

September 28, 2021

Dear New Mission Students and Families,

It is hard to believe we are nearing the end of September! However, with your support, we are advancing steadily through the school year. Please review the following which contains information on upcoming events and important updates.

COVID-19 UPDATES

Weekly COVID-19 Pool Testing

COVID-19 Testing has begun at New Mission. Weekly Covid testing is an important part of the safety plan for our New Mission school community and **we are encouraging all students to be signed up for the weekly testing**. Completing the online consent form is the easiest and fastest way to sign up, and you should have received an email from Permission Click to complete this form online. If you need your link from Permission Click sent again, please email Mr. Kareem Cutler at kcutler@bostonpublicschools.org. You are also welcome to complete the paper form at the link below, scan the completed form, and send it to Mr. Cutler at kcutler@bostonpublicschools.org.

- [Paper Student Consent Forms](#)

Completed forms can be scanned and sent to Kareem Cutler - kcutler@bostonpublicschools.org

#MaskUpNewMission - All students, staff, and individuals who enter the building are required to wear a facemask.

VIRTUAL OPEN HOUSE - OCTOBER 14th, 4PM-7PM

We are excited to see our community families and share excellent news about our students. Open House will be virtual this year. Your child advisor will be reaching out to schedule a virtual meeting. Most meetings will occur **on Thursday, Oct. 14th, between 4 - 7 pm**. If you would prefer another day and time, please let the teacher know during the call.

Feel free to contact the advisor via email if you have not received a call **by Friday, Oct. 8th**. During the meeting, you'll be updated on what's happening for your child in school and how they are progressing.

[More Information here](#) | We look forward to speaking with you soon.

FROM THE NEW MISSION SCHOOL COUNSELING TEAM

SAT TESTING FOR SENIORS - WEDNESDAY 10/13 AT NEW MISSION

New Mission is administering the SAT for all 12th graders. The SAT will be held October 13, 2021. Attached is a letter detailing the specifics regarding the exam. More information regarding the logistics of the exam will be relayed once the test date nears.

PSAT TESTING FOR GRADES 9TH, 10TH, AND 11TH - WEDNESDAY 10/13 AT NEW MISSION

We are also administering the PSAT for grades 9, 10, and 11. The PSAT will be held October 13, 2021. Attached is a letter detailing the specifics regarding the exam. More information regarding the logistics of the exam will be relayed once the test date nears.

Please review the letter sent home from the Counseling office on SAT/PSAT exams on 9/28:

SAT Letter: [Español](#), [English](#)

PSAT Letter: [Español](#), [English](#)

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact your student's counselor, who's information can be found in the letter above.

SENIOR FAMILY NIGHT

On Thursday, October 7th, from 6PM-7PM, the School Counseling Team is hosting a virtual Senior Family Night, in which parents and families of students in the Class of 2022 are invited to learn more and ask questions about college applications and post-secondary planning.

Zoom information: <https://k12-bostonpublicschools.zoom.us/j/82867301125>

Meeting ID: 828 6730 1125

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[Flyer](#)

MAP TESTING AT NEW MISSION - THIS FRIDAY, OCTOBER 1

Students in grades 9-12 will participate in the MAP reading test on Friday, October 1. New Mission 7th and 8th grade students were tested last week. This standardized test gives us updated data on reading levels and is useful to teachers as they plan instruction

ATHLETICS

[Girls Basketball informational Meeting](#) - Wednesday, 10/6 at 3:30 PM in Cafeteria

If you're still interested in joining the Girls Soccer Team, you still have time to try-out! Please contact Malcolm Smith! (msmith8@bostonpublicschools.org; 617-635-6437 x31705)

For further information regarding New Mission Athletics please contact Athletic Director Malcolm Smith (msmith8@bostonpublicschools.org; 617-635-6437 x31705)

FROM THE DISTRICT

[EDUCO Pre-college Prep Workshop](#)

[Boston Public Library Homework Help](#)

[GlobeSanta Christmas Gift Application](#) - [Español](#)

Please reach out to us if you have any questions. Thank you for your continued support to the New Mission community. Go Titans!

Sincerely,

Will Thomas | Head of School
New Mission High School