questions and Answers

QUESTION	If a student has office aide, athletics, or fine arts, can they bring a note and leave?
ANSWER	NO! Students must remain on campus during any assigned classes. The ONLY way a student can leave is if they are exempt or if a parent comes into the school and checks them out. This applies to all students.
QUESTION	Are Homebound students eligible for exemptions?
ANSWER	Yes, if they meet the grade requirement and the STAAR requirement, they are eligible.
QUESTION	Can students lose exemptions if their grade changes after the forms are submitted May 19th?
ANSWER	No, the grades should be finalized before the exemption form is submitted to the assistant principal.

TRAVIS HIGH SCHOOL
EXEMPTION DAYS
PROCEDURES & ACTIVITIES
9th-11th Grade: Spring 2017

FAILURE TO REPORT TO SCHOOL FOR DESIGNATED CLASSES/ACTIVITIES WILL RESULT IN STUDENTS FORFEITING THEIR EXEMPTIONS.

9th & 10th grade students must remain in scheduled courses if they are exempt.

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FRIDAY ~ May 26, 2017

EXAM 6th Exam 12:45-2:45	All 9th & 10th grade students will attend 1st-6th periods. The 6th period exam is from 12:45-2:45 p.m. 9th and 10th grade students must report to 6th period even if exempt.
JUNIORS 6th Period Exam	Exempt Juniors can leave at 12:45 p.m.

TUESDAY ~ May 30, 2017

EXAMS 2nd Exam 7:30-9:30 4th Exam 9:35-11:35	All 9th & 10th grade students will attend 2nd, 4th, 5th, & 7th periods. 9th and 10th grade students must report to 2nd and 4th period even if exempt.
JUNIORS 2nd & 4th Period Exams	Exempt Juniors MUST report to 5th period at 11:35 a.m.-1:05 p.m. (lunches are later) and 7th Period 1:10 p.m.-2:45 p.m. to maintain exemptions. Juniors Exempt from BOTH tests report at 11:40; Juniors Exempt from 2nd only report at 9:30; Juniors Exempt from 4th only—report to library, must sign in

WEDNESDAY ~ May 31, 2017

EXAMS 3rd Exam 7:30-9:30 5th Exam 9:35-11:35	All 9th & 10th grade students will attend 3rd and 5th periods. 9th and 10th grade students must report to 3rd & 5th period even if exempt. All students dismissed at 11:35 a.m.
JUNIORS 3rd & 5th Period Exams	Juniors exempt from 3rd and 5th period—Report to the SMALL Gym @ 8:30 AM If a Junior has to take either exam (3rd or 5th, or both) they do not need to attend the activity. Exempt juniors will use gym entrance to building.

THURSDAY ~ June 1, 2017

EXAM 1st Exam 7:30-9:30 7th Exam 9:35-11:35	All 9th & 10th grade students will attend 1st and 7th periods. 9th and 10th grade students must report to 1st and 7th period even if exempt. All students dismissed at 11:35 a.m.
JUNIORS 1st & 7th Period Exams	Juniors exempt from 1st and 7th period—Report to the Auditorium @ 8:30 a.m. If a Junior has to take either exam (1st or 7th, or both) they do not need to attend the activity. Exempt Juniors will use the I Hallway entrance.

EXEMPTION CRITERIA - Spring 2017

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Important Senior Items

- Pro Grad Tickets sold every Tuesday at lunch. Tickets are \$50 & will not be sold at the event

Prom Pics!!!

The THS Class of '17 is very grateful to Melissa Ashton for spending the evening of Prom with us, taking candid photos of the event and them posting for us to download for FREE! Click this [LINK](#) and enjoy!



Baseball News!!!

We are SO EXCITED at the playoff success of the Travis Tiger Baseball Team, we have organized a FAN BUS for the games on Thursday and Friday at Rice University. For \$10 (each game), you will get a seat on the bus and admission to the game. Fan bus will leave at 6:00pm BOTH NIGHTS!!!