



October 20, 2023

End of 1st Quarter

Today marks the end of our 1st quarter. Quarter report cards will be posted to [Progressbook](#) next Friday, October 27. Please note that quarter grades are not permanently recorded on a student transcript; only final semester grades are recorded. Therefore, cumulative and weighted GPA will not be updated until the end of the semester, at the beginning of January.

REMINDER: Schedule Change on Tuesday, October 24, 2023 - PSAT

The PSAT is scheduled to be administered at THS on October 24th. This will require an altered schedule to accommodate the testing. All students taking the PSAT (all of 10th grade and those 11th graders who registered) will report to school as normal. All other students will not report to the building on Tuesday.

- *District busing will operate on its normal schedule on October 24th. Students not leaving at their testing dismissal time will attend study hall in the cafeteria until 2:40.*
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Chipotle Fundraiser to Benefit Ohio Pet Sanctuary

Maria and Nikki, two of our awesome Turpin students, in connection with National Honor Society and Key Club, have organized a Chipotle fundraiser on Sunday, October 22 from 5 - 9pm at the 7630 Beechmont location. 33% of all sales will be donated to the Ohio Pet Sanctuary. Please show [this flyer](#) or use the code **HE93BFE** to order online for pickup.

October is School Safety Month in Ohio

FHSD has been sharing information and tips all month long to raise awareness of School Safety Month and the district's efforts to keep students, staff and visitors safe. You can learn more about [FHSD's overall safety approach](#), get to know our [newest School Resource Officer](#) and discover what this job entails, and understand the different [safety drills and requirements](#) FHSD follows each year. Don't forget to check out the [district social media pages](#) for additional tips and information!

PBIS Excellence in All Nine FHSD Schools

Did you know that all nine FHSD schools were individually recognized by the state of Ohio for excellence in implementing PBIS programs this year?! This is the first time all buildings have received this impressive honor! Positive Behavioral Interventions and Supports is an evidence-based program that has been shown to improve student achievement, student behavior and school climate. [Learn more here.](#)

THIS SATURDAY: Anderson FallFest and Trick-or-Treat Night

Join FHSD and many other local organizations and businesses for FallFest and Trick or Treat Night at Anderson Towne Center on Saturday, October 21! FallFest runs from 3-8 p.m. and from 4-6 p.m. the streetscape will be filled with little ghosts and goblins who can enjoy a daytime trick-or-treat event at the center's businesses and vendor booths. Learn more on the [Anderson Area Chamber of Commerce website here.](#)

Project SEARCH Open Houses

On Nov. 1, Nov. 2 and Nov. 8, Project SEARCH is hosting open houses for families to learn more about their transition to work program for students with disabilities. The immersive

workplace training program combines classroom instruction, career exploration and hands-on learning through actual business partner worksite rotations. Project SEARCH also provides students with disabilities real-life work experience, employability training and skills needed for a successful transition to adult life. Learn more and [view the event flyer by clicking here](#).

FHSD Preschool Open Spots

The Preschool Program has a few Peer Model spaces still open! The program is recognized for its excellence in improving outcomes for children, having received the Five-Star Step Up To Quality Award. Learn more and apply on the [Preschool webpage here](#).

Forest Hills Foundation for Education

15 years | 15 days | \$15,000

Help the Foundation celebrate our 15th anniversary by [making a donation](#) today! Because of your support, over \$80,000 in Teacher Grants were awarded last week and we want to further support our front-line educators, our Forest Hills teachers and staff, along with specific student grants later this year.

For every gift made, it will be matched thanks to the following alumni members:

Bruce Hellman, Turpin, 1978

Michael Brandy, Anderson, 1974

If we reach our goal of \$15,000 – Bruce and Michael will match and get us to \$30,000 (half of the salary for a Child Focus Therapist). [Let's Go!](#)

Important Links

[Turpin Counselor Connection Newsletter](#)

[Senior Scoop](#)

[Turpin Athletics](#)

[Turpin Theatre](#)

[Turpin Orchestra Booster Association](#)

[Forest Hills Bands](#)

[Turpin PTO: Membership](#) & donate to [Staff Appreciation](#)

Turpin Athletic Boosters [Membership](#) & [Sports Passes](#)

Turpin Spirit Shop [hours](#) & [online store](#)

EMERGENCY AND SUPPORT RESOURCES

- If you, your student, or anyone else you know is in a life-threatening health crisis or emergency, call 911.
- If you, your student, or anyone else you know is in emotional distress or experiencing suicidal crisis, call or text 988, available 24/7.
- If you have concerns about threats to student safety, we urge you to call or text the Safer Ohio School Tip Line at 844-SaferOH. This line is staffed 24/7.
- If you are seeking additional resources, we encourage you to start at the links below:
 - [MindPeace](#)

[FHSD Family Resource List 22-23](#)

UPCOMING EVENTS

Tuesday, October 24, 7:00pm: Orchestra "Hauntcert"

Monday, October 30, 7:00pm: Turpin Powderpuff Football

Wednesday, November 1, 6:30pm: Forest Hills Marching Band Celebration (Nagel MS)

Friday, November 3 -- Sunday, November 5: Turpin Theatre presents *The Great Gatsby*

Tuesday, November 7: Election Day; No School for Teacher Professional Development

Tuesday, November 7, 7:00pm: Forest Hills Band Booster Meeting (AHS Band Room)

Wednesday, November 8, 8:30am: Turpin PTO Meeting

Tuesday, November 14, 7:00pm: Turpin Orchestra Booster (TOBA) Meeting