

Hello Cocoa Beach Families,

We are about to enter the final month of school year. May is very busy. We have a lot of standardized tests, ranging from state assessments, AP and IB tests, and of course Semester Final Exams. And conduct a Graduation Ceremony for the Class of 2022!

Testing 101

This period of tests and assessments lasts most of the month of May. There is a test of some sort happening each day. For example, this Monday, May 4th and Tuesday May 5th we begin another round of state testing with the FSA for English (Reading). Next week we also begin the Advanced Placement and International Baccalaureate assessments. So please ask your child if they are aware of tests they may be participating in.

Decision Day: April 29

Tomorrow morning we will have a Decision Day ceremony for this year's Senior Class. It will begin at 10:00 am and is the Performing Arts Center (PAC). Parents of Seniors are welcome to attend. Everyone else can watch it live: <https://youtu.be/Fdqb7ZeVfbI>

World Footprint Activity

While the Seniors are involved in their ceremony we will conduct our final activity for The Month of the Military Child. All Grade 7-11 Homerooms will participate in the Footprint Activity. The teacher will post up a world map and students (and the teacher) can share about the different places they have lived in the United States and around the world. One of the challenges that military families encounter is relocating often. But many "non-military" families move around as well. All students will be able to share perspectives about what they have learned about different places in the world.

Registration Renewal: May 2- May 6

As we mentioned last week, we must ask everyone to fill out paper registration packets again this year. On Monday, May 2nd, we will send home large envelopes with paper copies of all of the various forms required to "renew" the registration information for each and every student. We will collect completed packets May 3rd through May 6th. In order to encourage students to take the packets home - and bring them back – we will award prizes to the 1st Period class each day that has the most returned packets.

Thank you for choosing Cocoa Beach Jr/Sr High School. As always, please contact me if you have any questions.

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