



Huntington School District

2021-2022





Our Mission

Recognizing the strengths of our district's traditions, its history of community support, the diversity of our population and our commitment to educational excellence, the mission of the Huntington Union Free School District is to educate students by effectively teaching an enriched body of knowledge through the active participation of all students, building upon their unique talents and abilities to produce creative, self-assured, responsible citizens who are capable of critical thought and action.



Dear Resident:

It is with great anticipation that we welcome a rejuvenated 2021-2022 school year! We look forward to a year filled with learning, support and healing, inclusive of a multitude of opportunities to bring our district community together.

The Huntington School District is rich with tradition and has earned its reputation for offering strong and broad-ranging curricula in all disciplines, as well as extensive, high quality extracurricular opportunities. All serve as a source of pride within the school district and among its students. Our dedicated and concerned administrators, teachers, and support staff will continue working diligently to help our students excel academically, socially and emotionally, while promoting their growth as well-rounded school and community citizens.

This calendar emphasizes the critical nature of communication among all members of the school community and characterizes the partnership that exists among school, home and the at-large community. Please take the time to review its contents. It is my hope that activities will resume in full capacity and that you will choose to take part in events at one or more of our schools during the year ahead. These activities offer residents a wide range of opportunities to experience firsthand the hard work and achievements of our students, staff and schools, as well as provide a source of enjoyment.

Additionally, please take note of the information presented within the initial pages of the calendar document, including the district directory, registration and academic requirements, and highlights of various policies and the array of services and programs offered throughout the district. Up-to-date news on district and school happenings will be posted daily on our website (www.hufsd.edu), and on our *Facebook* (www.facebook.com/HuntingtonUFSD), *Twitter* (twitter.com/HUFSD), and *Instagram* (www.instagram.com/hufsd_ny/) pages.

Also of note, our interactive e-calendar (www.calendarwiz.com/calendars/calendar.php?crd=hufsd) will reflect added events or postponements. Events upcoming, as listed on the interactive calendar, are shown in the box in the lower right corner of the website's main page.

As always, do not hesitate to communicate questions to personnel within our building or district offices. I look forward to seeing many of you in the coming weeks. Please accept my sincerest wishes for a terrific school year ahead!

Sincerely,

James W. Polansky
Superintendent of Schools

August 2021

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15	16 HBDMB Camp @FMS	17 HBDMB Camp @FMS	18 HS Sports Requals 9-11AM HBDMB Camp @FMS	19 Mandatory JV & Var FB Meeting 7:30AM HS Sports Physicals 8AM (FB only) 9AM (All other fall sports) HS Sports Requals 9-10AM (FB only) 10AM-12PM (All fall athletes) HBDMB Camp @FMS	20	21
22	23 HS Fall Sports tryouts begin 7:30-10AM & 5-7PM HS Sports Requals 7-10AM HBDMB Camp @FMS	24 HS Sports Requals 7-10AM HS Fall Sports tryouts 7:30-10AM & 5-7PM HBDMB Camp @FMS	25 HS Fall Sports tryouts 7:30-10AM & 5-7PM HBDMB Camp @FMS JE/SD/WA Kindergarten Orientation	26 HS Fall Sports tryouts 7:30-10AM & 5-7PM HBDMB Camp @FMS FH Kindergarten Orientation	27 HS Fall Sports tryouts 7:30-10AM & 5-7PM HBDMB Camp @FMS	28 HS Fall Sports tryouts 7:30-10AM & 5-7PM HBDMB Camp @FMS SAT (not @HHS)
29 HBDMB Camp @FMS Parent Show 2PM	30 BOE Mtg. 7PM HS Fall Sports tryouts 7:30-10AM & 5-7PM FMS Sports Requals 9AM-3PM HHS Senior Portraits 7th Gr. Orientation @FMS	31 HS Fall Sports tryouts 7:30-10AM & 5-7PM FMS Sports Requals 9AM-3PM 9th Gr. Orientation @HHS HHS Senior Portraits				

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September 2021

HISPANIC HERITAGE MONTH

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			1 Superintendent's Conference Day HHS Senior Portraits	2 Superintendent's Conference Day FH/JE/SD/WA Visitation 1-2PM JAS/WH- Gr. 4 Visitation 2-3PM FMS Sports Physicals 8AM HHS Senior Portraits	3 HHS Senior Portraits	4
5	6 Labor Day Schools Closed District Offices Closed	7 Rosh Hashanah Schools Closed District Offices Closed	8 Rosh Hashanah Schools Closed District Offices Open	9 First Day for Students FMS Football only tryouts begin 3-5:30PM FMS Fall Sports Info & Requals during lunch	10 FMS all other Fall Sports tryouts begin 3-5PM WH Kickoff Party 6PM	11 Remembrance Day ACT (not @HHS)
12	13 BOE Mtg. 7:30PM HHS Gr. 9-11 & Staff Pictures	14 PTA President's Mtg. 9:45AM Senior/Parent Guidance Night 7PM HHS Gr. 9-11 & Staff Pictures	15 FH PTA Mtg. 7:30PM JE PTA Mtg. 7PM HHS Senior Portraits make-ups	16 Yom Kippur Schools Closed District Offices Open	17 FH/JE/SD/WA Block Party HHS Senior Portraits make-ups	18
19	20 HHS Gr. 9-11 & Staff Portraits make-ups Band Parent Mtg. 7PM@HHS	21 Adult Ed. Registration 6-9PM @HHS College Admissions During COVID Workshop 7PM SD PTA Mtg. 7PM HHS Gr. 9-11 & Staff Portraits make-ups	22 FH/JE/SD/WA Meet the Teacher	23 JAS/WH Gr. 4 & 5 Meet the Teacher Adult Ed. Registration 6-9PM @HHS rain date	24 FH/JE/SD/WA Block Party rain date	25
26	27 JAS/WH Gr. 6 Frost Valley Mtg. JAS/WH Gr. 6 Meet the Teacher	28 BOE Mtg. 7:30PM	29 WA PTA Mtg. 7PM HHS Meet the Teacher District wide No Homework Night/Family Connection	30 FMS Meet the Teacher		

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October 2021

DISABILITY AWARENESS MONTH
BREAST CANCER AWARENESS MONTH

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					1	2 SAT (not @HHS)
3	4 WH PTA Mtg. 7PM SD Picture Day	5 Financial Aid Night 7PM SD Picture Day WA Picture Day	6 JE PTA Mtg. 7PM	7 WA Harvest Festival Homecoming Celebration @HHS SD Kindergarten Social	8 HHS Float Night 6-11PM WA Harvest Festival FMS/HHS 1st Qtr. Progress Report Period Ends	9 Homecoming Parade 11:30AM Football Game 1:30PM
10	11 Columbus Day Schools Closed District Offices Closed	12 PTA President's Mtg. 7:30PM Adult Ed. classes begin Senior Portrait retakes	13 PSAT/NMSQT @HHS – 11th Gr. FH PTA Mtg. 7:30PM WA PTA Mtg. 6PM WA Family Engagement Night/ Parent Workshop Senior Portrait retakes Gr. 9-11 & Staff portrait makeups	14 HHS Gr. 9 Parent Guidance Night 7PM JE Family Engagement Night/ Parent Workshop Gr. 9-11 & Staff portrait makeup	15	16
17	18 BOE Mtg. 7:30PM FMS/HHS 1st Qtr. Progress Reports Posted	19 Band Parent Mtg. 8PM @HHS SD Math Night	20 PTA Council Mtg. 9:45AM District wide No Homework Night/Family Connection	21 Meet the K-6 Reading Teacher 6:30PM AWOD Training	22 JE K Harvest Festival	23 ACT @HHS
24	25 JAS/WH Gr. 4 Harvest Social SD Book Fair	26 WH Family Engagement Night 6PM SD PTA Mtg. 7PM SD Book Fair	27 HHS Science National Honor Society Induction 6:30PM SD Book Fair	28 HHS Gr. 10 & 11 Guidance Night 7PM SD Book Fair	29 FH/JE/SD/WA Costume Parades FH/SD Harvest Fest FH Halloween Bash WA Halloween Dance 6:30-8:30PM	30 NYS Marching Band Championship Syracuse, NY
31 NYS Marching Band Championship Syracuse, NY						

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	1 FH/SD Harvest Fest rain date	2 Superintendent's Conference Day Parent/Teacher Conferences Election Day Schools Closed for Students	3 HHS FAESA Completion Night 7PM	4 HHS Open House/Elective Fair 11:00AM JE PTA Mtg. 7PM FMS Winter 1 Sports Info & Requals during lunch	5 HHS Senior Group Photo 7AM @HHS Gym FMS Winter 1 Sports Info & Requals during lunch HHS Fall Drama Production 7PM	6 SAT @HHS HHS Fall Drama Production 2PM & 7PM
7	8 K-6 Early Dismissal Parent/Teacher Day Conferences FMS Winter 1 Sports tryouts begin WA Book Fair	9 PTA President's Mtg. 9:45AM NYSCAME All-County Rehearsal @Connetquot HS 3-7PM WA Book Fair	10 WA Veterans' Day Celebration/Book Fair HHS Fall Poetry Café 2:30PM Library WA PTA Mtg. 6PM FH PTA Mtg. 7:30PM JE Book Fair	11 Veterans' Day Schools Closed District Offices Closed	12 K-12 1st Qtr. Marking Period Ends JE Book Fair WA Book Fair WA Multicultural Night	13
14	15 BOE Mtg. 7:30PM HHS Winter Sports tryouts begin	16 K-6 Early Dismissal Parent/Teacher Conferences Day Only Band Parent Mtg. @HHS 7PM	17 PTA Council Mtg. 9:45AM HHS National Honor Society Induction 7PM JE/FH Math/Science/Tech. Night District wide No Homework Night/Family Connection	18 HHS World Language/ELL/ Library Pride Awards 2:30PM Rm 140 FMS Parent/Teacher Conferences 4-8PM NYSCAME All-County Rehearsal @Hauppauge HS 3-9PM	19 NYSCAME All-County Rehearsal @Hauppauge HS 9AM-1PM Concert @7PM	20
21	22 WH PTA Mtg. 7PM K-12 1st Qtr. Report Cards Posted	23 ENL K-12 Parent Mtg. WA Poems & Pies	24 District Wide Emergency Drill 15-minute early dismissal	25 Thanksgiving Day Schools Closed District Offices Closed	26 Thanksgiving Recess Schools Closed District Offices Closed	27
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			1 JAS Open House	2 HHS Parent/Teacher Conferences 4-8PM NYSSMA All-State Winter Conference, Rochester, NY	3 NYSSMA All-State Winter Conference, Rochester, NY	4 NYSSMA All-State Winter Conference, Rochester, NY SAT (not @HHS)
5 NYSSMA All-State Winter Conference, Rochester, NY	6	7 JE PTA Mtg. 7PM SD PTA Mtg. 7PM	8 WH Open House	9 WA PTA Mtg. 6PM FH/WA Family Engagement Night	10	11 ACT @HHS
12	13 BOE Mtg. 7:30PM	14 PTA President's Mtg. 9:45AM JAS/WH Gr. 6 Winter Concert 7PM @HHS	15 HHS Pride Awards Art & Music 2:30PM Rm 140 JAS/WH Gr. 5 Winter Concert 7PM @HHS District wide No Homework Night/Family Connection	16 HHS Deck the Halls FMS Winter Concert 7PM @HHS	17 FMS/HHS 2nd Qtr. Progress Report Period Ends	18
19	20 SD Songfest Guidance Workshop "PSAT Scores, Now What?" 7pm	21 JE Songfest HHS Orchestra & Chorus Winter Concert 7PM	22 WA Songfest	23 FH Songfest FMS/HHS 2nd Qtr. Progress Reports Posted	24 Winter Recess Schools Closed District Offices Closed	25
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9 LIFSA Secondary Festival Concert	10 BOE Mtg. 7:30PM	11 WH Gr. 4 Music Informance 9:45AM SD PTA Mtg. 7PM	12 PTA Council Mtg. 9:45AM HHS Tri-M Music Honor Society Induction Rm 140 7PM FH PTA Mtg. 7:30PM	13 JAS Gr. 4 Music Informance 9:45AM FMS Winter 2 Sports Info & Requels during lunch HHS Math Honor Society Induction Rm 140 7PM	14 FMS Winter 2 Sports Info & Requels during lunch	15
16	17 Martin Luther King Day Schools Closed District Offices Closed	18 HHS In-class Midterms FMS Winter 2 Sports tryouts begin	19 HHS In-class Midterms Meet the Instruments Gr. 3 (In-school) JE PTA Mtg. 7PM District wide No Homework Night/Family Connection	20 HHS In-class Midterms HHS Pride Awards English 2:30PM Rm 140 Gr. 6 Orientation 7PM @FMS SD 1st & 2nd Gr. Social	21 HHS In-class Midterms LIFSA Intermediate Festival Rehearsal WA Bingo Night	22 LIFSA Intermediate Festival Rehearsal
23 LIFSA Intermediate Concert	24 HHS In-class Midterms SD PARP Begins	25 Regents Exams No Classes @HHS WH PTA Mtg. 7PM	26 Regents Exams No Classes @HHS	27 Regents Exams No Classes @HHS JAS Gr. 4 Science Expo JAS Gr. 6 Invention Convention	28 Regents Exams No Classes @HHS K-12 2nd Qtr. Marking Period Ends	29
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February 2022

BLACK HISTORY MONTH

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		1 Band Parent Mtg. 7PM @HHS	2 Adult Ed. Registration 6-9PM @HHS JE PTA Mtg. 7PM	3	4 JAS/WH Play 7PM	5 JAS/WH Play 5:30PM ACT (not @HHS)
6	7 BOE Mtg. 7:30PM K-12 2nd Qtr. Report Cards Posted	8 PTA President's Mtg. 9:45AM	9 Adult Ed. Registration 6-9PM @HHS Snow date FH PTA Mtg. 7:30PM	10	11 SD/WA Someone Special Dance	12 District String Fiesta 9AM @HHS
13	14	15	16 HHS Mid-Winter Bands Concert 7PM WA Family Engagement Night District wide No Homework Night/Family Connection	17 HHS Pride Awards Math 2:30PM Rm 140 National History Day 6:30PM @HHS	18 HHS Spelling Bee Finals Periods 7-9 Auditorium	19
20	21 Presidents' Day Schools Closed District Offices Closed	22 Mid-Winter Recess Schools Closed District Offices Open	23 Mid-Winter Recess Schools Closed District Offices Open	24 Mid-Winter Recess Schools Closed District Offices Open	25 Mid-Winter Recess Schools Closed District Offices Open	26
27	28 BOE Mtg./Budget 7:30PM Adult Ed. Classes Begin					

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WOMEN'S HISTORY MONTH

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		1 WH PTA Mtg. 7PM FH/JE/SD/WA PARP Kick-off SD Community Read-in Day	2 SD Family Fitness Night	3 HHS Art Honor Society Induction Rm 140 7PM	4 HHS K-Factor 7PM FH Talent Show FMS/HHS 3rd Qtr. Progress Report Period Ends	5 AWOD Training @HHS 8AM-1PM SCMEA All-County Festival Rehearsals
6	7 JE PTA Mtg. 7PM	8 Frost Valley Trip Gr. 6 Band Parent Mtg. 7PM @HHS SD PTA Mtg. 7PM	9 Frost Valley Trip Gr. 6 FMS Honors Ensemble Concert 7PM @HHS FH PTA Mtg. 7:30PM	10 PSAT @HHS (10th Gr.) Frost Valley Trip Gr. 6 Gr. 7 Guidance Night 7PM @FMS	11 Frost Valley Trip Gr. 6 SCMEA All-County Festival Rehearsals	12 SCMEA All-County Festival Rehearsals & Div. III Concert SAT (not @HHS)
13 SCMEA All-County Festival Div. I & II Concerts	14 Extended Budget Workshop 7:30PM HHS Pi Day Celebration 2:30PM small cafe HS Spring Sports tryouts begin WA Book Fair FMS/HHS 3rd Qtr. Progress Reports Posted	15 PTA President's Mtg. 7:30PM WA Book Fair	16 WA PTA Mtg. 7PM WA Book Fair District wide No Homework Night/Family Connection	17 HHS Pride Awards Science 2:30PM Rm 140 FH/WA Family Night/PARP & STEM WA Book Fair	18 FMS Musical 7PM FH PARP Kickoff WA Book Fair	19 FMS Musical 7PM
20 Symphonic Pops Concert 2PM @HHS	21 BOE Mtg./Budget 7:30PM	22 WH Talent Night 7PM	23 PTA Council Mtg. 9:45AM	24 FMS Spring Sports Info. & Requels during lunch JE Reading Night WH Science Expo	25 FMS Spring Sports Info. & Requels during lunch NYSSMA Jazz Festival @W. Islip	26 NYSSMA Jazz Festival @W. Islip
27	28 FMS Spring Sports tryouts begin 3-5PM	29	30 NYS 3-8 ELA Assessments	31 NYS 3-8 ELA Assessments FH/JE/SD/WA PARP Finale		

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NATIONAL POETRY MONTH
AUTISM AWARENESS MONTH

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3	4 BOE Mtg./Budget 7:30PM	5 Band Parent Mtg. 7PM @HHS	6 JE PTA Mtg. 10AM WH PTA Mtg. 7PM	7 WH Family Engagement Night	8 K-12 3rd Qtr. Marking Period Ends HHS Blood Drive	9 District Band Fest 9AM @HHS
10	11 BOE Mtg./Budget Adoption 7:30PM NYSESLAT Testing Begins NYSSMA Piano Festival @Five Towns College	12 PTA President's Mtg. 7:30PM NYSSMA Piano Festival @Five Towns College	13 District wide No Homework Night/ Family Connection NYSSMA Piano Festival @Five Towns College HHS Honors Ensembles Concert 7PM WA PTA Mtg. 7PM	14 HHS Pride Awards Business/ PE/Tech./Reading/Health 2:30PM Rm 140 WA Movie Night K-12 3rd Qtr. Report Cards Posted	15 Good Friday Schools Closed District Offices Closed	16
17	18 Spring Recess Schools Closed District Offices Open	19 Spring Recess Schools Closed District Offices Open	20 Spring Recess Schools Closed District Offices Open	21 Spring Recess Schools Closed District Offices Open	22 Spring Recess Schools Closed District Offices Open	23
24	25	26 BOCES Administrative Budget Vote/Election HBDMB Open House 6-9PM @HHS SD PTA Mtg. 7PM	27 PTA Council Mtg. 9:45AM NYS 3-8 Math Assessments HHS Spring Poetry Café 2:30PM Library	28 NYS 3-8 Math Assessments HHS Distinguished Seniors Dinner 6:30PM	29 FH Talent Show WA Dinner Night	30

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8	9 AP Exams Budget Hearing BOE Mtg. 7:30PM	10 AP Exams PTA President's Mtg. 9:45AM Band Parent Mtg. 7PM @HHS	11 AP Exams DL Kindergarten Informational Mtg.	12 AP Exams FMS Concert 7PM @HHS	13 AP Exams FH PTA Mtg. 7:30PM FMS/HHS 4th Qtr. Progress Report Period Ends	14
15	16 HHS Science Research Symposium	17 BUDGET VOTE/ELECTION 6AM-9PM @HHS AP Exams District Art Show 7:30AM-9PM @HHS Fashion Show 4 & 7 PM @HHS	18 District Art Show 2:30-7PM @HHS HHS Concert Part I 7PM WA PTA Mtg. 7PM FH PTA Mtg. 7:30PM District wide No Homework Night/ Family Connection	19 HHS Pride Awards Social Studies 2:30PM Rm 140 HHS World Language/ ELL National Honor Society Induction 7PM	20 NYSESLAT Testing Ends NYSSMA All-State, Solo & Ensemble Festival @HHS WA Talent Show	21 NYSSMA All-State, Solo & Ensemble Festival @HHS
22	23 HHS Film Festival 7PM @Cinema Arts Centre SD PTA Mtg. 7PM FMS/HHS 4th Qtr. Progress Reports Posted	24 JE PTA Mtg. 10AM WH PTA Mtg. 7PM	25 HHS Concert Part 2 7PM	26	27	28
29	30 Memorial Day Schools Closed District Offices Closed	31				

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			1 U.S. History and Gov. Regents Exam National Jr. Honor Society Induction 7PM SD Beach Day	2 JAS Gr. 4 Concert 7PM @HHS FH Field Day SD Beach Day rain date	3 JAS/JE/WA/WH Field Day WA Family Picnic	4 SAT @HHS
5	6 BOE Mtg. 7:30PM Gr. 4 & 8 Science Assessment JAS/JE/WA Field Day rain date	7 WH Gr. 4 Concert 7PM @HHS Band Parent Mtg. 7PM @HHS	8 JE PTA Mtg. 10AM JAS/WH Gr. 5 Concert 7PM @HHS	9 JAS/WH Gr. 6 Concert 7PM @HHS FH Field Day rain date	10 SD Field Day WH Field Day rain date	11 ACT @HHS
12	13 HHS Senior Departmental Awards Night 7PM	14 Last Day of Classes FMS/HHS FMS Moving Up Ceremony HHS Senior Breakfast & Field Day HHS Senior Scholarship Night 7PM	15 Regents Exams Senior Music Showcase 7PM @JAS WA PTA Mtg. 7PM	16 Regents Exams HHS Senior Athletic Awards 6PM JAS/WH Gr. 6 Dance	17 Regents Exams SD Field Day rain date WA Kindergarten Celebration	18
19	20 Juneteenth Schools Closed	21 Regents Exams WA Gr. 3 Moving Up (AM) JE Gr. 3 Moving Up (PM)	22 Regents Exams SD Gr. 3 Moving Up (AM) FH Gr. 3 Moving Up (PM)	23 Regents Exams K-6 Half-day JAS/WH Gr. 6 Moving up 9:30AM HHS Senior Prom	24 K-6 Half-day Rating Day HHS 161st Commencement 6PM K-6 4th Qtr. Report Cards Posted	25 HHS 161st Commencement rain date
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July 2022

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2021-2022 PTA COUNCIL DIRECTORY

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2021-2022 REQUIRED STATE ASSESSMENTS

ENTERING FRESHMAN CLASS	LOCAL DIPLOMA	REGENTS DIPLOMA	REGENTS DIPLOMA WITH ADVANCED DESIGNATION
2018	Available to general education students and English Language Learners seeking an appeal; available to special education students through the Low-Pass or Compensatory Safety Net options. Specific criteria must be met. See your counselor.	Minimum score of 65 on Regents exams. An appeal may be granted towards one Regents exam. See your counselor for further	Minimum score of 65 on the required exams. Students may choose to forgo the language sequence/Checkpoint B LOTE exam by completing a five unit concentration in Art, Music or CTE.
2019	Available to general education students and English Language Learners seeking an appeal; available to special education students through the Low-Pass or Compensatory Safety Net options. Specific criteria must be met. See your counselor.	Minimum score of 65 on Regents exams. An appeal may be granted towards one Regents exam. See your counselor for further information.	Minimum score of 65 on the required exams. Students may choose to forgo the language sequence/Checkpoint B LOTE exam by completing a five unit concentration in Art, Music or CTE.
2020	Available to general education students and English Language Learners seeking an appeal; available to special education students through the Low-Pass or Compensatory Safety Net options. Specific criteria must be met. See your counselor.	Minimum score of 65 on Regents exams. An appeal may be granted towards one Regents exam. See your counselor for further information.	Minimum score of 65 on the required exams. Students may choose to forgo the language sequence/Checkpoint B LOTE exam by completing a five unit concentration in Art, Music or CTE.
2021	Available to general education students and English Language Learners seeking an appeal; available to special education students through the Low-Pass or Compensatory Safety Net options. Specific criteria must be met. See your counselor.	Minimum score of 65 on Regents exams. An appeal may be granted towards one Regents exam. See your counselor for further information.	Minimum score of 65 on the required exams. Students may choose to forgo the language sequence/Checkpoint B LOTE exam by completing a five unit concentration in Art, Music or CTE.
Required Exams	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • English Regents • One Math Regents • One Social Studies Regents • One Science Regents • 4+1 Pathway Option** 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • English Regents • One Math Regents • One Social Studies Regents • One Science Regents • 4+1 Pathway Option** 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • English Regents • Algebra I Regents • Geometry Regents • Algebra II Regents • One Social Studies Regents • Two Science Regents: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Living Environment - Physical Science • Checkpoint B LOTE Exam • 4+1 Pathway Option*

* Exemptions may apply for 2019-20 and/or 2020-21 (COVID-19 circumstances), wherein course credit may satisfy some Regents exam requirements. (See counselor with questions.)

** The 4+1 pathway option is effective beginning with students who first entered grade 9 in September 2011 and thereafter, or who are otherwise eligible to receive a high school diploma in June 2015 and thereafter. Students must take and pass four required Regents examinations or Department-approved alternative assessments (one in each of the following subjects; English, math, social studies, and science), and 1 pathway assessment/option. The additional assessment/option must measure a different course than that which was measured by one of the four required exams listed, or an approved pathway assessment in the Arts, CTE, or LOTE. Please feel free to consult your child's school counselor with any questions or concerns, or by logging on to the following URL: <http://www.p12.nysed.gov/ciai/multiple-pathways/>

Honors Distinction is available for the Regents and Advanced Regents Diploma, by obtaining an overall average of 90 and above on the designated Regents examinations (as identified). Students seeking an Advanced Regents Diploma also have the option to earn an annotation on their diploma that denotes mastery in math and/or mastery in science.

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

REQUIRED SUBJECTS	LOCAL DIPLOMA	REGENTS DIPLOMA	REGENTS DIPLOMA with ADVANCED DESIGNATION
English	4	4	4
Social Studies	4	4	4
Science	3	3	3
Mathematics	3	3	3
Languages Other than English (LOTE)	1	1	3*
Health	.5	.5	.5
Art and/or Music	1	1	1
Physical Education	2	2	2
Electives	3.5	3.5	1.5
Total Requirements Credits (Minimum)	22	22	22

*3 units of credit required in LOTE may also be met by completing 1 credit in LOTE and a 5-unit sequence in the Arts or Career and Technical Education (CTE). Students with a disability may be exempt from having to complete the one credit requirement in LOTE (if indicated on the IEP, but are still required to fulfill 22 credits towards graduation.

PARTICIPATION IN GRADUATION EXERCISES

The Board of Education regards the high school graduation exercises as culminating recognition of the academic achievements of the district's students. In order to participate in this ceremony and share that recognition, a student must have completed all the diploma requirements of the New York State Education Department and the Board of Education prior to participation in the graduation exercises. Diploma requirements include successfully passing all required exams, earning sufficient course credits, and attainment of required Individual Education Plan goals or other requirements as set forth by state regulation or Board policy.



ATTENDANCE

Regular attendance to all classes is expected of all students. Excused absence or lateness may be associated with such reasons as:

- Sickness
- Sickness and death in the family
- Impassable roads or weather
- Religious holiday
- Required court attendance
- Quarantine
- Attendance at organized clinics
- Health treatment
- Approved cooperative work program
- Approved college visits (must be approved in advance)
- Military obligations

E-SCHOOL PARENT/STUDENT PORTAL

Parents/Guardians can access their child's daily attendance, report cards and progress reports, as well as their child's teacher's gradebook by logging into:

Parent – <https://parentportal.eschooldata.com/Login.aspx?ReturnUrl=%2fdefault.aspx>

For students in grades 7-12, they too can access their records by logging into:

Student – <https://studentportal.eschooldata.com/Login.aspx?ReturnUrl=%2fhhs>

HIGH SCHOOL ATTENDANCE POLICY

Students who are absent, excused and unexcused, are expected to complete the work assigned by each teacher on days that they miss. To be granted academic credit for any course, a student must earn a passing grade in the course. Work, exams, etc. missed resulting from unexcused absence will not receive credit.

LEAVING SCHOOL DURING SCHOOL HOURS

We urge you to make appointments for your child after school hours or on weekends. If your high school child must leave school for any reason, it will be necessary for you to contact the HHS Attendance Office to sign out your child. A STUDENT WILL BE RELEASED ONLY INTO THE CUSTODY OF HIS/HER PARENT OR LEGAL GUARDIAN. Only seniors may leave during their assigned lunch with the appropriate permissions. The high school is not an open campus; students are expected to attend all classes, including study halls.

REPORTING ABSENCES

Call the school attendance office anytime during the evening before or on the morning of the absence and leave a message. State your child's name, grade, reason for absence, and the date that your child will not be in school. E-mail, fax or submit a written note no more than five days following your child's return to school. In this communication, you should again provide your child's name, date, grade and a reason for the absence.

CLOSINGS

EMERGENCY CLOSINGS/DELAYS

If the Superintendent determines that hazardous weather or emergency conditions threaten the safety of students and staff, he may close district schools or alter regular school hours. Calls/e-mails/texts will be sent to all contact numbers/addresses on record, announcing such situations via the district's automated messaging system. Additionally, announcements will be broadcast on News 12, as well as on WALK-97.5-FM; WCBS-880 AM; WBLI-106FM. If closed, bus transportation to district or out-of-district private, parochial or BOCES facilities will NOT be provided for resident students. On day(s) schools are closed during the January Regents week, New York State will determine if and when make-ups are to be given for State exams. Make-ups for school exams will be determined when regular school resumes.

DELAYED OPENINGS

In some instances, the Superintendent may decide to delay school openings by two hours. When this is done, the following will be in effect:

1. ALL SCHOOLS in the district will open two hours later than normal.
2. UPK morning sessions will be cancelled.
3. School buses will begin their runs two hours later than normal.
4. Dismissal times will NOT be changed. Buses will return students to their bus stops at the regular time.
5. Should there be a delayed opening during January Regents week, all scheduled exams will be administered. Depending on the delay, all bus runs will begin two hours later than their scheduled times. This would include AM and PM pick-ups and AM and PM departures. Please review bus schedules mailed home for examination periods.

ELEMENTARY ENRICHMENT PROGRAMS

Math Olympiad Program

Students attend a weekly math class, during which they are presented with challenging multi-step mathematical problems. They compete in five timed tests throughout the school year and earn awards based on their efforts. The program's focus is on learning to take academic risks and on encouraging students to challenge themselves.

S.E.A.R.C.H. Program

search@hufsd.edu

The Scholastic Enrichment and Resource for the Children in Huntington program will continue for academically talented students in Grades 5 and 6. Fifth grade SEARCH students in 2020-2021 will continue to participate in the program as sixth grade SEARCH students in 2021-2022.



REGISTRATION

CENTRALIZED STUDENT REGISTRATION

Families should register their child/children for school at the Office of Student Registration in the Jack Abrams STEM Magnet School. Parents/guardians should present proof of birth, proof of district residency and proof of guardianship/parental relationship. Parents must present their child's immunization record. For more detailed information on the matter, contact the Office of Student Registration at 631-673-2974.

IMMUNIZATIONS

Pursuant to Public Health Law §2164 every student attending public school must be immunized. School districts are required to secure proof (e.g., immunization certificate, immunization registry report, blood test/titer lab report) that children are adequately immunized. These requirements vary depending on grade level. The immunization record must be presented at the time of registration. Without such proof, a student will be excluded from school after 14 days of non-compliance. Within 30 days of the first day of school, parents and guardians of such children must show that they have made appointments for all required follow-up doses. Required immunizations are as follows:

Kindergarten and Grades 1-5

- DTaP/DTP - 5 doses or 4 doses if the 4th dose given at 4 years of age or older; or 3 doses if 7 years or older and the series started at age 1 or older
- Polio – 4 doses or 3 doses if the 3rd dose given at 4 years of age or older
- Measles/Mumps/Rubella (MMR) – 2 doses
- Hepatitis B – 3 doses
- Varicella (Chicken Pox) – 2 doses

Grades 6-11

- DTaP/DTP – 3 doses
- Tdap – 1 dose
- Polio – 4 doses or 3 doses if the 3rd dose given at 4 years of age or older
- Measles/Mumps/Rubella (MMR) – 2 doses
- Hepatitis B – 3 doses or 2 doses of adult hepatitis B vaccine (Recombivax) for children who received the doses at least 4 months apart between the ages of 11-15 years
- Varicella (Chicken Pox) – 2 doses
- Meningococcal Conjugate (MenACWY) – 1 dose for children in Grades 7, 8, 9 and 10

Grade 12

- DTaP/DTP – 3 doses
- Tdap – 1 dose
- Polio – 4 doses or 3 doses if the 3rd dose given at 4 years of age or older
- Measles/Mumps/Rubella (MMR) – 2 doses
- Hepatitis B – 3 doses or 2 doses if adult hepatitis B vaccine (Recombivax) for children who received the doses at least 4 months apart between the ages of 11-15 years
- Varicella (Chicken Pox) – 2 doses
- Meningococcal Conjugate (MenACWY) – 2 doses or 1 dose if the dose was received at age 16 or older

KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION

Registration for children who will enter kindergarten in the 2022-2023 school year will be held at district-designated areas, which will be announced in February. Any child may be enrolled in kindergarten if he/she is 5 years of age on or before December 1, 2022. Parents should notify the Office of Student Registration in December/January if their child is eligible. Children will be scheduled for screening at registration. After the screening, parents will be informed by the school principal if further testing is necessary. Please call 631-673-2974 with questions.

PHYSICAL EXAMINATION

New York State Education Law requires a medical examination for children entering kindergarten, grades 2, 4, 7, 10 and all new students who are entering the Huntington School District. The State requires that the physical exam be conducted and certified by a licensed physician, physician assistant or nurse practitioner, and that it be performed no more than 12 months prior to the beginning of the required school year. Any new entrant to a school district is required to submit a physical exam certificate within 30 days of the student's entrance into his/her new school. The Huntington School District is required to participate in the State Department of Health's Weight Status Survey during certain years. No names or information about individual students are disclosed. You may choose not to participate by sending a signed "opt out" letter to your school nurse on or before November 1 of the school year. Please contact your child's school nurse should you require any additional information.

DENTAL CERTIFICATES

New York State Education Law requires the district to request dental certificates for children entering kindergarten, grades 2, 4, 7 and 10, and all newly entering students. The dental certificate may be signed by a dentist or dental hygienist.

SUPPORTIVE SERVICES

A variety of professionals are employed by the district to assist your child. The school-based Response to Intervention Support Team (Rtl) includes school psychologists, social workers, speech therapists, school nurses, guidance counselors, and other instructional staff members as warranted. Children may be referred to the Rtl Team so that professional staff can review educational concerns.

CHILD FIND – CHILDREN WITH DISABILITIES

Any parent who suspects that his/her child has a disability, such as a learning disability, emotional problem, neurological difficulty or physical disability should call the building principal where the child attends school. The principal will take the steps necessary to ensure that the situation is reviewed by the school's Response to Intervention Support Team (Rtl). After assessing the child's response to interventions/supports, a Committee on Special Education (CSE) evaluation may be recommended if there is suspicion of a disability. Parents may refer their child for a CSE evaluation if they suspect an educational disability by writing a letter of referral to the building principal.

HOMEBOUND INSTRUCTION

The district provides homebound instruction upon receipt of a medical prescription for compulsory age students who are unable to attend school for two weeks or more for reasons of health or temporary disability. Homebound instruction may also be provided when indicated by the Committee on Special Education for a student with disabilities who cannot attend school. For more information, contact your building principal.

MENTAL HEALTH SUPPORT

Each school has available trained counselors, social workers and/or psychologists to address the mental health needs of students and staff on an individual basis. Students, parents and staff members are strongly encouraged to reach out to any of these trained professionals whenever needed. It is anticipated that some individuals may need additional support in the wake of the COVID-19 pandemic. Huntington mental health professionals are prepared to assist.

PRE-SCHOOL CHILDREN – CPSE

If you have a pre-school child between 2 years, 9 months and 5 years of age and suspect a possible disability, call the Committee on Pre-School Special Education (CPSE) Office at 631-673-2159 to discuss the CPSE evaluation process.

PRIVATE & PAROCHIAL SCHOOL CHILDREN

If your child is enrolled in an elementary or secondary private or parochial school, and you suspect he/she has a disability, call the principal of the school your child attends. The principal will review alternatives to special education. Nonetheless, if you believe a disability exists, you will need to submit a letter of referral to the principal. The school district in which your child's private or parochial school is located (district of location) will then evaluate your child and conduct a CSE meeting. Parents will then be asked to register their students to receive dual enrollment services under section 3602-c of Education Law. *NOTE: For a child to receive services in a private or parochial school setting, the parent must request special education services in writing to the school district of location by June 1 preceding the school year for which the request for services is made, except when a student is first identified with a disability after that day and prior to the first day of April during the current school year. The parent must then submit the written request for services within 30 days after the student was first identified.*

SPECIAL EDUCATION RECORDS

Special education records (evaluation reports completed by psychologist, social worker, speech therapist, neurologist, etc.) are available to the parent. Parents may inspect the record and have copies made at a nominal cost. It is necessary to make an appointment to examine the records so that the appropriate professional personnel will be available. Call the building principal or Special Education Chairperson for such an appointment.

STUDENT RECORD CONFIDENTIALITY

The district ensures the confidentiality of student records. However, parents/guardians and students age 18 or older have the right to inspect and review educational records, to challenge record contents regarding accuracy and privacy, and to file a complaint with the Department of Education alleging any perceived failure to comply with the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA). Copies of this policy and regulations may be obtained from the District

Clerk. Complaints may be filed with:

Family Policy Compliance Office
U.S. Department of Education
600 Independence Avenue, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20202-4605

SUBSTANCE (DRUG) ABUSE

The district employs social workers (youth counselors) who possess expertise in the area of substance abuse. A parent who believes that his/her child may be having such a problem is encouraged to call the counselor at Finley Middle School, 631-673-2190; or Student Support Services, 631-673-2115. Note that the school district's point of contact for information and resources related to substance use is Diana Rich. She can be reached at the latter number.

TRANSPORTATION

The Huntington School District provides bus transportation for students attending both district public and nonpublic schools within certain guidelines prescribed by state law. Current district transportation policy is based on the distance from home to school. State law requires transportation TO and FROM school only. If a bus breaks down, students must stay on board until the relief bus arrives.

BUS DISCIPLINE

- The bus driver will file an incident report following any perceived trouble on a bus.
- Copies of the report will be sent to the district transportation department and the school principal. Parents will be informed of the situation and a copy of the report, if requested.
- A driver CANNOT remove a child from his/her bus except at his/her regular bus stop according to state law.

BUS SAFETY PROGRAM

State law requires three bus safety drills during the school year, which are supervised by the principal. This instruction is supplemented with grade-level appropriate classroom instruction on proper bus behavior and safety education.

NO FAULT INSURANCE

If a student is injured on a school bus during any authorized trip, the family's insurance carrier is responsible for the injury claim. If the family has no automobile insurance, the bus company carrier is responsible for the no-fault benefits. Parents should notify their insurance carrier immediately in the event that a child is injured in a school bus accident.

NON-PUBLIC SCHOOL TRANSPORTATION

Resident requests for transportation of students to and from private and parochial schools **must be made on or before April 1, 2022** in order to be eligible for the 2022-2023 school year. Late requests will not be honored. This application must be completed even if your child is currently receiving transportation. No requests for a change in transportation which incurs additional cost to the district will be honored after April 1. The maximum distance that a child will be transported is 15 miles.

PARENTAL COMPLAINTS

Parents should inform the district's transportation department of any serious complaints at 631-673-2032. These complaints must be followed by a signed written summary of the details, including date, time, location, bus number, and driver's name, if possible. Parents will be informed of actions taken in response.



OTHER IMPORTANT INFORMATION

ADULT EDUCATION

An adult education program is offered each term at Huntington High School. Brochures describing the program are mailed to all residents of the district. For information, call 631-812-2380.

ANNUAL AHERA ASBESTOS NOTIFICATION

The Asbestos Hazard Emergency Response Act (AHERA) is a federal law enacted in 1987 that requires all school districts to inspect and re-inspect for building materials containing asbestos every three years. Our facilities have been inspected and response actions have been developed to ensure a continued safe environment for our students and employees. Activities include training of custodial and maintenance staff to prevent disturbance of asbestos and periodical re-inspection and surveillance activities by trained personnel.

As required by the Federal Asbestos Hazard Emergency Response Act, our schools were inspected for asbestos in 1988. This inspection resulted in the development of an Asbestos Management plan, first implemented in 1989. The last required three-year re-inspection was conducted in May 2019. The Asbestos Management Plan and re-inspection reports are available for your review in the facilities office, as well as the main office of each school building. If you have any questions pertaining to the Asbestos Management Plan and re-inspection reports please contact George Austin, Lead Operations Manager at 631-673-2127. Or you may write us at Huntington Union Free School District, P.O. Box 1500, Huntington, NY 11743.

DISTRICT WEBSITE AND SOCIAL MEDIA

For news from our schools, announcements, directions, curriculum documents, administrative communications and much more, visit the district's website, Facebook, Twitter, Instagram and YouTube pages on a daily basis.

- Website – <http://www.hufsd.edu>
- Facebook – <https://www.facebook.com/HuntingtonUFSD>
- Twitter – <https://www.twitter.com/hufsd>
- Instagram – https://www.instagram.com/hufsd_ny/
- YouTube – <https://www.youtube.com/c/HuntingtonPublicSchools>

HUNTINGTON FOUNDATION FOR EXCELLENCE IN EDUCATION

The Huntington Foundation for Excellence in Education (HFEE) is a non-profit corporation dedicated to enhancing educational opportunities for all students in the Huntington School District. Since its founding in June 1993, HFEE has enriched our schools through grants aimed at promoting innovation at the classroom and school levels. HFEE welcomes participation from all members of the school community. Complete information, including grant applications and donation options, will be made available on the district website in the HFEE-designated section.

INSURANCE

The school district purchases accident insurance covering all students through Pupil Benefits. The plan covers any student engaged in school-sponsored activity. The family's insurance, if available, must be used first, with only the excess claimed under this plan. Benefits will be paid based on established "reasonable and customary" costs. Contact the Business Office at 631-673-2111 for additional information.

NON-DISCRIMINATION POLICY

The Huntington Union Free School District, in accordance with federal law, does not discriminate on the basis of color, creed, disability, marital status, national origin, race, religion, gender, sexual orientation or age. This policy of non-discrimination relates to recruitment and employment, salaries and benefits, counseling services to students, student access to course offerings, educational programs and activities. Inquiries about this policy or complaints of discrimination may be reported to the Assistant Superintendent for Finance and Management Services at 631-673-2111.

NON-SMOKING POLICY

Smoking is prohibited at all times in any district building and on any district grounds.



NUTRITION

All Huntington students have the opportunity to enjoy nutritious foods through the National School Breakfast and Lunch Program whether paying full price, or free/reduced-entitled. Applications for free and reduced price meals are sent to each household in August, but applications are always available in the cafeterias. Breakfast will not be served in the event of a delayed opening. If your child has any food intolerances or allergies, please inform the Food and Nutrition Department at 631-673-2107. Parents have the option to online prepay lunch money using myschoolbucks.com

The U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) has extended its program that allows school food service programs to operate as a SSO (Seamless Summer Option) serving free weekday meals to students enrolled in the Huntington School District until June 30, 2022. A nutritious breakfast and lunch will be provided by your child's school. Participation is automatic for all families.

Any families who may qualify for free & reduced price meals should still complete their applications to receive additional benefits and maintain free/reduced meal status for after the program ends.

SECTION XI INFORMATION

The Suffolk County Section XI Website provides information regarding interscholastic athletic schedules, directions, tournaments, brackets, standings, and other helpful information. Visit the site at www.sectionXI.org.

USE OF SCHOOL FACILITIES

Huntington school facilities are available to responsible community organizations after normal school hours. A fee is charged to cover the average cost of operation. Facility-using organizations must be Board-approved. Upon approval, organizations requesting use of school facilities should make application through the Facilities Office. Proof of appropriate insurance coverage will be required. Call 631-673-2127 for a copy of the fee schedule and any additional information.

DISTRICT CODE OF CONDUCT

The Huntington Board of Education and Administration is committed to providing a safe and orderly school environment where students are entitled to receive, and district personnel are entitled to deliver, quality educational services without disruption or interference. Responsible behavior by students, teachers, other district personnel, parents and other visitors is essential to achieving this goal. The district has a long standing set of expectations for conduct on school property and at school functions. These expectations are based on the principles of civility, mutual respect, citizenship, empathy, character, tolerance, honesty and integrity. In accordance with the Dignity for All Students Act, no student shall be subject to discrimination or harassment based on a person's actual or perceived race, color, weight, national origin, ethnic group, religion, religious practice, disability, sexual orientation, gender/gender identity or sex by school employees or students on school property, on a school bus, or at a school function.

The items below provide a concise summary and overview of the HUFSD Code of Conduct. You are encouraged to review carefully the unabridged document, which is available on the district website. Hard copies can be reviewed in central administration offices or the general offices in school buildings.

CODE OF CONDUCT GOALS AND PURPOSE

The goals of the Board of Education in adopting the HUFSD Code of Conduct are to clearly define expectations for acceptable conduct in school buildings and on school properties, to identify the possible consequences of unacceptable conduct and to ensure that discipline, when necessary, is administered promptly, fairly and uniformly. The code applies to all students, school district personnel, parents and other visitors when on school property or attending a school function. In order to clarify and bring uniformity to conduct and discipline throughout the district, the code defines many pertinent terms.

STUDENTS - GENERAL

The code outlines both the rights and responsibilities of students. All district students have the right to:

1. An educational environment free from bullying, intimidation, harassment, or prohibited discrimination.
2. Take part in all events and activities free from bullying, intimidation, harassment, or prohibited discrimination.
3. Present their version of events leading to any possible disciplinary action.
4. Access to school rules and explanations of those rules when necessary.

Students have the responsibility to:

- Contribute to maintaining a safe, supportive and orderly school environment, and refrain from acts of bullying, intimidation, harassment, or prohibited discrimination.
- Know and abide by the rules and regulations pertaining to student conduct.
- Attend school daily and be on time.
- Work to the best of their ability and react to direction from district staff in a respectful and positive manner.
- Learn to control their anger appropriately, with assistance if necessary.
- Ask questions and seek help in solving problems.
- Dress appropriately for school and school events.
- Accept responsibility for their actions.
- Conduct themselves as representatives of the district when attending or participating in extracurricular events using the highest standards of conduct, demeanor, and sportsmanship.

PARTNERS

The code lists expectations of the district's essential partners in this effort including parents, teachers, coaches, advisors, guidance counselors, psychologists, social workers, support staff, principals, administrators, the superintendent, and the board of education. A list of these responsibilities is available in the full Code of Conduct document.



STUDENT USE OF ELECTRONIC COMMUNICATION DEVICES

Students are prohibited from using or having on or in an operational mode any cellular/mobile telephone or handheld communication device, tablet device, laptop computer, laser pointer or pen, or any other type of electronic communication or imaging device during instructional time, except as expressly permitted in connection with authorized use in classrooms. While students are permitted to possess such devices during the school day, they are prohibited from using them in any manner that invades the privacy of students, employees, volunteers, or visitors. Students are not permitted to use any form of information technology or electronic communication, including their own personal electronic devices, to harass, bully, including cyberbully, and/or discriminate against or threaten others. Cyberbullying that creates a hostile environment is prohibited. If a student violates this prohibition, he/she is subject to discipline under this provision and/or any other provision in this code of conduct, the District's Dignity for All Students Act Policy 7580 and Regulation 7580 and/or any law and/or regulation that may be applicable to the circumstances involved. Students are prohibited from taking photographs or otherwise electronically recording the image of any other person at any time while on a school property, a school bus and/or anywhere in a school building and/or on school grounds during the school day except as expressly permitted in connection with authorized use in classrooms.



STUDENT DRESS CODE

Students are expected to dress in an appropriate manner and to maintain personal cleanliness. Students' appearance must be safe, appropriate, and non-disruptive. The following rules apply:

- No extremely brief garments;
- Underwear must be completely covered with outer clothing;
- Safe footwear must be worn at all times;
- Clothing may not be vulgar, obscene, libelous, or denigrate others on account of race, color, religion, creed, national origin, gender, sexual orientation or disability;
- No clothing may promote or endorse the use of alcohol, tobacco or illegal drugs or encourage other illegal or violent activities;
- No clothing or items may be worn that law enforcement officials consider problematic.

PROHIBITED STUDENT CONDUCT

All students are expected to conduct themselves in an appropriate and civil manner, respectful of others. Students must learn to assume and accept responsibility for their own actions, as well as consequences of their misbehavior. Discipline will be used when necessary and to place emphasis on the student's ability to grow in self-discipline. Students may be subject to disciplinary action for the following violations:

- Disorderly conduct;
- Insubordinate conduct;
- Disruptive conduct;
- Violent conduct;
- Conduct that endangers the safety, morals, health or welfare of others;
- Misconduct on a school bus
- Academic misconduct including plagiarism, cheating, altering records;
- Lateness to class/cutting.

These violations are outlined in greater detail, along with specific examples, in the Code of Conduct document.

REPORTING VIOLATIONS

Students and staff are expected to report violations of the code promptly to the appropriate staff. Staff authorized to impose disciplinary sanctions are expected to do so in a prompt, fair and lawful manner. Weapons, dangerous instruments, alcohol, or illegal substances will be confiscated immediately with notification to parents and appropriate disciplinary sanction imposed, if warranted, which may include permanent suspension and referral for prosecution.

DISCIPLINARY PENALTIES, PROCEDURES AND REFERRALS

Discipline is most effective when it deals directly with the problem at the time and place it occurs in a way that is fair, impartial and uniform. School personnel who interact with students are expected to use strategies that place emphasis on students' ability to grow in the area of self-discipline. As a general rule, discipline will be progressive. This means that a student's first violation will usually merit a lighter penalty than subsequent violations. The following factors will affect the determination of effective discipline:

- Student's age;
- Nature of offense and circumstances leading to it;
- Student's prior disciplinary record;
- Information from parents, teachers and/or others, as appropriate;
- Other extenuating circumstances.

If the conduct of a student is related to a disability or suspected disability, the student will be referred to the Committee on Special Education. Discipline, specifically any removals for more than 10 days, will be administered on the basis of whether or not there is a connection between the student's disability and the infraction committed.

Penalties and procedures for specific misconduct are listed in the Code of Conduct. Each form of discipline is defined and described.

DISCIPLINE OF STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES

The Board recognizes that students with disabilities receive certain procedural protections in the school disciplinary process. When it is necessary to suspend, remove or otherwise discipline students with disabilities, the Board is committed to ensuring that the procedures followed are consistent with the safeguards required by applicable laws and regulations.

STUDENT SEARCHES AND INTERROGATIONS

Authorized school officials may question a student about an alleged violation of law or the district Code of Conduct. The superintendent, principals, assistant principals, deans, administrative assistants and the school nurse may conduct searches of students and their belongings if there is reasonable suspicion that the search will result in evidence that the student violated the law or code of conduct. Searches require documentation by the staff member. Police may enter school property to question or search a student only if they have a search or arrest warrant, or probable cause to believe that a crime has been committed on school property. In these instances, students must be informed of their legal rights; remain silent if they so desire; or request the presence of a parent or an attorney.

In the event that a search does not turn up any illegal or improper items, the administrator will acknowledge such and apologize to the student for having to undergo the search. The administrator will notify the parent that the search took place and, if necessary, arrange for appropriate support services for the student.

VISITORS & PUBLIC CONDUCT ON SCHOOL GROUNDS

Parents and other district residents are encouraged to visit the schools. However, there are established guidelines in the Code and Board policy establishing the protocol of such visits in order to safeguard students and disallow interruption of the learning process. All persons on school property or attending school events will conduct themselves in an orderly and respectful manner. Guidelines of prohibited conduct are described in the full Code document and related Board policies.

The district will initiate disciplinary action against any student or staff member as per the outlined penalty section of the code. The district reserves the right to pursue a civil or criminal legal action against any person violating the code.





Huntington Union Free School District

Administrative Offices:
Jack Abrams STEM Magnet School
50 Tower Street
Huntington Station, NY 11746
Information: 631-673-2121
Website: www.hufsd.edu

BOARD OF EDUCATION

e-mail: board@hufsd.edu

The Board of Education consists of seven members, each elected by residents for a three-year unpaid term. A Board member is elected during May for a seat to be occupied on July 1. 2021-2022 Board members are as follows:

Christine Biernacki, President	Term expires June 2024
Xavier Palacios, Vice-President	Term expires June 2023
Kelly Donovan	Term expires June 2023
Bill Dwyer	Term expires June 2022
Thomas Galvin	Term expires June 2024
Michele Kustera	Term expires June 2022
Theresa Sullivan	Term expires June 2024

District Clerk, Joanne Miranda 631-673-2126
District Treasurer, Jill Miranda 631-673-2114

BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETINGS

Meetings are scheduled as indicated. All will be conducted in the Jack Abrams STEM Magnet School Auditorium unless otherwise noted.

DATE	WEEKDAY	MEETING TYPE
July 6, 2021	Tuesday	Reorganization/Regular Meeting – 6:00 PM
August 2, 2021	Monday	Regular Meeting – 7:00 PM
August 30, 2021	Monday	Regular Meeting – 7:00 PM
September 13, 2021	Monday	Regular Meeting
September 28, 2021	Tuesday	Regular Meeting
October 18, 2021	Monday	Regular Meeting
November 15, 2021	Monday	Regular Meeting
December 13, 2021	Monday	Regular Meeting
January 10, 2022	Monday	Regular Meeting
February 7, 2022	Monday	Regular Meeting
February 28, 2022	Monday	Budget/Regular Meetings
March 14, 2022	Monday	Extended Budget Workshop
March 21, 2022	Monday	Budget/Regular Meetings
April 4, 2022	Monday	Budget/Regular Meetings
April 11, 2022	Monday	Budget Adoption/Regular Meeting
April 26, 2022	Tuesday	BOCES Administrative Budget Vote/Election
May 9, 2022	Monday	Budget Hearing/Regular Meeting
May 17, 2022	Tuesday	Budget Vote/Election @Huntington High School
June 6, 2022	Monday	Regular Meeting

VOTER ELIGIBILITY FOR SCHOOL DISTRICT ELECTIONS

In order to vote, you must be a United States citizen, 18 years of age or older, and a resident of the Huntington School District for at least 30 days prior to the vote.

CENTRAL ADMINISTRATION & SERVICES

50 Tower Street, Huntington Station, NY 11746

Superintendent of Schools

James W. Polansky631-673-2038

Assistant Superintendent, Curriculum & Instruction

Beth McCoy631-673-2036

Assistant Superintendent for Finance and Management Services

Dr. Kathleen Acker.....631-673-2111

Human Resource Administrator

Christopher Hender.....631-673-2185

Title I Coordinator

Nancy Allard631-673-4294

ELA Coordinator

Angela Berner.....631-673-2197

Student Registration631-673-2974

Transportation Coordinator631-673-2032

School Lunch631-673-2107

Adult Education

Beth McCoy631-812-2380

Lead Operations Manager

George Austin.....631-673-2127

Director of Fine & Performing Arts

Eric Reynolds631-673-2106

Director of Foreign Language & ESL/Bilingual Education

Judy Moroff631-673-2104

Director of Guidance & Testing

Jeannette Alomia.....631-673-2101

Director of Health, Physical Education & Athletics

James Hoops631-673-2018

Director of Safety/Security

Jarrett Stein631-673-4795

Director of Special Education & Student Support Services

Diana Rich631-673-2115

Directory of K-12 STEM

Teresa Grossane631-673-2393

CENTRAL OFFICE CLERICAL HOURS

Superintendent's Office 8:00 AM – 4:00 PM

Curriculum & Instruction 8:00 AM – 4:00 PM

Business Office 8:00 AM – 4:00 PM

Human Resources 8:00 AM – 4:00 PM

Central Registration September through June:

Mon., Tues., Thurs., Fri. – 9:30-11:30 AM;

Wed. – 2:30-5:00 PM

July: Tues., Wed., Thurs. – 9:30-11:30 AM

August: Appointment only (631-673-2974)



HUNTINGTON HIGH SCHOOL

Oakwood & McKay Roads, Huntington, NY 11743

School hours: 7:30AM-2:20PM

Principal: Brenden Cusack

Assistant Principal: Gamal Smith

Assistant Principal: TBD

Main Office: 631-673-2001

Attendance Office: 631-673-2100

(Voicemail 631-673-2132)

Health Office: 631-673-2105

Dean of Students: 631-673-2007

Athletic Trainer: 631-673-2145

Guidance Department

Registrar 631-673-2101

Guidance East:

Steven Lashin, Josephine Saladin 631-673-2013

Guidance West:

Diana Bonilla, Lauren Brunoni, TBD 631-673-2011

College Office: Bernadette Walsh 631-673-2131

Academic Departments

Fine & Performing Arts 631-673-2106

Humanities 631-673-2079

Mathematics 631-673-2077

Physical Education, Athletics & Health 631-673-2018

Science 631-673-2078

Special Education 631-673-2093

Technology 631-673-2078

World Language/ESL/Bilingual 631-673-2104

J. TAYLOR FINLEY MIDDLE SCHOOL

20 Greenlawn Road, Huntington, NY 11743

School hours: 8:00AM-2:55PM

Principal: Traci Roethel

Assistant Principal: Kenneth Parham

Main Office: 631-673-2020

Attendance Office: 631-673-2025

Health Office: 631-673-2026

Guidance Office: 631-673-2022

WOODHULL INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL

140 Woodhull Road, Huntington, NY 11743

School hours: 8:45AM-3:05PM

Principal: Scott Oshrin

Main Office: 631-673-2030

Attendance Office: 631-673-2039

Health Office: 631-673-2147

JACK ABRAMS STEM MAGNET SCHOOL

155 Lowndes Avenue, Huntington Station, NY 11746

School hours: 8:45AM-3:05PM

Principal: Donna Moro

Main Office/Attendance Office: 631-673-2060

Health Office: 631-673-2061

FLOWER HILL PRIMARY SCHOOL

98 Flower Hill Road, Huntington, NY 11743

School hours: 9:20AM-3:40PM

Principal: Lucia Laguarda

Main Office: 631-673-2050

Attendance Office: 631-673-2139

JEFFERSON PRIMARY SCHOOL

253 Oakwood Road, Huntington, NY 11743

School hours: 9:20AM-3:40PM

Principal: Valerie Capitulo-Saide

Main Office: 631-673-2070

Attendance Office: 631-673-2141

SOUTHDOWN PRIMARY SCHOOL

125 Brown's Road, Huntington, NY 11743

School hours: 9:20AM-3:40PM

Principal: Jill Amott-Erwig

Main Office: 631-673-2080

Attendance Office: 631-673-2142

WASHINGTON PRIMARY SCHOOL

78 Whitson Road, Huntington Station, NY 11746

School hours: 9:20AM-3:40PM

Principal: Michelle Richards

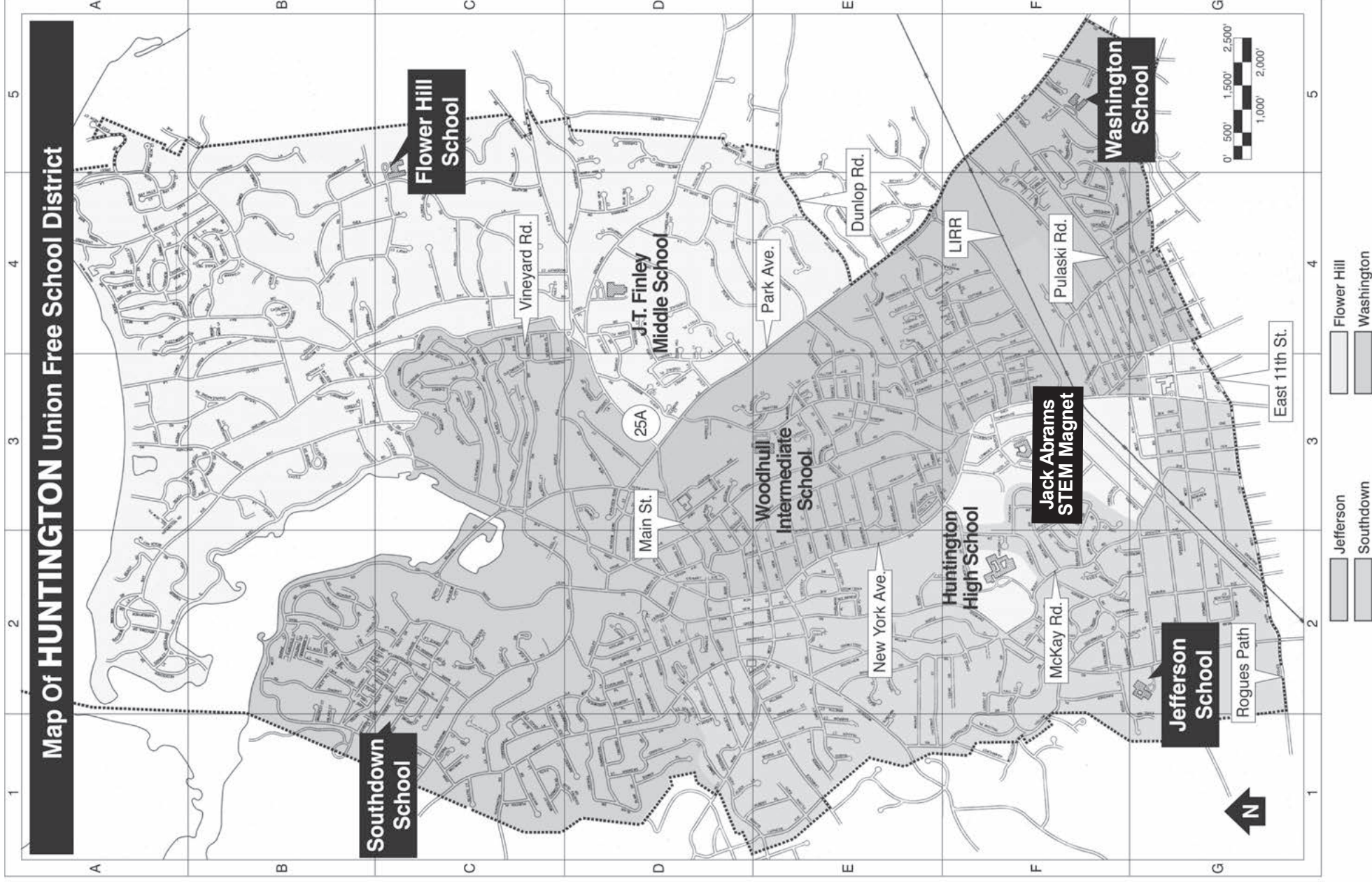
Main Office: 631-673-2090

Attendance Office: 631-673-2143

Questions?

Questions concerning your child can best be answered by the administrators in the building where your child attends school.

The principal and assistant principals possess knowledge of your child, the program, staff members and special services available, and will welcome your call.



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