



DHS UPDATES: September 21, 2018

Below are reminders and updates for the week! For previous DHS Updates please visit our website here: [DHS Weekly Updates](#). All are encouraged to follow DHS on Twitter at [@TweetDHS](#) and to use the Danvers Public Schools app. and the [DHS website](#) to keep up to date on all things Falcons. Parents are always welcome to visit and/or call DHS with any and all questions and concerns. We are here to help and to be sure every student is getting what they need to succeed!

Dear DHS Families,

DHS Updates are sent out on Fridays during the school year through Connect-Ed. We use the DHS Updates to keep families informed of events, activities and announcements to the DHS community. These updates can also be accessed on our website under the [Quick link button / Newsletters](#). Please also utilize the [DHS Calendar](#), [DHS Athletic Calendar](#) and the Danvers Public Schools mobile app. to keep up to date on all things Falcons.

1. Updated School Calendar - parent conferences are now on November 6th at DHS to accommodate election day voting. DHS will have a regular school day now on December 3rd. For the 2018-2019 School calendar, please refer to our online calendar here: [DHS Online Calendar](#)

2. DHS Late Bus begins on Tuesday, September 25th. The late bus runs on Tuesdays and Thursdays each week. Students are asked to sign up in advance for the late bus with Mrs. Mansfield in the Main Office. The Late Bus departs DHS from the front entrance by the atrium at 3:15 pm.

3. The Lynda J. Talbot 8th Annual 5k Walk/Run is this Sunday, September 23rd at 10 am at Great Oak Elementary School. For more information, please see this flyer: <https://danverspublicschools.org/dhs/lynda-j-talbot-5k/>

4. Yearbook and Senior Portraits - The deadline for submission of your student's senior portrait is Friday, November 30th. Pictures can be emailed as a jpeg, png, tif or gif attachment to the yearbook adviser, Christian Mielcarek, at christianmielcarek@danvers.org. If emailing is not an option, students can hand deliver a standard-size photo (3X5, 5X7, 8X10) before or after school to Room A105. Students should put their name on the back of the picture, and it will be returned as soon as possible. Photos taken by any studio/photographer are accepted, and for those who had pictures taken by WEPS, Mercer, Precious Details or Prestige Portraits by Lifetouch, no action is necessary. Your photographer will supply the school with the photo. If you have already submitted your student's photo, thank you and please disregard this message. If no photo is supplied, the yearbook staff will use your student's most-recent DHS identification photo.

Monday, October 15th, is the next and final opportunity for students to have their senior portraits taken at Danvers High School by Prestige, which is the school's contracted photographer. If you would like to schedule a session, please go to www.photoappointment.com or call [800-426-9533](tel:800-426-9533). For parents/guardians of students who already have an appointment with Prestige, the company asks that you confirm the appointment at the aforementioned email address or phone number.

Throughout the year, additional yearbook information and deadlines will be posted on your student's Class of 2019 Google Classroom page.

Lastly, please feel free to contact Christian Mielcarek with yearbook-related questions at any time. He will be sure to respond in a timely fashion.

5. Seniors: The timeline for this year's [Senior Internships](#) are now available here: [Senior Internship Timeline](#)

Save the Date - Senior Family Night and Open House next Week!

6. DHS Open House - is this Thursday, September 27th from 6:30 - 8:30 pm at Danvers High School. Families are encouraged to attend to be able to meet all the teachers and learn more about the opportunities and expectations in your child(ren)'s classes this year.

7. Senior Family Night - To find out all things about your child(ren)'s senior year, please come a few minutes early to the Open House. The Class of 2019 Officers and Class Advisory Dr. Bertolino will be hosting a meeting in the DHS Auditorium beginning at 6 pm on September 27th. Topics include, but are not limited to class dues, Senior Prom/Senior Week and Senior Internships! All parents/guardians of seniors are strongly encouraged to attend!

Enjoy the beautiful Fall weather and we will see everyone on Monday!

Best,
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