

# COLLEGIATE ACADEMY DAILY NEWS

## MONDAY, MAY 5, 2025

### A DAY

## Happy Monday, Everyone!

A DAY-Teacher Appreciation Week  
AP Exams Begin  
Google Form for Prom Tickets Open  
NACLO in 112 from 8-8:30  
Cricut Club in 104 after school  
E-Sports in room 200 from 4-5:30  
GSA Meeting in 112 from 3:50-4:20  
JROTC Color Guard/Drill Team practice 3:50 - 5:00 -East Gym  
Activity Bus #52 arrival for Collegiate/VETS is 3:54-3:56

May is Mental Health Awareness Month. A time to take action raise your voice and help change conversations surrounding mental health. We also celebrate it to reduce stigma, stress the importance of mental health wellbeing and improve access to care and resources.

There will be a voluntary Algebra Keystone booster available after school in room 204 from 3:50-4:50. The dates will be on May 6<sup>th</sup> and May 13<sup>th</sup>. This is a great refresher for those taking the Algebra Keystone in May.

Prom is coming up soon on Friday, May 16<sup>th</sup>, at the Bayfront Convention Center from 7-10pm. The Google Form for ticket sales will be open from 4/29-5/6 at 4pm on Schoology. The online ticket sales will be from 5/8-5/15 at 4pm. Remember that you will receive an email confirmation if you fill out the google form correctly. Tickets are \$30.

Any senior interested in anchoring on King TV with us or with a senior friend before you graduate, can sign up with Ms. Parthenakis in room 216. On the day you anchor, you have to be here by 8:10 AM and wear any color but green.

Hey Ladies! The Senior vs. Junior Powderpuff football game is here again. The game will be **Friday, May 23rd at 7PM** in Vets Stadium. The whole school is welcome to attend. There will \$3 donation entry fee at the gate.

Seniors, you need a cap and gown in order to participate in graduation on May 31st. If you have not done so, please go to [www.jostens.com](http://www.jostens.com) and order your cap and gown unit. The basic package is \$47 and the price will be increasing shortly.

Are you looking to improve your grades? Are you having trouble keeping up or understanding the material in one of your classes? Do you need help with a specific assignment? Trying to catch up after missing a few days of school? Come to Peer Tutoring! Peer tutoring has moved locations and is now located in **Room 119 after school on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 3:40 to 4:40**. No appointment necessary! Come give it a try.

Activity Bus #52 arrival for Collegiate/VETS Stadium (26th Street Horseshoe) is 3:54. It will depart at 3:56pm.

Looking for a book to read during the spring? Stop by the Little Lion Library, outside the cafeteria. You can keep the book if you'd like, or return it for someone else to enjoy. Donations are also accepted.

The N.A.C.L.O (North American Computational Linguistics Open) is back! With upcoming competitions, we will hold practice sessions every **Monday morning** during homeroom in Mr. Freed's classroom, room **112**. For any additional questions contact Mr. Freed, Silvia Kang, or Ayush Bharath. All are welcome!

E-Sports will be held in room **200 from 4-5:30pm every Monday**. See Mr. Olszewski with questions.

Collegiate's Gay-Straight Alliance will be meeting in **Room 112** this year, on **Mondays from 3:50-4:20**. Everyone is welcomed and appreciated, no matter where they are on the rainbow. Hope to see you there!

Attention students who love to make crafts and customize personal items! Mrs. Smith & Ms. Ulmer are starting a Cricut Club! We will be meeting after school on **Mondays in room 104**.

Attention Collegiate Academy, interested in healthcare? Want to go into the Medical Field? Please plan on attending the Informational meeting for HOSA or Healthcare Occupation Students of America. It will be in **Room 115 at 8:10 am on Tuesdays**. For any further questions please contact Asheen Udgeri @ [544589@eriesd.org](mailto:544589@eriesd.org).

Are you interested in learning how to create websites and apps from scratch? Join the new Coding Club! Whether you're a beginner or have some experience, this club will guide you step-by-step in web development, covering everything you need to know. **Tuesdays, from 4:00-4:45 pm in Room 200** (Mr. Olszewski's room). All students are welcome! If you have any questions, please email Lueth Dau at [374454@eriesd.org](mailto:374454@eriesd.org) for more details. Don't miss this opportunity to gain valuable skills and work on real-world projects. We look forward to seeing you there!

Are you creative? Do you like to try new thing? If so, then we have the club for you. Join us after school in room **10** on **Wednesdays** for Art Club.

"If you are interested in helping to make our school a more welcoming place for female students or learning more about feminism, you should check out the Feminist Student Union! FSU will meet every **Wednesday after school** in Ms. Balsiger's room, **103 at 3:50PM**. If you have any questions, contact Ms. Balsiger or Penelope King at [580981@eriesd.org](mailto:580981@eriesd.org)."

Are you fascinated by Ancient Rome? Do you love Latin? Then the NJCL Latin Honor Society is perfect for you! Join us in **room 112**, Mr. Freed's room, on **Wednesdays at 8:10AM**. For more information, contact Ellie Lichtinger, Silvia Kang, or Mr. Freed. We hope to see you there!

Want to get more involved within Collegiate? Join Current Event Club! Current Event Club brings awareness to events happening in today's society. By joining this club, you can help in the small ways you can from within our school. There will be meetings on **Wednesdays in room 109 from 3:50-4:15**.

Collegiate Academy's Student Investment Club is here! Students will learn investment strategies, work together, and even compete in national competitions. Financial literacy is essential for everyone, no matter your career! Don't miss future meetings on **Thursdays at 3:45 in Mr. Woj.'s room 203**! The Student Investment Club is where YOUR financial future begins!

"Future Business Leaders of America" is welcoming new and returning members for their first meeting **Thursday in room 22 from 3:50 to 4:20 pm**. They'll be discussing sign-ups and competitive events, so make sure to stop by if interested! If you have any questions, make sure to contact Mr. Wright, Kiara Saldanha, or Nandi Pedro. We can't wait for another amazing year!

Thursday Model UN Club Morning Meeting: The Collegiate Academy Model United Nations (UN) Club will be holding their weekly club meeting in **room 105** (Mr. Hood's room) from **8 am - 8:30 am**. The club's meetings will take place every Thursday morning school is in session, starting on **Thursday: September 12th, 2024 - Thursday: May 29th, 2025**. Come join the Model UN club and see what all the excitement is about!

If you are interested in poetry or writing in general, come down to Mr. Pham's room **109** for poetry club! Meetings will be held every **Thursday** morning from **8:00-8:30!**

The Dungeons & Dragons Club will be meeting on **Fridays** in **room 108**, from the end of school until 5:00.

Weight Lifting Club will be on **Fridays in the Weight Room** after school.

## Coming Soon

- \*5/7-School Nurse Appreciation Day
- \*5/8 Spring Instrumental Concert at 7:00pm in the Auditorium
  - \*5/10-Incoming Freshman Auditions
    - \*5/12-Blood Drive
    - \*5/12Biology Keystones Start
    - \*5/13-Spring Jazz Concert-7pm
    - \*5/15-Spring Choral Concert-7pm
    - \*5/16-Collegiate Prom 7-10pm