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Principal's Message

Dear Triton Families,

As we approach this much needed holiday break, I sincerely hope that this correspondence finds you well and that you and your families have been able to stay safe. I cannot say enough how proud I am of our teachers, staff and students for their efforts and positivity during these challenging times. The holidays are about recharging ourselves and reconnecting with

loved ones. Please take some time with what really matters this break, family. Family is not an important thing. It's everything.

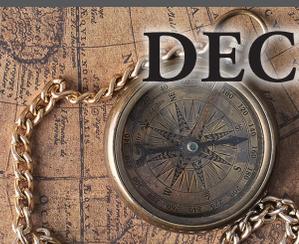
Take care Tritons, I look forward to an awesome 2nd semester!

Dr. Thomas Michel
Principal



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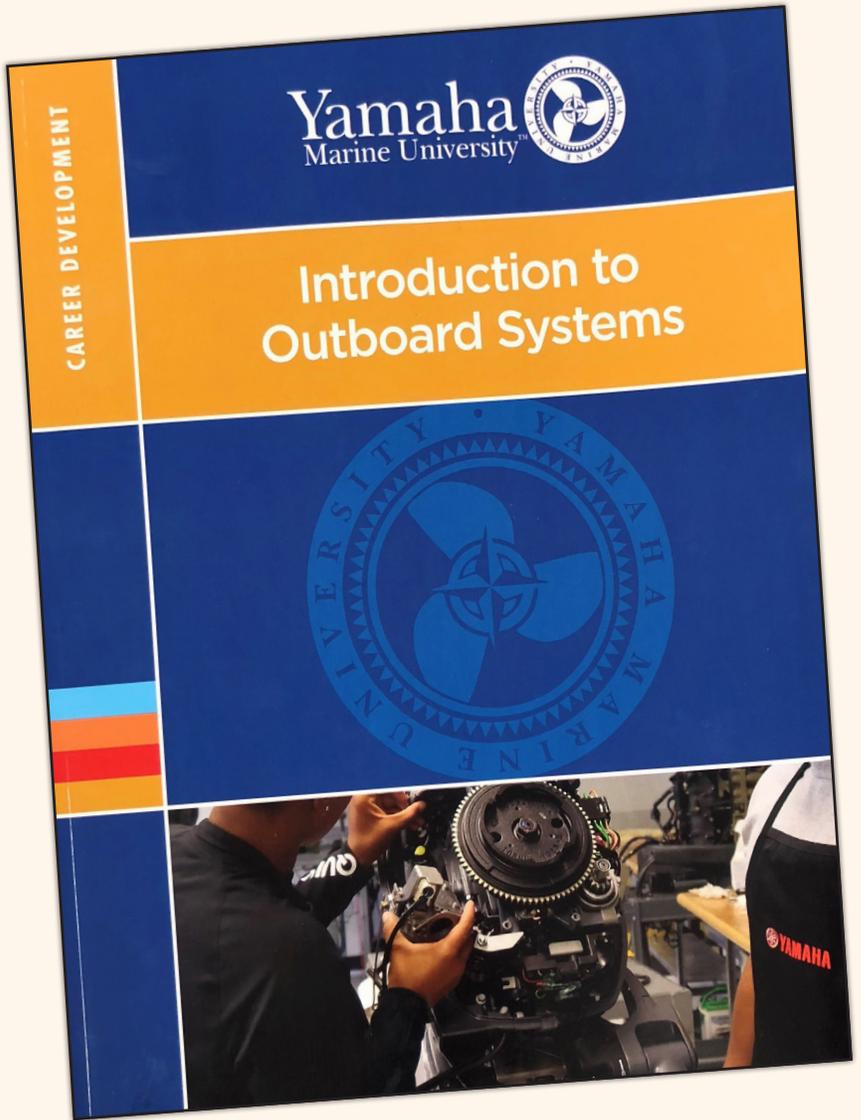
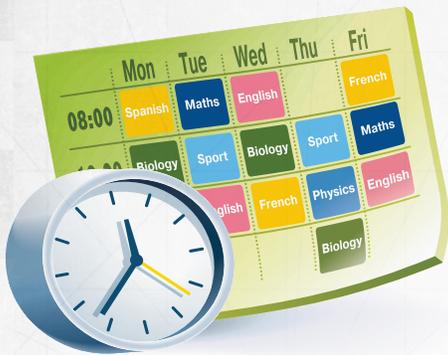
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BLACK VS. SILVER Days

Mariner will be running a block schedule this year. What that means is that students' schedules will be split into two different days. On **BLACK** days students will only go to their odd numbered classes (1,3,5,7). On **SILVER** days students will only go to their even numbered classes (2,4,6,8). Each morning there will be a flag displayed in the courtyard showing what color day it is. A copy of this year's Black/Silver day schedule can be found on the Mariner High School web page at mrh.leeschools.net.



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Bowling Team

Congrats to the Triton Bowling Team on making it to the State Finals!



Beacon newsletter is mailed out quarterly.

February 1, 2020
May 2, 2020
October 1, 2020
December 1, 2020

Links to SAT/ACT Dates

SAT Dates

<https://collegereadiness.collegeboard.org/sat/register/dates-deadlines>

ACT Dates

<https://blog.prepscholar.com/act-test-dates>

Interview with Coach Josh Nicholson (Football Head Coach)

Q: How was your first season of being head coach?

A: It was good and had a lot of fun experiences with the team. There were some unforeseen challenges such as COVID-19 but we managed to adapt and overcome.

Q: How did the season go?

A: The season started off slow, but the team always played like a team and it all came together at the end. Very thankful for all the work the seniors did.

Q: What is your outlook for the next season?

A: Very excited about the future, there are people coming back to the team which is exciting for the entire team. If the hard work continues from this season the outlook for the next season looks great.

Q: Were there any memorable moments of the season? Highlights?

A: One of the most memorable moments was beating Cape, it really confirmed all the hard work the team had been doing. A very important highlight was the entire team improving their grades tremendously over the 1st quarter. The team put in a lot of work to make sure they could play.

Q: Any other comments or things to share?

A: Just a thank you to all the teachers and staff for all the time and effort put into the team.



Triton Soccer

Both the Boy's and Girl's Soccer teams have gotten off to a hot start on the season. The Boy's Varsity team, looking to repeat last year's state championship run, has started the year off with 3 successive victories. The boys have won 4-1 Over East Lee, 2-0 over Island Coast, and 3-1 over Lely. The Girl's Varsity have also begun the year impressively with 3 dominating victories. The girls have beaten Island Coast 9-0, beaten Lely 6-1, and beaten LaBelle 9-2. Stay up to date with all the latest scores, as they both look to build on these impressive starts, at tritonports.bigteams.com.

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Spirit Week

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Class Color Day



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80's Day



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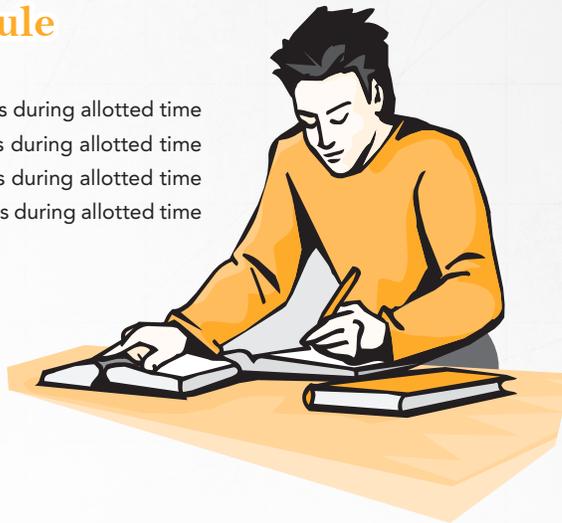
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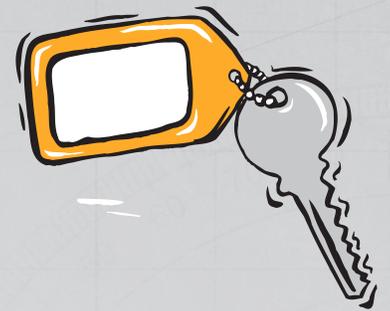
Midterm Exam Schedule

Semester 1 Exam Schedule

Jan. 25th	2nd and 4th period exams during allotted time
Jan. 26th	1st and 3rd period exams during allotted time
Jan. 27th	6th and 8th period exams during allotted time
Jan. 28th	5th and 7th periods exams during allotted time
Jan 29th	Half Day
7:05 - 8:10	2nd Period
8:10 - 8:15	Passing
8:15 - 9:18	4th Period
9:18 - 9:23	Passing
9:23 - 10:26	6th Period
10:26 - 10:31	Passing
10:31 - 11:35	8th Period



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2. Click on "FOLLETT DESTINY"
3. You should be logged in already. If not, you log in with the same info you log into your Chromebook.
4. Click on top tab "MY INFO"
5. This will show you your current check outs and fees/fines. A list of your current checkouts will appear first. Scroll down to see Fees and Fines.

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SAT/ACT Dates

SAT

Link: <https://collegereadiness.collegeboard.org/sat/>

SAT Date	SAT Subject Test Available	Registration Deadline	Late Registration Deadline	Deadline for Changes
December 5th 2020	See SAT Subject Tests available on this date	November 5th 2020	November 17th 2020 (for mailed registrations) November 24th 2020 (for registrations made online or by phone)	November 24th 2020
March 13th 2021	SAT Subject Tests not offered on this date	March 26th 2021	February 23th 2021 (for mailed registrations) March 2nd 2021 (for registrations made online or by phone)	March 2nd 2021
May 8th 2021	See SAT Subject Tests available on this date	April 8th 2021	April 20st 2021 (for mailed registrations) April 27th 2021 (for registrations made online or by phone)	April 27th 2021
June 5th 2021	See SAT Subject Tests available on this date	May 6th 2021	May 18th 2021 (for mailed registrations) May 26th 2021 (for registrations made online or by phone)	May 26th 2021

ACT

Link: <https://blog.prepscholar.com/act-test-dates>

Test Date	Normal Deadline	Late Deadline	Online Score Release*
February 6th 2021	January 8th 2021	January 15th 2021	March 8 2021; March 22 2021
April 17th 2021	March 12th 2021	March 26th 2021	May 11th 2021; May 25 2021
June 12th 2021	May 7th 2021	May 21st 2021	July 6th 2021; July 20th 2021
July 17th 2021**	June 18th 2021	June 25th 2021	August 10th 2021; August 24th 2021

*The first date is when multiple-choice scores come out; the second date is when complete scores (with the Writing section) come out. Some of these dates may be projections.

**No test centers scheduled in New York on this date.



Important Dates

Report Cards

December 8, 2020.....Interim Q2
 February 11, 2021Report Card Q2
 March 5, 2021Interim Q3
 April 27, 2021Report Card Q3
 May 18, 2021.....Interim Q4
 June 17, 2021Report Card Q4

Testing - Winter Window

Algebra 1 EOC.....December 8-9
 ELA Star.....January 19-20
 Math STAR.....January 21-22
 Biology EOC.....January 25-26
 US History EOC.....January 25-26



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