



Bobcat Connection

"Education is the most powerful weapon which you can use to change the world."
- Nelson Mandela

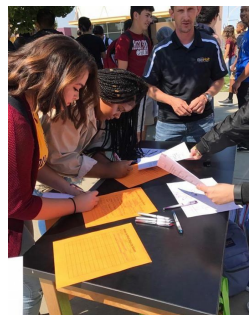
It's hard to believe that the first term has already come to an end. We started out this school year with tons of excitement and ready to embrace it with great passion. We are thankful for our families and we are very appreciative of your ongoing support. - BHA

Saturday School

Thank you to the families who attended the first Saturday School of the year. We had a wonderful turnout and we are truly thankful for the effort you put forward each year to help us thrive.

Club Rush

Club Rush was an awesome opportunity for students to engage in school culture. Many students signed up for clubs for the first time and are having a great time attending meetings. Students reported that they had no idea how many great clubs were offered at Holt prior to attending Club Rush.



Eclipse

Being able to see the Solar Eclipse together as a community will be forever remembered by staff and students. Thank you Luis Anaya, who is both a BHA student and an employee of World of Wonders, for reserving enough glasses to allow students to view the eclipse.



International Food Night

International Food Night was once again, a great success. Thank you to Ms. Zimzores and to Student Council for continuing the tradition of celebrating the diversity of BHA.



Freshman Family Luncheon

Wow! What an awesome event! We were so excited to see all of our Freshman families join us for the family luncheon. The students were so happy to have lunch with their parents. It was a great way to wind down the term. Thank you to all who came out to participate!



College Visits

An admission counselor from Dominican University came to BHA to conduct a college workshop for interested students. This was a great experience for our students who were not only interested in exploring local bay area schools, but who also wanted to learn about the admission process in general.

College Fairs

Two college fairs were offered this term. One was hosted by Lodi Unified and the second by Delta College. As an Aspire graduation milestone, Juniors and Seniors are required to attend at least one college fair per year to explore the endless opportunities of post-secondary success!

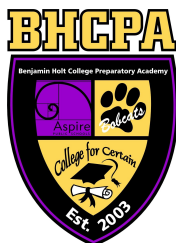
Social Media

- Instagram @AspireBenHolt
- Facebook @AspireBenHolt
- Twitter @Aspire_BenHolt

Looking Ahead

10/9- SLC Rollout in Advisory
10/10- Class Color Day
10/18- Visit from Swarthmore College
(sign ups are listed on our website)
10/25- Senior College Visit to CSU Chico & UC Davis
10/26- Visit from UOP
10/27- Bobcat Pride Day
10/30-11/3 Homecoming week
11/1- Blood Drive on campus
11/1- Content Night
11/3- Homecoming Dance
11/6-11/17 Turkey Drive
11/8- Senior college visit to St. Mary's College of California & UC Berkeley
11/9- Visit from CSU Stanislaus
11/10- No School
12/8- Sophomore Family Luncheon

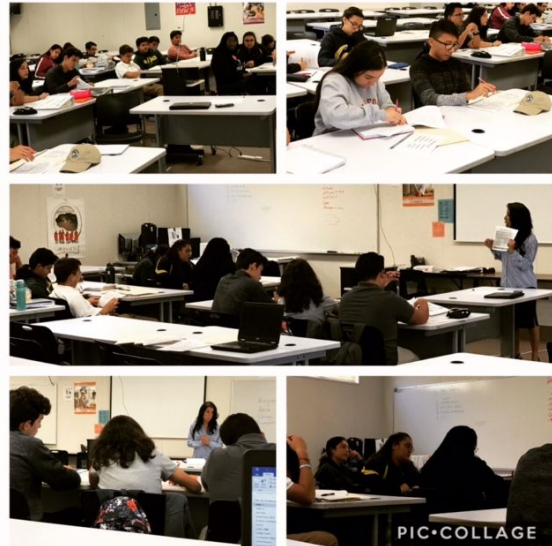
*Please visit our school website and/or ParentSquare for more upcoming dates.



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UC Workshop

Ms. Lazo conducted a workshop this term to explain the "ins & outs" of the UC system. This was an excellent workshop that informed students of what to expect during the application process.



Wednesday Workshops

We are excited to announce that Wednesday Workshops kicked off this term. Workshops are held every Wednesday after school until 4:00. Workshops are split between Math, English, and Exhibition support. Each room has a teacher and Student Academic Mentors to ensure that students receive the support they need to be successful. All students are welcome! For any questions, please reach out to Mrs. Holtz at

Nanci.Holtz@aspirepublicschools.org.

Volunteer Opportunities

Attention all parents! Are you interested in volunteering? BHA is looking for parents who are interested in helping at sporting events, on-campus events, book room & Student Union support, teacher special project requests, etc. If you are interested, please pick up a volunteer packet from the front office. Your help and support is appreciated.