



# Semester 2, Week 15

April 22nd - 28th, 2024

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## This Week's Events:

### Monday, April 22nd:

- 4 PM - 7 PM: Color Guard Clinic, day 1
- 5:30 PM: Softball hosts Lakeway Christian JV to Follow
- 6 PM: Baseball hosts Lenoir City (District)
- 6 PM: Soccer @ Lenoir City

### Tuesday, April 23rd:

- EOC Testing
  - During Math Block: Algebra I, part 1
  - During Math Block: Geometry, part 1
  - During Math Block: Algebra II, part 1
  - Regular School Day, All Students Attend*
- 4 PM - 7 PM: Color Guard Clinic, day 2
- 6 PM: Baseball @ South Doyle (District)
- 6 PM: Softball hosts Hardin Valley (Senior Night) JV to Follow

### Wednesday, April 24th:

- EOC Testing (4-Block Day)
  - Block 1, 2, 3 & 5 In-Class: Algebra I, part 2
  - 4th Block: See Your Math Teacher
  - Block 1, 2, 3 & 5 In-Class: Geometry, part 2
  - 4th Block: See Your Math Teacher
  - Block 1, 2, 3 & 5 In-Class: Algebra II, part 2
  - 4th Block: See Your Math Teacher
  - 4-Block School Day, All Students Attend*
- 4 PM - 5:30 PM: Color Guard Clinic, day 3
- 6 PM: Baseball @ Loudon (District)

### Thursday, April 25th:

- EOC Testing (4-Block Day)
  - Block 1, 2, 3 & 5 In-Class: Algebra I, part 3
  - 4th Block: See Your Math Teacher
  - Block 1, 2, 3 & 5 In-Class: Geometry, part 3
  - 4th Block: See Your Math Teacher
  - Block 1, 2, 3 & 5 In-Class: Algebra II, part 3
  - 4th Block: See Your Math Teacher
  - 4-Block School Day, All Students Attend*
- 7:45 AM: FCA Meeting in the Library
- 4 PM - 7 PM: Color Guard Tryouts
- 5:30 PM: Softball @ William Blount
- 6 PM: Baseball hosts Sequoyah (District)
- 7:15 PM: JV Baseball vs. Alcoa @ William Blount (JV Tournament)
- 7:30 PM: Lacrosse @ Bearden

### Friday, April 26th:

- 3:15 PM: Football Manager Interest Meeting in Commons Area
- 4 PM: Track & Field @ Maryville Last Chance Meet (at Coulter Grove)
- Softball hosts Friday Night Triple Header
- 5 PM: Heritage vs. Walker Valley
- 7 PM: Walker Valley vs. Morristown East

## General Announcements

**End-Of-Course (EOC) Testing is HERE:** EOC testing began last week! The following courses require students to take an End-of-Course (EOC) exam and will be given on the following dates/times. If you have questions regarding an EOC test, please contact your student's EOC teacher or your grade level administrator.

- **Algebra I Testing:**
  - Part 1, Tuesday, April 23rd, during regular math block
  - Part 2, Wednesday, April 24th, 4-block day, see your math teacher regarding your test time
  - Part 3, Thursday, April 25th, 4-block day, see your math teacher regarding your test time
- **Geometry Testing:**
  - Part 1, Tuesday, April 23rd, during regular math block
  - Part 2, Wednesday, April 24th, 4-block day, see your math teacher regarding your test time
  - Part 3, Thursday, April 25th, 4-block day, see your math teacher regarding your test time
- **Algebra II Testing:**
  - Part 1, Tuesday, April 23rd, during regular math block
  - Part 2, Wednesday, April 24th, 4-block day, see your math teacher regarding your test time
  - Part 3, Thursday, April 25th, 4-block day, see your math teacher regarding your test time

**Testing Calendar:** Below is the full testing calendar for specialized testing for the remainder of the 2023-2024 school year. If you have questions regarding any testing please reach out to [Holly.Whitehead@blountk12.org](mailto:Holly.Whitehead@blountk12.org).

APRIL & MAY		SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
		14	15	16	17	18	19	20
				8:30 - 11 AM English I, part 1* English II, part 1* 1:30 - 3:30 PM Biology* <small>*Only testing students on campus</small>		8:30 - 11 AM English I, part 2* English II, part 2* 1:30 - 3:30 PM English I, part 3* English II, part 3* <small>*Only testing students on campus</small>		
		21	22	23	24	25	26	27
				5-Block Day Algebra I, part 1 Geometry, part 1 Algebra II, part 1 <small>Students test in their regular Math block</small>	4-Block Day Algebra I, part 2 Geometry, part 2 Algebra II, part 2 <small>Students test in their Math block; 4th block students see teacher</small>	4-Block Day Algebra I, part 3 Geometry, part 3 Algebra II, part 3 <small>Students test in their Math block; 4th block students see teacher</small>		
		28	29	30	1	2	3	4
					SDC US History 1st & 2nd Block Students 8:30 to 11 AM SDC Psychology 1:00 - 3:30 PM	SDC US History 3rd, 4th, & 5th Block Students, 8:30 to 11 AM		
		5	6	7	8	9	10	11
			AP US Gov't. 7:45 AM - 12 PM	AP Human Geog. 7:45 AM - 12 PM AP Seminar 11:45 AM - 3 PM AP Statistics 11:45 AM - 3 PM	AP English Liter. 7:45 AM - 12 PM	AP Psychology 11:45 AM - 3 PM	AP US History 7:45 AM - 12 PM	
		12	13	14	15	16	17	18
			AP Calculus AB & BC 7:45 AM - 12 PM AP Precalculus 11:45 AM - 3 PM	AP English Lang. 7:45 AM - 12 PM Final Exams Blocks 2 & 4	AP Comp. Sci. 11:45 AM - 3 PM Final Exams Blocks 1, 3, & 5	AP Biology 11:45 AM - 3 PM Final Exams Makeups Dir./Course Note Req'd.	AP Physics 1 7:45 AM - 12 PM	

**TESTING CALENDAR 2024**

- 9 PM: Heritage vs. Morristown East
- 6 PM: Baseball @ Anderson Co.
- 6 PM: JV Baseball hosts Greenback (JV Tournament)
- 6:30 PM: Soccer hosts Bearden (District)
- 7 PM: Heritage Singers present "Shrek the Musical" ([click here to buy tickets](#))

#### Saturday, April 27th:

- 12 PM: Lacrosse @ Knox Catholic
- 5 PM: JV Baseball hosts Seymour (JV Tournament)
- 6 PM: Heritage Singers present "Shrek the Musical" ([click here to buy tickets](#))

#### Sunday, April 28th:

- No Events Scheduled

## Important Dates & Upcoming Events:

- **SDC Testing, Day 1:**  
Wednesday, May 1  
US History 8:30 AM, block 1 & 2 students  
Psychology 1:00 PM, all blocks
- **SDC Testing, Day 2:**  
Thursday, May 2  
US History 8:30 AM, block 3, 4, 5 students
- **Last Day for Seniors:**  
Friday, May 3rd
- **Baccalaureate Service:**  
Thursday, May 9th, 6 PM  
@ East Maryville Baptist Church
- **Graduation:**  
Friday, May 10th, 7 PM  
(rain dates: 5/11 & 5/12)
- **S2 Final Exams:**  
Tue., May 14th, & Wed., May 15th
- **End of Q4, S2:**  
Friday, May 17th
- **Senior Portraits (24-25)**  
Wed., May 23rd, 9 AM to 1 PM  
Thu., May 24th, 9 AM to 1 PM  
Fri., May 25th, 9 AM to 1 PM
- **Registration Day (24-25)**  
Monday, July 22nd  
10:00 to 11:30 AM: Seniors  
11:30 AM to 1 PM: Juniors  
4:00 to 5:30 PM: Sophomores  
5:30 to 7:00 PM: Freshmen
- **Orientation Day for Freshmen (24-25)**  
Thursday, July 25th  
8:30 AM to 12:00 PM (no bus transportation; students only)
- **1st Day of School (24-25)**  
Wednesday, July 31st



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**Summer School applications are now live!** If students have failed graduation requirements, summer school credit recovery is a great opportunity to get back on track for graduation! Summer School will take place on Heritage High School's campus from 8 AM to 1 PM, May 28th through June 18th. Students and families can apply at: [bit.ly/2024hhssummerschool](http://bit.ly/2024hhssummerschool). Families or students can reach out to the summer school coordinator, Ms. Amanda Lawhorn with any questions.

**Football Managers Wanted for Fall 2024:** If you are interested in being a football manager, please attend a meeting on Friday, April 26 at 3:15 in the Commons Area. The meeting will cover manager responsibilities and is open to anyone interested, especially students involved in the AV program and those who want to be directly involved with the football program. TEAM MGRS will get ALL Benefits of a team member Nike Gear, meals, & sideline access on gameday. Please reach out to Coach Osovet or Ms. Sherman if you have any questions.

**Would you like to design the OFFICIAL CLASS OF ## shirts for your grade level for next year?** Student Council is excited to bring shirt designs to the entire student body. Shirt designs should include the year of graduation, a clear connection to HHS Climb, and be submitted digitally with no more than 3 colors. More information will be available next week on Google Classroom grade level pages.

**Interested in Joining the HHS Color Guard for 2024-2025?** Here's all the info!  
**Color Guard Clinics for the 2024 Fall Marching Season @ HHS Band Room:**

- Monday, April 22nd (4:00 - 7:00 PM)
- Tuesday, April 23rd (4:00 - 7:00 PM)
- Wednesday, April 24th (4:00 - 5:30 PM)

**Color Guard tryouts @ HHS Band Room:**

- Thursday, April 25th (4:00 - 7:00 PM)

Please come in athletic clothes and shoes, bring water and snacks! Join us for fun, excitement and Friday Night Lights! Questions? Please reach out to Leza Carver: [leza.carver@blountk12.org](mailto:leza.carver@blountk12.org)

**FCA Meets Every Thursday at 7:45 AM:** Come join FCA in the Library on Thursdays at 7:45 AM as we begin a New Year. Our Student Huddle leaders will be sharing a devotional each week. Breakfast is served, and all are welcome!

**\$500 A Month...Any Takers?** Did you know that Heritage students who take AFJROTC 3 semesters and join the military will earn over \$500 more a month by coming in as an E-3 vs E-1? Oh, by the way...students who take 4 semesters of AFJROTC earn a total of 7 credits for graduation. 4 Elective Credits; 1.5 PE/Wellness; .5 Personal Finance; and 1 Government Credit. WOW!

**Avflight is Hiring!** Avflight is seeking candidates to join its Ramp & Ticketing Agent team at the Knoxville McGhee Tyson Airport. Do you value a fun and exciting work environment... and the ability to fly for FREE on standby? Then apply today to join the Avflight team. Must be 18 or older to apply. Visit [avflight.com/careers](http://avflight.com/careers) to learn more or contact Sherry Bozzone at 865-341-1091 or [sbozzone@avflight.com](mailto:sbozzone@avflight.com).

**BCS Credit Exam Policy** - Blount County Schools allows students the opportunity to test out of certain graduation requirements by earning a passing score on a comprehensive assessment prior to enrolling in the course. The eligible courses that students may test out of in Blount County Schools are **Economics** and/or **Personal Finance**.

[Credit Exam Procedures](#)

[Credit Exam Request Form](#) - due May 6

## Senior (Class of 2024) Information:

**Important Spring Dates for 12th Graders:**

- 4/29: Pellissippi Next Steps (details below)
- 5/1: SDC Psychology Testing
- 5/3: Last Day for Seniors in good academic standing
- 5/9: 6 PM: Baccalaureate Service
- 5/10: 7 PM: Graduation (rain dates: 5/11 & 5/12)

### Pellissippi Next Steps 4/29

Connie Jo Miller from Pellissippi will be meeting with seniors in the HHS library from 8:30-3:00 who have applied and plan to attend Pellissippi in the Fall 2024 semester. She will assist students in accessing their accounts and scheduling Orientation/Registration meetings to select classes for the Fall semester.

**Graduating with Distinction, Honors, & Laude Groups:** Lists of students who qualify for Graduating with Distinction, Honors, and Laude designation will be posted to the Class of 2024 Google Classroom page as well as on the windows in the Counseling Center. Please check for your name!

- **Distinction** - white hoods free to wear with cap & gown; \$13 to keep
- **Honors** - gold stoles free to wear with cap & gown; \$9 to keep
- **Laude Tassels** - gold for Summa Cum Laude, silver for Magna Cum Laude, royal blue for Cum Laude; free gift from Mr. West

Items can be picked up and paid for in the Counseling Center. **Cash only.** Please bring exact change. If you believe that you qualify for one of these designations but your name is not on the list, please see your counselor to clarify.



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**Cap & Gown Orders:** The early order deadline has passed for Cap & Gown orders, but you can still place your order online at:

- Order at: <https://highschool.herffjones.com/secom/home>
- Enter school name: Heritage High School Maryville, TN > Shop grad products > Grad Gear and Apparel > Last item on the page or call 1(864) 244-0110

**The FAFSA is All New this Year!** Federal student aid has released the NEW FAFSA application. Your senior should have already created his/her account (called an **FSA ID**). Parents must have an account also. If you or your senior have not created an **FSA ID**, please do so NOW using this link: [Create your FSA ID](#) Both student and parent will need accounts to complete the **FAFSA**.

**\$\$\$ Scholarship Season is Here! \$\$\$**

Seniors should check the Class of 2024 GoogleClassroom page regularly throughout the Spring semester!

**Community Service Hours for TNPromise:** 8 hours of community service will be due by July 1 to maintain eligibility for the TNPromise scholarship.

### Junior (Class of 2025) Information:

**Important Spring Dates for 11th Graders:**

- 4/23: EOC Testing for Algebra I, Geometry, & Algebra II
- 4/24: EOC Testing for Algebra I, Geometry, & Algebra II
- 4/25: EOC Testing for Algebra I, Geometry, & Algebra II
- 5/1: SDC US History Testing - blocks 1 & 2 students & Psychology Testing
- 5/2: SDC US History Testing - blocks 3, 4, & 5 students

**Economics and Government will be offered in a summer term from June 3rd - June 12th at Heritage High School!** Students must commit to being present on campus every day of this term, and bus transportation as well as meals will be provided to students. Space for this opportunity is extremely limited! Students and families can apply now at <https://bit.ly/2024HHSEconGov>. Please reach out to the summer school coordinator, Ms. Amanda Lawhorn with any questions.

**Rising Senior Portraits:** Senior Portraits will be on May 22, 23, and 24, 2024 from 9:00-1:00 pm in the HHS Theater. Sign ups for an appointment time will be published next week on the Class of 2025 Google Classroom page. Be on the lookout for it!

### Sophomore (Class of 2026) Information:

**Important Spring Dates for 10th Graders:**

- 4/23: EOC Testing for Algebra I, Geometry, & Algebra II
- 4/24: EOC Testing for Algebra I, Geometry, & Algebra II
- 4/25: EOC Testing for Algebra I, Geometry, & Algebra II
- 5/1: SDC Psychology Testing

### Freshman (Class of 2027) Information

**Important Spring Dates for 9th Graders:**

- 4/23: EOC Testing for Algebra I, Geometry, & Algebra II
- 4/24: EOC Testing for Algebra I, Geometry, & Algebra II
- 4/25: EOC Testing for Algebra I, Geometry, & Algebra II
- 5/1: SDC Psychology Testing

## Need Assistance?

**Reach out to your Grade Level Assistant Principal or School Counselor:**

**Assistant Principals:**

- Mr. Robbie Bennett, Athletics Director, [Robbie.Bennett@blountk12.org](mailto:Robbie.Bennett@blountk12.org)
- Mr. Dexter Day, 9th Grade & 12th Grade, last names H-O, [George.Day@blountk12.org](mailto:George.Day@blountk12.org)
- Mr. Jeff Sherman, 10th Grade & 12th Grade, last names P-Z, [Jeff.Sherman@blountk12.org](mailto:Jeff.Sherman@blountk12.org)
- Mrs. Holly Whitehead, 11th Grade & 12th Grade, last names A-G, [Holly.Whitehead@blountk12.org](mailto:Holly.Whitehead@blountk12.org)

**School Counselors:**

- Mrs. Kayla Walker, 9th Grade, [Kayla.Walker@blountk12.org](mailto:Kayla.Walker@blountk12.org)
- Mrs. Kim Galyon, 10th-12th Grade, last names A-G, [Kimberly.Galyon@blountk12.org](mailto:Kimberly.Galyon@blountk12.org)
- Mrs. Jackie Stryker, 10th-12th Grade, last names H-O, [Jacqueline.Stryker@blountk12.org](mailto:Jacqueline.Stryker@blountk12.org)
- Mr. Isaac Bradshaw, 10th-12th Grade, last names P-Z, [Isaac.Bradshaw@blountk12.org](mailto:Isaac.Bradshaw@blountk12.org)