



Tamiscal High School

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Dear Tamiscal Students and Parents,

Our 2017-18 school year has just come to a close and we are wishing you a relaxing and fun-filled summer! This letter will give you a few dates and facts that will help you with your summer planning for returning and new Tamiscal students. It also includes the website links for the Summer Core Assignments for all students by grade level and the Summer Advanced Algebra/Precalculus Packets for those who will be taking these courses with Jennifer Noland.

Please put the following dates on your calendars or wherever you keep important information:

Wednesday, August 22 – No Tamiscal Independent Study classes

- First school day for all TUHSD District schools (including Team, Pathways and CEC programs at Tamiscal)
- Attend classes at Redwood, SA, Drake, or Tam if you are concurrently enrolled
 - Login into TUHSD Home Access Center to review classes at ‘big schools’ – see website below
- Scheduled Intake meetings at Tamiscal for **new students (& parents) only**

Thursday, August 23 – No Tamiscal Independent Study classes

- 2nd day of scheduled Intake meetings at Tamiscal for **new students (& parents) only**

Friday, August 24: - Tamiscal All School Assembly & Picnic agenda (mandatory)

8 – 10am: 3rd Day of scheduled Intake meetings at Tamiscal for **new students (& parents) only**

9-10:15am: School Photos for ID cards – Mandatory (Seniors must arrive by 9:30am)

9:45am: I.S. & Pathways Senior Class meeting with Julie Gannon/Grace Aviles

10:45am: Tamiscal Assembly Kick-Off for ALL TAMISCAL STUDENTS

- Staff Introductions, Guest Speaker, Lunch, Grade level Advisory meetings, Lunch, Student Schedules, & Tamiscal swag
- 2:30 - 3pm:** Closing

Week of August 27: - Intake meetings for returning student (& parents) with Core teachers

- All Tamiscal small group classes (math, science, art, and Spanish) full in session

***If any of the above activities conflict with a course that you are taking at Redwood, SA, Drake or Tam, you are to come to the Tamiscal event and we will take care of warranted absence for you. Again, the All School Assembly is mandatory for all Tamiscal students.*

In August, you will receive a summer mailing and email reminder of your already scheduled intake appointment time (Aug 22-24 for new students; Week of August 27th for returning students during regular weekly Core hour) as well as a package of registration materials for your parent to fill out **before** coming to your intake meeting. Parents must attend this intake meetings to sign contracts.

Counselor Grace Aviles (gaviles@tamdistrict.org) will begin work at Tamiscal on Tuesday, August 21st.

Summer Core & Precalculus/Advanced Algebra Assignments:

Please read the Summer Core Assignment that was provided in June for returning students, which are attached on Tamiscal's website (links below). Decide when you plan to complete the reading and then the writing portion. Please read carefully and follow all instructions closely. For some of you, this is your first independent study assignment, and it gives you an opportunity to figure out how to budget your time and work on your own. This assignment is **due at your first Core meeting (not intake meeting) with your Core teacher or 1st math class during the week of August 27th**.

Important Websites: (please bookmark)

Tamiscal Website: www.tamiscal.org

TUHSD Home Access Center: <https://home.tamdistrict.org/homeaccess/>

Summer Reading Assignments (all grade levels): <https://www.tamdistrict.org/site/Default.aspx?PageID=3715>

Summer Advanced Algebra/Precalculus Packets: <https://www.tamdistrict.org/Page/7072>

Naviance (for College/Career): <https://connection.naviance.com/fc/signin.php?hsid=tamiscal>

Enjoy your summer!

Sincerely,



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Principal