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"ALL LEARNERS, ALL FUTURES"

To: Learners, Parents, and Guardians
From: Mr. Travis Lee, High School Principal

Re: HAHS Tutoring Update **Date:** September 27, 2021

Greetings HAHS Learners, Parents, and Guardians,

HAHS is pleased to announce the start of our in-person school tutoring program! In partnership with Juniata College's *Preparing All Learners for Success* (PALS) program, we are able to offer two tutoring options. *Both options are provided Monday through Thursday*, and are explained below. Both tutoring options will begin on Wednesday, September 29, 2021.

Option 1: In-Person Tutoring During School Day

- Time: Learners can get tutoring assistance during their Pd. 4 Covid-ER time
 - Learners may get support 1-4 days per week, depending upon need
- Location: High School Library
- Type: In-person, general tutoring support (assistance with assignment completion, study skills, etc.)
- Sign-Up/Referral Processes
 - Option A: Student/Family Tutoring Request
 - Please complete the <u>HAHS PALS Tutoring Sign-up</u> Google form
 - Tutors will coordinate specific tutoring times with the learner
 - Option B: Open Tutoring As Needed Basis
 - Students must receive permission and pass from their Pd. 4 teacher
 - Students will sign-in to tutoring using their iPad and the tutoring QR Code
 - Preference will be given based upon specific tutoring requests. As needed tutoring may be limited based upon the capacity for support

Option 2: In-Person Tutoring After School

- Time: 2:45 3:45 PM
 - Learners may get support 1-4 days per week, depending upon need
- Location: Student Activities Room (Monday/Wednesday), High School Library (Tuesday/Thursday)
- Type: In-person, general tutoring support (assistance with assignment completion, study skills, etc.)
- Sign-Up/Referral Processes
 - Option A: Student/Family Tutoring Request
 - Please complete the <u>HAHS PALS Tutoring Sign-up</u> Google form
 - Tutors will coordinate specific tutoring times with the learner
 - Option B: Open Tutoring As Needed Basis
 - Students will sign-in to tutoring using their iPad and the tutoring QR Code
 - Student should make alternate after-school transportation arrangements and inform their families regarding their after school tutoring status

In addition to learner and family tutoring sign-ups, tutoring recommendations may come from classroom teachers, school counselors, or administrators. School personnel making these recommendations will communicate with the student and the family.

Future individualized tutoring options via Zoom are currently being planned. More information to follow.

A special thanks to the Juniata College Community-Engaged Teaching and Learning office for making this PALS program partnership between HAHS and Juniata.

We see these tutoring options as a great way for learners to get additional academic help and support. Please take advantage of this opportunity!

Sincerely,

Travis R. Lee, HAHS Principal



