January 2020

Dear Parent/Guardian,

I hope you had an enjoyable holiday season and start to the New Year. As we quickly approach the end of the first semester at Bellport High School, listed below are a number of important items related to the January Regents examination period.

Regents Exams are scheduled to begin Tuesday, January 21st through Friday, January 24th. **There will be no regularly scheduled classes during these testing days, only exams as identified within this mailing.** Enclosed are two documents related to the testing schedule / calendar:

1. **January 2020 Testing Schedule:**
   - Quarterly Exam Schedule (Monday, January 13th – Friday, January 17th): This schedule identifies all in-class subject area quarterly exams. **School will be in full session during this week (1/13 – 1/17).**
   - Regents Week Exam Schedule (Tuesday, January 21st – Friday, January 24th): The schedule identifies all Regents Exams as well as quarterly exams to include: “Mock” Regents in Algebra 1, Global History 10, ELA/English 11, and Living Environment and all AP courses. Testing locations / Room #’s will be provided to students in school (prior to the examination period).

2. **BHS Regents / Examination Bus Schedule (January 21st – 24th):**
   - Please review all bus information carefully (both morning and afternoon exams) to accommodate your child’s personal examination schedule. The bus routes can be found on the high school website under announcements.

In addition, please be reminded of the following:

- Test Prep classes continue to be offered after school (2:00 – 2:50 p.m.) in the following exam areas: Living Environment, Earth Science, Chemistry, Global History (Transition), Global History (New Framework), US History, Algebra 1, Geometry, Algebra 2, and ELA through Friday, January 17th. Each Test Prep session will be supported with Special Education and ENL support as appropriate. Please encourage your child to attend these sessions for additional instructional support and review. The Test Prep schedule is posted on the HS website under “Announcements”.

- The Guidance Department identified the Regents exams your child is scheduled to take in a December 2019 mailing. If you did not receive a letter home concerning Regents exams, your child is only scheduled for local / quarterly exam(s). If you have any questions or concerns regarding the examination schedule or required exams for your child, please check with your child’s school counselor in the Guidance Department.

**In closing, please be reminded that school will be open and in session for all students on Monday, January 27th.**

Please do not hesitate to contact the High School with any questions or concerns as we approach this very important time of the school year. Best wishes for the New Year!

Sincerely yours,

Timothy Hogan

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