



**NUHS Parent Connections — INFORMED! INSPIRED! INVOLVED!**

**February 2020**

Hello Parents & students! Happy February and hope that you had an enjoyable Regents Week break. As we reflect on the past semester I would like to encourage parents and students to discuss how school has been going and make some goals for the new semester. Parents, I hope that you will be more proactive in participating in your child's education, in attending Parent workshops, serving on the PTA, etc. It is important that your child sees you proactive and involved in their education. Students, I hope that you will commit yourselves to improve your studies through healthy habits for the upcoming semester (establish a studying routine that will assist you in staying on top of your work and not get behind, REMEMBER: late or missing homework can be a huge deterrent to success). I am your Parent Coordinator, Natalie Tang. I am available to address any questions or concerns you may have. You can contact me at (718) 232-2500 ext. 1289, or via email at [Ntang5@schools.nyc.gov](mailto:Ntang5@schools.nyc.gov). Thank you for your continued commitment to your child's future success. Looking forward to an amazing school year with the help of everyone's involvement. As always, we thank you for your support and encouragement.

**IMPORTANT DATES**

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**Spring Term Begins  
Tuesday, January 28th**

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**NUHS Annual Chinese New Year Show — Welcome to All  
Friday, January 31st @**

**Doors Open @ 6PM; Show begins 6:30PM**

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**NUHS 2020 School Year — Parent Workshop Survey  
Deadline: Saturday, February 1st**

**ALL PARENTS ARE ENCOURAGED TO PARTICIPATE**

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**Title 1 ESL Saturday Parent Academy Continues**

**February 1st @ 9AM — 12PM**

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**Title 1 ESL Saturday Parent Academy (Last Class)**

**February 8th @ 9AM — 12PM**

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**PM School Begins**

**Monday, February 10th**

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**2020 NYC School Survey Period**

**February 10th — March 31st**

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**February SLT Meeting — NUHS Library**

**Tuesday, February 11th @ 5:30PM**

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**PTA Ice Cream & Candy Sale — 2ND Fl Student Café**

**Friday, February 14th @ Pd 4 -7**

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**Mid-Winter Recess Break — NO SCHOOL**

**Monday, February 17th thru Friday, February 21st**

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**February Parent Workshop — Mindfulness & Stress Reduction**

**Thursday, February 27th @ 6-8PM**

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**February PTA Meeting — NUHS Library**

**(All Parents Welcome)**

**Friday, February 28th @ 5:30PM**

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**Title 1 Yoga Parent Workshop (All Parents Welcome)**

**Friday, February 28th @ 6:30 — 7:30 PM**

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“The mission of New Utrecht High School is to hold our students to the highest standards and to educate all students to their maximum potential. To reach this end, we will offer a full academic program designed to meet and exceed new State standards. The thrust of our efforts will involve a continued rigorous program of staff development, enrichment of all

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**SPORTS CENTRAL**  
**KEEP CALM & CHEER ON UTES!!!!**  
**Good Luck Team!!**



**DECEMBER SPORT EVENTS!!**

**Boys JV BASKETBALL Vs. Grady HS (HOME GAME)**

**When:** Mon, Feb 3rd, @ 4:30pm

**Where:** NUHS Gym **(Come Support a Home Game!)**

**Boys Varsity BASKETBALL Vs. Telecommunication HS**

**When:** Mon, Feb 3rd, @ 4:30pm

**Where:** Telecommunication HS Gym

**Girls JV BASKETBALL Vs. Midwood HS**

**When:** Tue, Feb 4th, @ 4:30pm

**Where:** Midwood HS Gym

**Boys JV BASKETBALL Vs. FDR HS (HOME GAME)**

**When:** Wed, Feb 5th, @ 4:30pm

**Where:** NUHS Gym **(Come Support a Home Game!)**

**Girls Varsity BASKETBALL Vs. FDR HS**

**When:** Wed, Feb 5th, @ 4:30pm

**Where:** FDR HS Gym

**Boys JV BASKETBALL Vs. Fort Hamilton HS**

**When:** Mon, Feb 10th, @ 4:30pm

**Where:** Fort Hamilton HS Gym

**Girls JV BASKETBALL Vs. James Madison HS (HOME GAME)**

**When:** Mon, Feb 10th, @ 4:30pm

**Where:** NUHS Gym **(Come Support a Home Game!)**

**Boys JV BASKETBALL Vs. HS Telecommunication**

**When:** Wed, Feb 12th, @ 4:30pm

**Where:** Telecommunication HS Gym

**Girls JV BASKETBALL Vs. Fort Hamilton (HOME GAME)**

**When:** Thu, Feb 13th, @ 4:30pm

**Where:** NUHS Gym — **(Come Support a Home Game!)**



**Please come support our  
 UTES.**

**Good Luck Team!!**





## Important Phone Numbers

Dial 718-232-2500, then the appropriate extension

AP Safety 3650

Attendance Ext. 1194

College Office 1620

Guidance Ext 1631

Medical Office Ext. 1340

Parent Coordinator Ext 1289

PTA Ext 2031

Student Activities COSA Ext. 3621

If you need to communicate with a specific teacher, please contact the teacher via PupilPath email.

See below for our Tutoring Center for academic help!

### Tutoring Center Schedule

Monday-Friday

Period 1 – 10

Subjects	Days	Room
Math	T, W, Th	307
Science	M, Th, F	307
Social Studies	T, W, F	307
English	M, W, F	307
Foreign Language	M, W, F	307
ESL	M, W, F	307
Art	M, T, Th	307
Tech	M, T, Th	307



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## College Planning

Remember — Decision making is a process, not an event.

To all NUHS Students & Parents out there, **#YouCanDoThis!**

### Freshman Year —

- Get involved: Now that you've had a semester to try out extracurricular activities and clubs, think about which ones you like, and get involved. Stay updated with PupilPath, **REMEMBER NUHS IS GOING GREEN**. Continue expanding your horizons and keep up your grades! Remember, colleges like to see an upward grade trend throughout your 4 years in high school, so if you had a rocky fall semester, it's ok! Work hard to bring those grades up in the Spring Term.

### Sophomore Year —

- It's not too early for sophomores to start college planning. Study for and take the PSAT, treating it as a trial run. Consider using free online test preparation tools to prepare for the PSAT. Attend college-related events. Start creating your profile on free scholarship search engines, ie.Fastweb. Research colleges online. Set up an appropriate email account used for college admissions ONLY. Lastly, concentrate on academic and extracurricular interests.

### Junior Year —

- Juniors! It's February, which means preparing for your SAT is closer than ever before. **KEEP IN MIND SAT DAY IS MARCH 4TH**. Study for and take the SAT and/or ACT exams. Consider taking college-level courses (ex: AP and/or College Now). Start comparing colleges and college entrance requirements. If you don't have one already, set up an email account to use for college admissions.

### Senior Year —

- You're half way there! Congratulations! Acceptance letters and financial aid offers will start to arrive. Review your acceptances, compare financial aid packages, and visit your final choices. **IF YOU HAVEN'T ALREADY, SUBMIT YOUR FAFSA APPLICATION, DO IT ASAP!** Continue to apply for scholarships. Don't slack in the classroom. Continue to stay focused on

Thank you in advance for your continued support for New Utrecht High School and its students.

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