



MELISSA HIGH SCHOOL

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Hello MHS Parents/Guardians,

I hope you are doing well! I wanted to reach out to you and provide a few details regarding semester exams and the upcoming end of the year events.

In-Person Students Semester Exams: May 24th – May 27th

Students in grades 9-11 may qualify for exemptions by meeting the exemption criteria. Those students who qualify will be given their official exemption form tomorrow, May 13th during their English class. The form explains in detail the process, so I encourage you to read through it with your student. The form must be validated by obtaining the appropriate signatures from both teacher(s) and parents/guardians.

Know that exemptions are optional, even if your student qualifies to be exempt. Sometimes, students may want to take their exam(s) to better their grade, etc.

May 24-27 we will give two exams each day. The first exam is 8:54-10:09am and the second exam is 10:13-11:28am. After the completion of the second exam each day, all students with permission from their parents/guardians may leave campus if they have transportation. This also includes those students who are not exempt from any exam. Again, this process is explained in detail on the form that your student will receive.

If your student does not qualify to be exempt and you would like for them to leave campus after the testing day is complete at 11:28am, your student will receive a form on Monday, May 17th for your required signature.

No exams will be given early and for your convenience, I have attached our semester exam schedule and the exemption criteria.

Field Day: May 21, 2021

This is an optional end of year come and go event designed for our student body to have some fun competing among grade levels. Students have been signing up to compete in various games and activities throughout the day. Since this is on a Focused Friday it is up to each student and parent/guardian to provide transportation, etc.

Award Ceremonies: Invitations will be sent to each student who is receiving an award

May 24th – Junior & Senior Awards at 1pm in the Melissa Arts Center

May 25th – Freshmen & Sophomore Awards at 1pm in the Melissa Arts Center