

# SOHS News

January 2019

*Happy New Year !*

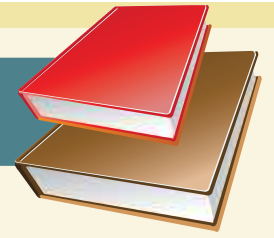
## SOHS College Acceptances and College Planning

- All 48 members of the class of 2019 have applied to four-year colleges. Thus far 32 of the 48 seniors have been accepted to one or more of the colleges of their choice. There will be more acceptances forthcoming, as students have not yet heard from the UCal schools, which roll-out their acceptances over the next few months.
- Many seniors are still in the process of applying to private and out-of-state colleges and universities, which have later application deadlines. They will be hearing from these schools in March or April.
- The junior class started their formal college planning in August. Beginning the week of January 28<sup>th</sup> Ms. Rodriquez will be scheduling conferences for junior class families. At these meetings the juniors will review their transcripts and strategize their college plans, together with their families.

## January Events @ SOHS

- January 7<sup>th</sup>.....Classes resume @ 8:45am
- January 16<sup>th</sup>.....Last Day of First Semester Senior Internships
- January 17<sup>th</sup>.....Coffee with the Principal @ 8:45am
- January 18<sup>th</sup> ..... **End of the 1<sup>st</sup> semester marking period**
- January 21<sup>st</sup> .....Martin Luther King Day.....no school !
- January 23<sup>rd</sup>.....First Day of Second Semester Senior Internships
- January 28<sup>th</sup> - February 1.....Family Conferences.....**noon dismissal all week**
- February 1st .....High School Day

# The End of the First Semester: 1/18/19



- Friday, January 18<sup>th</sup> marks the end of the first semester here at Silver Oak High School.
- Please check your students' current grades on PowerSchool and contact his/her advisor with questions/concerns.
- After school tutoring is required of all students who earned less than a C-, in any core subject, the first quarter.
- Tutoring is available, in each core subject, from 4:00 until 4:30pm, every Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday. The schedule is posted on the bulletin board, outside of the school office.
- Quarter grades may indicate the need for improvement. We want to insure that semester grades (which appear on the student's permanent transcript) are at a mastery level...C- or higher.

## SOHS Family Handbook

SOHS's "Family Handbook" is posted on our website at...

<http://www.silveroakmontessori.org>

It is updated and approved by the Board twice yearly and/or as necessary. There is much information contained in the Handbook. The Academic and Conduct Policies sections are of particular importance, as we do follow them closely. Please familiarize yourself with this important document and contact the office with any questions.

## Sports Schedule

### Boys' and Girls' Basketball

#### Practices\*:

M- F @ 4:15pm...Sunset Gym

#### Games:

1/10/19 @ 4:30 & 6:00pm

1/17/19 @ 4:30 & 6:00pm

1/18/19 @ 4:30 & 6:00pm

1/22/19 @ 4:30 & 6:00pm

2/23/19 @ 4:30 & 6:00pm

1/25/19 @ 4:30 & 6:00pm

1/30/19 @ 4:30 & 6:00pm

2/1/19 @ 4:30 & 6:00pm

## Family Conferences

First semester family conferences will be scheduled starting the week of January 28th. They will continue through February 1<sup>st</sup>.

**There will be noon dismissal all week.** Student advisors will be contacting each family, via email and/or phone, to set up an appointment. These conferences are **mandatory** as they are a review of the student's first semester grades and goals.

Ms. Rodriguez will be scheduling the conferences for the junior class families.

## Coffee with the Principal

When: Thursday, 1/17/19 @ 8:45am

Where: the school gym

Topic: Bridging the Gap: Preparing Your Adolescent for Adulthood