

October 27, 2024

Happy Sunday Carver E&S Community!!!

As we approach the end of the first marking period, I want to encourage everyone—especially our students—to stay focused and finish strong. This is a great time to double-check assignments, ensure that everything is submitted, and avoid the last-minute rush.

Did you know that studies show approximately **80-95% of students** admit to procrastinating on assignments, with many reporting this leads to increased stress and lower-quality work? This statistic is a reminder that planning ahead and staying on top of tasks can make a big difference—not only for grades but also for personal well-being. Let's all work together to make sure we're supporting each other and giving our best effort in these final days of the quarter. I'm confident that, with focus and determination, we can all achieve great results. Best of luck, and remember: finish strong! Here are more PDPs and Updates for the week:

PDP- Public Descriptive Praise!!

PDP to our NHS Leaders and Student Ambassadors for leading Tours, Shadow Days, Open Houses, and School Presentations for prospective families during the school selection journey!

PDP- to Middle School students Kadeem Brown and Declan Aptowicz, along with HS students Nicholas Ramnarine, and Khadijah Smith for serving as student leader panelists and sharing their insights and experiences with guest school leaders last week!

PDP- our Girls Volleyball Team getting ready to compete for States!

UPDATES:

It's **Fall Spirit Week**-I encourage everyone to show some School Spirit this Week! Themes can be found [HERE](#) (**No Masks**).

The MITES Program 10/29- 10th and 11th Students interested in MIT should listen for announcements on Tuesday 10/29 to learn more about the MITES program

Quarter 1 Grades- The 1st Quarter ends **on November 7, 2024**. Report Card conferences will be on **November 15, 2024** and will include both an in-person and virtual session. Details coming soon!

SAC/HSA- our monthly SAC/HSA meeting will be **November 11, 2024** AT 5:30pm **SAVE THE DATE!**

SPEAKUP- Our **SPEAK UP** Community Empowerment Night Event will be on **November 14, 2024** at 5pm. Parents are encouraged to attend! **SAVE THE DATE!**

Reminders

Morning Pathways- start this Wednesday. Please follow the [Morning Pathways Schedule Poster](#) to see where students are to report during the extended period on 10/30/24.

National Honor Society Peer Tutoring Program- The Peer Tutoring Program is underway. The [sign up google form](#) has been put on the Carver website under "Students". You will find "Peer Tutoring Program" google form. The sign up is ongoing and you can refer the students at any time. You can read more details in the google form. Please contact Ms. Zeng at yzeng@philasd.org for any further questions about peer tutoring.

2024-2025 Carver E&S Calendar (A few dates to keep on your radar):

10/28- 11/1- [Fall Spirit Week!!!](#)

10/28- Bake Sale (YIP)

10/29- MITES Program Visit

10/30- PLC/Morning Pathways begins (PLC/AM Extended Advisory Schedule)

10/30- STEP Resource Fair

10/30- Bake Sale (Class of 2026)

10/31- Bake Sale (Class of 2027)

11/5- Election Day (No School)

11/6- PLC/Morning Pathways begins (PLC/AM Extended Advisory Schedule)

11/6- Bake Sale (Knit and Crochet Club)

11/7 Convention Center Trip

11/7- Bake Sale (Girls Varsity Basketball)

11/7- 1st Quarter Grades Close

11/8- MS Wagner Institute Trip

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