



## DHS UPDATES: May 7, 2021

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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 contact DHS with questions and concerns. We are here to help and to be sure every student is getting what they need to succeed!

**1. [DPS COVID Family Information Sheet](#)** - The current information sheet can be found on our website here: [DPS COVID Family Information Sheet](#). For your reference, below are this week's COVID 19 statistics:

- [Danvers School District](#)
- [Town of Danvers](#)
- [DESE](#)
- [State of Massachusetts](#)

**2. Reminder: Health and Safety Protocols** - we wanted to remind all families and students of our priority health & safety standards, that in unison along with contact tracing, can mitigate the risk for our learning community:

1. Wearing a mask that covers your mouth & nose at all times.
2. Physical Distancing
3. Frequent Handwashing
4. Staying Home when sick.



**3. Grade 10 ELA MCAS** is scheduled for this Monday (May 10th) and Tuesday (5/11). Additional information will be sent to families of 10th grade students taking the test.

**4. Reminder: End of Year Events - Save the Date!** We have updated our school calendar with a number of end of year events. An email with additional details was sent to all families (and posted on the Class of 2021 Google Classroom) earlier today.

*Virtual Awards Ceremonies (invitation will be sent to families later in the year):*

- English National Honor Society - May 18, 2021 @ 7 PM
- World Language National Honor Society - May 19, 2021 @ 7 PM
- National Honor Society Induction Ceremony - May 20, 2021 @ 7 PM
- DHS Academic Recognition - May 26, 2021 @ 7 PM

*Class of 2021 Senior Week*

- **Senior Concert & Promenade** (DHS): Friday, May 21st 5:45-9:00 PM
- **Senior Day (DHS)**: Tuesday, June 8th 8:00 AM - 12:00 PM
- **Graduation Practice & BBQ**: Wednesday June 9th & Thursday, June 10th 8:00 AM - 12:00 PM (BBQ immediately after graduation practice on Thursday).
- **DHS Class of 2021 Scholarship Night** (DHS - Dr. Deering Stadium) - Friday, June 11th @ 5 PM
- **DHS Class of 2021 Graduation** (Dr. Deering Stadium) Saturday, June 12th @ 10 AM (graduation rain date is Sunday, June 13th at 10 am outside)

*Class of 2022 Concert (DHS):* Thursday, June 17th from 5:30 PM - 8:00 PM

**5. The Class of 2022 Calendar Raffle is here!**

- Please ensure the bottom is filled out and turned in along with the money to Ms. O'Neill (Room H110) by today, **Friday, May 7th!**
- If you want a free ticket to the prom, you must sell 15 calendars by the 7th!
- We will draw the winners on Monday, May 12th.
- If you need more copies of the calendar, please print the attached PDF or stop by my room to get them.
- Raffle tickets are **\$20** each.
- We can accept Cash or Checks made out to the Class of '22.
- Each day on the calendar features at least \$50 of prizes donated by local families and businesses. There are over \$3,000 worth of prizes and gift cards to be won!

**6. SEPAC Internet Safety Presentation** - Join us for an Internet Safety Presentation. In this time of increased remote learning and screen time, it's important to be aware of online dangers. Danvers SEPAC is welcoming Jim Sullivan, CETL to share and lead this discussion. Jim is the Director of Technology & Technology Integration for Danvers Public Schools. **Date: Thursday, May 20, 2021; Time: 6:30PM-7:30PM (Can join 6-6:30 for Business meeting)** This is a virtual presentation. You *must register* in advance, please click the following link to register:

[Registration - Danvers SEPAC Internet Safety Training](#)

*After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the meeting.* Questions? Email Danvers SEPAC at [DanversSEPAC@yahoo.com](mailto:DanversSEPAC@yahoo.com)

**7. Technology Reminder** - If you are having any technology difficulties, please submit a ticket using the [Student Online Help Desk](#).

**8. School Committee Meeting** - the next School Committee is this Monday, May 10th starting at 7 pm in the Multi-purpose Room at Holten-Richmond Middle School. Additional information can be found online here: [Danvers School Committee](#)

## Closing

Enjoy the weekend everyone!

-Jason

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