

James Bowie High School

Pride In Performance *

Wednesday, February 27, 2019

Greetings Bulldog Nation,

Our counseling teams have been working with students in grades 9, 10, and 11 to help them choose their courses for next year. Here is a <u>link</u> to the Naviance email sent out to these students earlier this month. Students should bring their signed course sheets and charged Chromebook on Thursday, February 28, 2019. They will enter their courses into Teams Self-Serve, and turn in their choice sheets to their 5th period teacher. The make up course entry day will be Friday, March 1, during FIT in the library. Counselors plan to meet with all 9th - 11th graders during the month of March to review their course selections and answer any questions students may have about their classes for individual 10-minute meetings. Parents and students will be getting an appointment time emailed to them. Parents are welcome to attend, but it is not a requirement. Feel free to contact your child's counselor with any questions.

Senior Honors Night is a new event starting at James Bowie High School this year. This event will be held on Wednesday, May 1, 2019, at 7:00 pm. Seniors who are receiving an award will receive an invitation in mid-April. Possible awards that seniors may receive are Department Excellence Awards, where every department will award an allotted number of seniors who have demonstrated academic excellence, but also passion for the learning in that discipline. Another award is the Pride in Performance Award, where every teacher and staff member has the opportunity to award one senior who exemplifies respect, leadership, character and pride for James Bowie High School. We are excited to start this new tradition at Bowie, and it is time to celebrate all of the accomplishments of the wonderful Class of 2019!

The Bowie PTSA launched Build Up Bowie 2019 this week! Our goal is to raise at least \$10,000 to support new security equipment. Our community of Bowie families and area businesses are invited to learn more at www.bowieptsa.org/buildupbowie. Because of the generosity of our community, we began the campaign with nearly \$2,500 toward our goal! Thank you and let's continue to Build Up Bowie!

Please be reminded that Thursday, March 7, 2019, is a late start for students. Bowie will be closed for Spring Break from Monday, March 18, through Friday, March 22, 2019. The end of the 5th 6 Weeks grading period is the following Friday, March 29!

Sincerely,

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