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Check out our new IDEA Mission College Prep Facebook page: https://www.facebook.com/IDEA-Mission-134816559915889/ or simply search for IDEA Mission on Facebook.

Don't forget to Like our page!!!

Important Notice
Parents, please be aware that students are expected to follow dress code every day. IDEA dress code includes black shoes, a black belt, and a tucked in shirt tail. If you are having difficulty in obtaining the appropriate dress code, please reach out to your child’s grade team leader. Contact information can be found in the first Parent Weekly of August.

Thank you,
Phoenix Staff

Next meeting on Oct. 18!
Location: Library
Time: 6pm – 7pm

*Reminder: All tutoring schedules and teacher contacts are posted on the first Parent Weekly!
Dear parents,

Reading is an integral part of our culture here at IDEA Mission. Students are encouraged to have a book with them at all times and to read at least 30 minutes every day. Students are already reading for 15 minutes during homeroom, but we need your help once students get home. Have your son or daughter read once other homework is complete, and ask them questions about what they are reading. By encouraging your child to read at home, you are helping to increase your child’s chance of success in school, college, and beyond.

Thank you for your involvement!

Kodie Lane  
Reading and Research Center Facilitator  
IDEA Mission College Prep

11th Grade Team Announcements

The Junior Class will be hosting a Chuck E Cheese’s Phoenix Night Out to help raise funds for our Field Lesson to Chicago! Chuck E Cheese’s donates 15% of the sales generated from this event to our grade level. Friends and family members are encouraged to help support this event.  

Location: Chuck E Cheese’s, Palms Crossing, 3300 W Expressway 83 (McAllen)  
Event Date: Thursday, September 29th  
Time: 3:00 pm - 9:00 pm
HELLO PARENTS OF CLASS OF 2017 AND CLASS OF 2018!:
IDEA has received another opportunity to offer an official ACT exam, free of charge to all the Juniors and Seniors. We believe this is a great chance for our students to raise their scores and open up doors to some amazing universities and financial aid offers.

The ACT

SEPT. 27
ACT EXAM

Your students have been working very hard preparing for this exam and we hope you have heard all about it from them. Your students will be sitting for this exam on Tuesday, Sept. 27, and I believe that with your help, we can set them up for great success!! Please make sure your 11th or 12th grader gets plenty of sleep on Monday and has time for a great breakfast either at home or here at school. One last thing, don’t underestimate a few words of courage that morning. Just these little things can make a huge difference on their testing performance.

All 9th and 10th graders will be taking an ACT Benchmark on this date as well. Come prepared!
Middle School Student of the Week

Middle school teachers have selected the following students for their exemplary behavior and actions.

6th grade team awards Valeria Lozano the student of the week award. Aside from always being on task and working hard in class, she has shown Team and Family by always going out of her way to help with classmates without being asked to do so.

8th grade team chooses: Valeria Hernandez this student has displayed closing the achievement gap by achieving perfect scores in multiple exams across the board, especially in Algebra class which is considered a high school course. She is always willing to lend a helping hand to a struggling student and to her teachers.
High School Student of the Week
High school teachers have selected the following students for their exemplary behavior and actions.

The student that was chosen by the 10th Grade Team is, Alexis Luna. Alexis has been a phenomenal student willing to help his fellow classmates, exhibiting Team and Family and giving it 100% every day. Alexis would like to attend Baylor University with a possible focus in the medical field. His favorite hobbies include playing any sports or being outdoors in general, which is why Team Sports is one of his favorite class because it allows him to play sports.

This week our 11th grade team would like to nominate Andrea Villicana for her Whatever It Takes attitude to ensure her success in her PreCal PreAp Class.
Early release for students this Friday, Sept. 23rd!

Last chance!!
Didn’t buy last year’s College prep yearbook? Here is your chance!

Yearbooks*:

* limited number of copies available. First come, first serve.

RESERVE YOUR
2016-2017 YEARBOOK NOW!

$20 will reserve your copy

Questions?
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Yearbook Adviser
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Message from our APO:

Greetings Phoenix Family,

Progress reports will be given to your child on September 23rd and every 3 weeks thereafter, thank you for your commitment to IDEA Mission.
10th Grade Parent Meeting

Dear parents, the 10th Grade Team would like to invite you to attend our very first parent meeting. The meeting will be on Monday, September 12th, 2016 from 6:00pm-7:00pm in the Reading and Resource Center (RRC).

Estimados padres, el equipo del 10º grado les invita a asistir a su primera junta de padres, este próximo lunes 12 de septiembre de las 6:00pm a las 7:00pm en la biblioteca de la escuela (RRC).
Sports and Events

Fall Sports Schedule:

**Varsity Volleyball Schedule**
Tuesday, September 20th – Away v. IDEA Pharr @ 7:00
Wednesday, September 21st – Away v. S. Texas Christ. @ 6:00*
Thursday, September 26th – Home v. Macedonia @ 5:30*
Tuesday, September 27th – Home v. IDEA San Juan @ 7:00
Friday, September 30th – Away v. IDEA Edinburg @ 7:00
Tuesday October 4th Away v. IDEA McAllen @ 7:00
Thursday, October 6th Away v. BETA @ 6:00*

**JV Volleyball Schedule**
Wednesday, September 21st – Home v. IDEA Edinburg – 6:00 p.m.
Saturday, September 24th – Home v. IDEA Donna (light) – 10:00 a.m.
Thursday, September 26th – Home v. Macedonia @ 5:30*
Saturday, October 8th – Home v. IDEA San Juan – 10:00 a.m.

Friday, October 7th Home v IDEA Pharr @7:00
* Non-district game

**8th Grade Volleyball Schedule**
Saturday, September 3rd Tournament @ IDEA Weslaco TBD

**Regular Schedule:**
Tuesday, September 20th – Away v. IDEA Pharr @ 6:00
Tuesday, September 27th – Home v. IDEA San Juan @ 6:00
Friday, September 30th – Away v. IDEA Edinburg @ 6:00
Tuesday October 4th Away v. IDEA McAllen @ 6:00
Friday, October 7th Home v IDEA Pharr @ 6:00

**6th/7th Grade Volleyball Schedule**
Saturday, September 24th – Home v. IDEA Pharr 9:00 a.m.
Wednesday, September 28th – Home v. IDEA McAllen 6:00 p.m.
Saturday, October 1st – Home v. Alamo 10:00 a.m.
Saturday, October 8th – Away v. IDEA North Mission 10:00 a.m.
Varsity Flag Football Schedule*
Tuesday, September 20th – Away v. IDEA Pharr @ 6:00
Tuesday, September 27th – Away v. IDEA San Juan @ 6:00
Friday, September 30th – Away v. IDEA Edinburg @ 6:00
Tuesday, October 4th – Away v. IDEA McAllen @ 6:00
Friday, October 7th Away v. IDEA Pharr @ 6:00

JV Flag Football Schedule*
Saturday, September 3rd – Away v. IDEA Brownsville @ 10:00 a.m.
Wednesday, September 21st – Away v. IDEA McAllen @ 6:00 p.m.
Saturday, September 24th – Away v. IDEA Edinburg @ 10:00 a.m.
Wednesday, September 28th – Away v. IDEA Donna @ 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday, October 5th – Away v. IDEA Weslaco @ 6:00 p.m.
Saturday, October 8th Away v. IDEA San Benito @ 10:00 a.m.

8th Grade Flag Football Schedule*
Thursday, September 22nd – Away v. IDEA Pharr @ 6:00
Monday, September 26th – Away v. IDEA North Mission @ 6:00
Thursday, September 29th – Away v. IDEA McAllen @ 6:00
Monday, October 3rd – Away v. IDEA Edinburg @ 6:00

6th/7th Flag Football Schedule*
Saturday, September 24th – Away v. IDEA Edinburg @ 9:00 a.m.
Saturday, October 1st – Away v. IDEA North Mission @ 10:00 p.m.
Saturday, October 8th Away v. IDEA Alamo @ 10:00 a.m.

*Please make note that all flag football games will be away due to the renovations that are taking place on our home field.
# Cross Country Meet Schedule

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*Note: *September 24th, October 1st, October 8th, October 22nd, November 5th

If you have any questions please contact Coach Henderson at (956)369-3898
Dear Parents,
We would like to inform you that we will begin Mariachi and Drum line THIS WEEK! Please remind your children if they were in Mariachi last year, to bring their instruments with them. If they decide not to participate this year, please return to Mr. Fuentes, 21st Century Coordinator. Busses will be available. You may reach him at 956-518-0877. Thank you and hope to see you next week!

Julian Fuentes
21st Century Coordinator
IDEA Mission

I would like to announce that we will be having a theatre group after school on Thursdays. Please sign up with Ms. Costigan, Room E119. We need actors, directors, set and costume designers, as well as makeup people. This is open to all high school students.

LuAnn Costigan,
AP Eng. Lit.