Winter 2022

Dear Parents and Guardians:

I would like to remind you that the second marking period will be ending on January 28, 2022. The high school anticipates report cards to be available on the portal on or about February 4, 2022. I will send a reminder e-mail at that time. Any questions or concerns relative to report cards should be directed to your child’s school counselor at 478-6260.

The examination schedule for the first semester is posted on the High School website. January 25 through January 28, 2022, have been set aside for the administration and grading of semester finals and mid-terms. **Students should only come to school for a scheduled exam on these dates.** We will begin the second semester on Monday, January 31, 2022, as a “D” day.

Beginning in mid-March, the course selection process will commence for the 2022 - 2023 school year. We anticipate that all students will have course selections completed by mid-April. This will ensure that the high school master schedule will be completed in a timely fashion. We continue to request that students and parents take the course selection process very seriously in order to reduce the numbers of course changes that take place prior to the opening of school in September. These course changes often alter the balance that has occurred when we finish scheduling in June and may prevent students from making changes. Individual departments will be explaining their 2022 - 2023 offerings to students.

I would also like to make you aware of two important events for Hastings High School.

1. **February 2, 2022,** Hastings High School will be hosting its 2nd Annual Racial Equity Day. Our theme/topic is “Environmental Injustices.” Details to follow.

2. We are also delighted to, once again, host our Family University program on **March 2, 2022.** Family University is an evening of presentations by notable speakers, for parents and students, on a variety of topics that promote health and safety. The evening will be virtual in format. Details to follow.

Happy, Healthy New Year!

Sincerely yours,

Louis A. Adipietro
Principal