



“The mission of Andover High School is to create an environment in which every student has the opportunity to use his or her mind well to become personally responsible for his or her academic, social, and civic growth and physical growth and physical well-being.”

WEEKLY UPDATE: MARCH 8, 2019

Progress Reports for 9th graders and any student in danger of failing will be posted next week.

TUESDAY, MARCH 12TH: Mandatory student/parent Spring Athletic Meeting: 6:00 pm in the Dunn Gym

FRIDAY, MARCH 15TH: Early Release Day: Release time: 10:50 pm

PEER MEDIATION

Attention all **freshmen and sophomores**: Are you a good listener who often finds yourself helping your friends solve their problems or conflicts? Please consider applying to be an **AHS Peer Mediator**! The purpose of Peer Mediation is to provide a safe environment for students to discuss their conflicts and come to a peaceful resolution. Our goal is to reduce the amount of bullying and harassment in our school. **Please pick up an application in the Guidance**

Please go to the Athletic link below for all updates on the tournament games this weekend.

Link for Athletic activities/games

<https://www.merrimackvalleyconference.org/public/genie/264/school/2/>

For Information on Clubs please click the link below or go to the Andover Public Schools website. Click on schools; find Andover High School and the link for the clubs is on the left side of the page.

<http://www.aps1.net/305/Clubs-Activities>

**Do you like the idea of having a made-to-order sandwich for lunch, but don't want to wait in that long deli line? Download the app Web Menus from google play or the app store and have your sandwich waiting for you! Visit our Facebook at Andover School Nutrition, or see the posters around the cafeteria for details.*

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JOB OPPORTUNITIES

College Open Houses:

- Salve Regina University Open Houses - **April 28th**. To register go to: salve.edu/visit

Work Shops/Summer Programs/Other:

- Dean Audition Season and Theatre - **March 30**, 2019. dean.edu/auditions
- Study Hall Sessions available at Konjoian Education Center, contact info@kojoianeducationcenter.com
- University of Southern California Summer Programs - 4 and 2 week courses. **June - July**. For more info. And to apply visit: summer.usc.edu
- Pre-College at Skidmore - **June. 30th - Aug. 3rd**. Liberal and Studio Arts. Visit: www.skidmore.edu/precollege/
- Summerfuel - Fuel Your Summer - Unique Summer Program for Curious Students. Visit: summerfuel.com
- BU Pre-College Summer Programs - Visit: bu.edu/summer/highschool for more information
- Washington University in St. Louis - Summer Experiences. Visit: summerexperiences.wustl.edu

Newly Released Scholarships and Other Opportunities (See Naviance for all detailed information):

- Andover Fire Fighters Local 1658 Scholarship - **Deadline, April 5, 2019**. Applications available in the Guidance Office. You DO NOT need to have an Andover Fire Fighter legacy to apply.
- Lawrence Vietnam Memorial Scholarship - **Deadline: May 4th**
- St. Alfio Scholarship - **Deadline April 30th** - Applications in Guidance
- Rick Starkweather Scholarship - Criteria: Family Hardship - **Deadline, April 1st**. Application available in the Guidance Office

- Barbara Fowler Pennick Band, Music Scholarship - **Deadline March 31st** - pick up application in the Guidance Office
- Massachusetts Broadcasters Association Scholarship - **Deadline April 13th**. Download application at: MassBroadcasters.org/scholarship or pick up an application in the Guidance Office
- The Merrimack Valley Chapter of the American Association of Critical Care Nurses (AACN) Scholarship - **Deadline April 15th**, pick up applications in the Guidance Office
- The Joe Cleres Memorial Scholarship Program - Deadline: **March 15th** - Applications available in the Guidance Office
- Merrimack Valley Partners in Service - Deadline: **March 22nd** Applications are available in the Counseling Office. They are also available at the website: <http://mvpinservice.webs.com/2018-scholarship-award>
- Lawrence Ladies Lodge #2026 - **Deadline April 1st** - Applications available in the Guidance Office
- Andover Rotary Scholarship - **Deadline April 2nd** - Applications available in the Guidance Office
- Andover American Legion Post 8 - **Deadline March 30th** - Applications available in the Guidance Office
- And Country Day School, Inc. (Formerly St. Robert's Country Day School) - Deadline: **April 4th by 2:00 PM**
- Richard J. Collins Memorial Scholarship - **Deadline, March 14, 2019**
- Methuen Sons and Daughters of Italy Scholarship, Deadline, **March 31, 2019**. Applications available in the Guidance Office

- Digital Arts, Film and Animation Competition - Learn more at: www.rit.edu/NTID/DAFAC
- ESSEX AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY SCHOLARSHIP - **Deadline, April 1, 2019**
- CHARLES E. LARNER FAMILY FOUNDATION & ESSEX AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY SCHOLARSHIP - **Deadline, April 1, 2019**- Applications available in the Guidance Office
- Andover Dollars for Scholars (ADFS) application opening is Dec. 1, 2018. **Deadline is April 1, 2019**. Please be sure to create an online profile before applying for any ADFS scholarships. Students, please note: You need to only fill out one Scholarship Transcript Release form for all ADFS scholarships (forms available in the guidance office).
<http://www.andover.dollarsforscholars.org>
- Colleen E. Ritzer Memorial Scholarship - **Deadline March 15, 2019**. Applications available in the Guidance office or at: <https://colleenritzerscholarship.com/scholarship-fund/apply/>
- Rebekah Assembly of Massachusetts Memorial Scholarship, deadline: **March 15th**. Go to Naviance for more information and pick up an application in the Guidance Office
- Katherine E. Kloss Memorial Scholarship Fund - **Deadline March 15th**. Pick up the application in the Guidance Office.
- **UNICO of Merrimack Valley** is very proud to again, this year, award scholarships to deserving Merrimack Valley area, 4 year college-bound, Italian-American students. **Deadline is March 15th**. Visit: www.unicomerrimackvalley.org
- Krit Kearins Memorial Scholarship Fund - **Deadline: April 1, 2019**. Pick up an application in the Guidance Office

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PROGRESS REPORT DATES:

Quarter 1: Week of October 1 – October 5, 2018

Quarter 2: Week of December 10 – December 14, 2018

Quarter 3: Week of March 4 – March 8, 2019*Please note change**

Quarter 4: Week of May 6 – May 10, 2019

TERM END DATES:

Quarter 1 Ends Wednesday, November 7, 2018

Quarter 2 Ends Thursday, January 24, 2019

Quarter 3 Ends Thursday, April 4, 2019

Quarter 4 Ends Friday, June 14, 2019(no snow days)