

Announcements for the week of September 9-13:

Our FAB Wednesday tutoring sessions will begin this week! Please visit our website for FAB Wednesday information <https://www.cartersvilleschools.org/Domain/1677> We will send out a FAB Wednesday informational video on Monday.

Girls Basketball meeting-Wednesday, 9/11 at 8:10 a.m. in the Storm Center-All girls interested in trying out should attend.

All students wishing to join the swim team this year, please join us for a meeting on Thursday, September 12 at 7:50 a.m. in room 304. We will be providing more details about the swim season.

Congratulations to all Seniors who have been invited to join the CHS National Honor Society. Please remember to turn in your membership form and dues to Ms. Cauthen in Room 108 by the deadline of Friday, September 13!

Congratulations to all Seniors, Juniors and Sophomores who have been invited to join the CHS Chapter of the National Beta Club. Please turn in your membership form and dues to Ms. Cauthen in Room 108 by Friday, September 13!

College Rep Visits Week of September 9

Where? Career Center next to Mr. Crenshaw's office

When? During all lunches and study hall periods.

Thursday, 9/12: The University of Alabama

Friday, 9/13: Verto Education

In case you haven't heard of Verto Education already, we are a first semester or year of college abroad with direct admission to partner colleges. Learn more at <https://vertoeducation.org/>

[Verto Education - Earn College Credit While Traveling Abroad](#)

Verto Education currently offers 4 unique, "in-the-field" semester experiences covering Central America, The South Pacific and Southeast Asia as well as "on-campus" programs in Ireland, England and New Zealand.

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**All students are welcome to attend these college rep visits during their designated lunch/study hall time ONLY. Please check in with your study hall teacher prior to going to the visit.

Prom ticket pre-sale will begin on September 18 and go through December 11 during lunch time on FAB Wednesdays. Ticket sales will take place in Mrs. Carp's office and are \$50. Students who purchase tickets during the pre-sale period (September 18- December 11) are guaranteed a free prom t-shirt. Tickets purchased after December 11 will not include a prom t-shirt.

Attention Seniors: Make your yearbook even more special by recognizing your Senior's milestones and successes with a yearbook ad. Take advantage of our early bird pricing by ordering before Sept. 13th! Visit www.jostensadservice.com to place your order today!

The CHS Book Club, a chapter of the Tome Society, will hold its inaugural meeting on Wednesday, September 11 beginning at 1:05 P.M. (FAB lunch period) in the Media Center. Grab your lunch in the cafeteria, if you like, and bring it with you. If you enjoy great people, games, food, and book gossip, this is the place for you!

GLINC is looking for new members! GLINC, or Generación Latina Incorporated, is a multi-cultural non-profit organization founded by Latinos who are passionate about youth empowerment. Topics that are covered in our twice a month meetings include, but aren't limited to:

- Financial Literacy
- College Life
- Scholarships
- Time Management
- Career Panel

Our welcome meeting will be held on Tuesday, September 10th in the media center from 4:00 PM - 5:15 PM. We hope to see you there!

Upcoming College Rep Visits

September 2019

All visits will take place in the Career Center during all study halls.

9/12: The University of Alabama

9/16: Dalton State College

9/19: Shorter University

9/23: Kennesaw State University

9/24: Georgia Southern University

9/25: Columbus State University (FAB Wednesday 1:05-2:05)

9/26: Mississippi State University

*Any student is invited to attend these visits during his or her study hall/lunch time. Students should check in with teachers for attendance and then report to the Career Center.

More visits are being scheduled throughout the fall. Please check the counseling page on the CHS website for a calendar that is updated regularly with info about visits.

Parents of Juniors & Seniors- Career Planning in the Skills/Trade Industry

[Click Here](#) to enroll your student in this field trip on Weds Oct. 2nd from 8:15 AM to 11:30 AM. PLEASE ENROLL YOUR STUDENT NO LATER THAN SEPTEMBER 6th. Permission Forms will be due by September 12th.

Companies, Trade, and Technical schools will promote their training options, apprenticeship, internship and career opportunities in trade jobs for high school students in the 11th District. The goal of this event is to increase awareness of trade opportunities in our district with the objective of lowering the skills gap by increasing the number of young men and women entering the workforce. We hope to broaden students' perspectives on the outlook for skills related jobs and the opportunities provided by global companies and local schools. Income up and Debt Down! This is a career fair format. Transportation Provided.

Once you enroll the student, they will be provided a field trip permission form to be returned to Ms. Boyer in room 101 on the short hall.

Direct Link if Click Here doesn't work: <https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=RJJun7TDCEsognLh4PPu3mSU9-5nTIJlg1WBGI2hki9UQzRHVjEwVzdBRzJSUjdTRFZWMBUMUpaNC4u>

Attention Beta Club students:

All Beta Club Students: Please check the Beta Club page on the CHS website every week!

Any Juniors wanting to take the PSAT in October need to sign up in the Guidance Office by 9/13.

Future Business Leaders of America Update (FBLA):

FBLA is organizing the following volunteer opportunities. Interested students need to use the signup sheet outside Ms. Boyer's room to sign up! This could count towards BETA Club's hours, please check with Ms. Cauthen.

- Deadline September 12th : Volunteers for the Cartersville Primary School Fall Festival (September 28)- running games, bouncy house, face painting, clean up, etc.

**If you would like to help FBLA fund raise to help conserve the use of plastics at CHS, please contact Ms. Boyer boyer@cartersvilleschools.org

Student PowerSchool Login:

Students may use their student number for their PowerSchool login and their O365 password for their password.

Our PowerSchool website for students:

<https://cartersville.powerschool.com/public/>

Parents, please let us know if you do not have access to PowerSchool. We can get this set up for you.

Attention students enrolled in any AP course:

This year, AP students will register to take AP exams on myap.collegeboard.com Students must decide to take (or decline) their AP exam by Oct. 1. Each exam costs \$20 (paid to CHS). Students who qualify for free/reduced lunch qualify for one free AP exam per year. The GA DOE will also pay for one AP exam for one STEM course. Any student who orders an exam, but then changes their mind will owe an additional \$20 per exam.

The 2019-20 school calendar:

<https://www.cartersvilleschools.org/cms/lib/GA02202677/Centricity/shared/docs/19-21%20calendar.pdf>

Free and Reduced Lunch- Students who qualify for free or reduced priced meals are required to fill out a new application each school year. Paper applications are available in our school's front office, or parents/guardians can apply online by visiting the following link:

<https://www.cartersvilleschools.org/Page/1310> or visit www.myschoolapps.com

If you need help with the application process or have questions, please contact the school, and we will be glad to help you.

Cartersville City Schools App- The Cartersville Schools App is great means of receiving school and school system information. You can access your students' PowerSchool information, Schoology information, view and manage your students' lunch account information, receive our weekly newsletters, and have access to many more features. This is a free app, and you can visit the Cartersville City Schools web page for information regarding this app. Carterville City Schools homepage: [https://](https://www.cartersvilleschools.org/)

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STUDENTS CAN DOWNLOAD THE APP TOO!

Student drop-off and pick-up: Last year, we had to re-route our student drop-off and pick-up route for car riders because of the construction of our new athletic facility. This year we will revert back to our old drop-off and pick-up route, which means parents/guardians can enter the back of the campus through McEver Street to drop off and pick up students in the back area of the campus. The front loop will still be open as well. We will open the building for students at 7:55 a.m. each morning. If students arrive to school prior to 8:15 a.m., they will be required to stay in the old gym or cafeteria until a bell rings at 8:15 a.m. releasing them to first period. For the safety of our student body, we cannot allow students to roam the campus unsupervised in the mornings.