



# MVHS COUNSELING COURIER


Winter 2023

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## IMPORTANT DATES

 Finals Begin on 12/19

 December 22-January 9th is Winter Break for Students



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## Finals Schedule Fall Semester 2023

| Monday, 12/18                 | Tuesday, 12/19  | Wednesday, 12/20   | Thursday, 12/21  |
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| Schedule A day<br>Periods 1-7 | Period 1- 8:30-10:30<br>Break - 10:30-10:43<br>Period 6 - 10:50-12:50<br>Lunch - 12:50-1:30<br>Period 7 - 1:37-3:37 | Period 2 - 8:30-10:30<br>Break - 10:30-10:43<br>Period 5 - 10:50-12:50 | Period 3 - 8:30-10:30<br>Break - 10:30-10:43<br>Period 4 - 10:50-12:50 |



No school on Friday, December 22nd.

Students return to school on  
Wednesday, January 10th, 2024!





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## Parent Presentations

[9th Grade Parent Night on 8/22](#)

[12th Grade Parent Night on 8/29](#)

[11th Grade Parent Night on 10/25](#)

**Coming Soon**

10th Grade Parent Night on  
1/30 at 6pm via Zoom



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## **College and Career Center**

MVHS is hosting a **Paying for College Webinar** will be on Tuesday, December 5th from 6:00-7:00 PM on Zoom. Ms. Lowe and Ms. Duran will be hosted the webinar in English with simultaneous translation in Spanish available. Meant for 12th grade families, but 11th grade families are welcome as well. The focus of the presentation will be how to pay for college by focusing on financial aid and scholarship information.

[Recording of Paying for College Webinar](#)

[Slides from Paying for College Webinar](#)

We are hosting a **Financial Aid Workshop** on Wednesday, January 17th from 3:00-5:30 PM in-person at Mountain View in the library. This will be an in-person workshop to help students and families apply for financial aid by completing FAFSA or Dream Act line-by-line. This is for senior students and their parents. The event will be led by financial aid officers from Foothill in English and in Spanish. We recommend that the student and each parent create a [FSA ID](#) in advance of the workshop.

**MVLA Financial Aid Requirement:** As of last school year, the state of California is requiring every high school to verify that each senior has applied for financial aid by completing [FAFSA](#), [Dream Act](#), or the [Opt-Out Form \(en Español\)](#). To complete the requirement, a senior must complete only one of those forms.

### **Junior parents!**

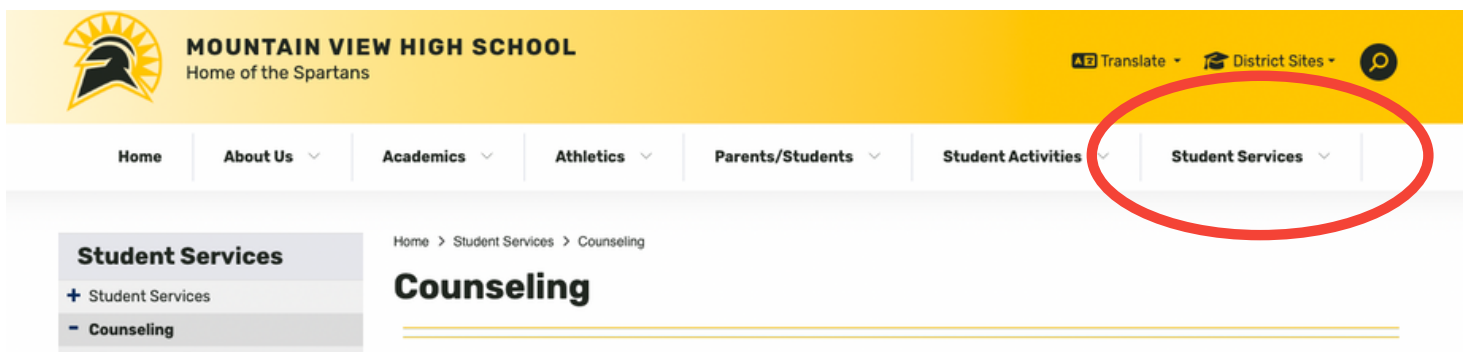
In early spring semester, the MVHS college counselors will be presenting to your juniors about the college application process. Stay tuned for an email once appointment slots for college counseling are open for your Junior in late January! In the meantime, [check out these materials](#) for your junior about college action items.



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## Counseling Website and YouTube Channel



[Be sure to check out our counseling website!](#)



We have a [YouTube channel](#) with informational videos related to counseling, check it out!