

HUNTINGDON AREA HIGH SCHOOL

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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: February 15, 2022

Greetings HAHS Learners, Parents, and Guardians,

HAHS's in-person school tutoring program! In partnership with Juniata College's *Preparing All Learners for Success* (PALS) program, returned this week, beginning today, Monday, February 14. We are able to offer two in-person tutoring options, tutoring during the Covid-ER time (Pd. 4) and after school. **Both options are provided Monday through Thursday.** In addition, virtual tutoring and mentoring can also be provided, to be scheduled by appointment. All three of these options are explained below. **Please note that there is no Google Form required for sign-ups.** Students and families should **contact Mrs. Ramona Teeters, library paraprofessional**, for assistance with scheduling.

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.)
- **Communication:** Students will sign-in during each tutoring session. Students/Teachers will communicate with tutors about expectations and feedback with an exit slip
- **Sign-Up/Referral Processes**
 - See Mrs. Ramona Teeters in the HS to sign-up for tutoring
 - Mrs. Teeters will organize a schedule for the tutoring session (specific days to report) with the student and the tutors
 - Students and families may also email Mrs. Teeters at rteeters@huntsd.org

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.)
- **Communication:** Students will sign-in during each tutoring session. Students/Teachers will communicate with tutors about expectations and feedback with an exit slip
- **Sign-Up/Referral Processes**
 - See Mrs. Ramona Teeters in the HS to sign-up for tutoring
 - Mrs. Teeters will organize a schedule for the tutoring session (specific days to report) with the student and the tutors, as needed
 - Students and families may also email Mrs. Teeters at rteeters@huntsd.org
 - Students are still able to report to after school tutoring on an as needed basis. Students should come prepared with materials

Option 3: Virtual Tutoring and Mentoring

PALS Program

“Preparing All Learners for Success”

Virtual Tutoring & Mentoring Provided by Juniata College



Juniata College students will provide group tutoring and mentoring for K-12 students in local school districts. We will be working with students remotely through Zoom. During the tutoring/mentoring sessions, K-12 students will have the opportunity to receive help with homework, to read out loud, or have a buddy/mentor to check in with them. Subject-specific tutors will also be available for the middle and high school levels. At the end of each session, tutors/mentors will send a progress report to teachers, as well as parents/guardians. There is no cost to participate in this program.

Contact Sarah Worley at worley@juniata.edu for additional questions. Scan the QR-Code or use this link <https://forms.gle/AMAYpbzXnnGrcZ86> to fill out the permission form.



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.

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

