

# THINK TRINITY.

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Dear Ninth Grade Families:

Congratulations! We are only a little over one month until your student's freshman year ends. As we wrap up this year, you and your student will be participating in many activities that will hopefully leave you with even more great memories of your time at Trinity. Please see below a list of important dates and times for some of these activities.

Even though the school year is almost over, please remind your student that these last few weeks are very important. Grades can suffer when work is not completed and students do not prepare for tests. Please help us to keep your student focused.

From all of us at Trinity, we thank you for your support over these past three years. Trinity is the wonderful place it is because of our students. We are privileged and pleased to have had these students attend school here and wish all of them the very best as they transition into high school.

Blessings,  
Dr. Karen Hollenbeck  
Principal

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- April 12** Graduation pictures will be taken at school (gowns will be worn).
- May 8** Chromebook Return Day--All chromebooks must be turned into Mr. Hines. They will be checked and any damage repair costs will be invoiced to the parent. If you choose to keep your chromebook, the cost is \$150. Final day to turn in Parent Volunteer Hours or be invoiced a fee per missing hour.
- May 17 TESTS.** **LAST SCHOOL DAY FOR 9TH GRADERS WHO ARE NOT REQUIRED TO TAKE SEMESTER TESTS.**
- Students are not required to wear their school uniforms, but should wear clothes they can work in, as this will in part be a day of service work. Graduation practice will be Wednesday morning following the last Mass of the school year. Students will eat lunch on campus and then will leave campus for their service project. They will return for a prayer service at 2:40 p.m. Parents are invited to attend the prayer service.
- May 18** SEMESTER TEST DAY for 9th grade only. All 9th graders who are required to take any semester tests will be given a schedule of testing periods and should report for any necessary tests.
- May 21** Awards Banquet, 5 p.m. All 9th grade students and families are invited to this meal, video celebration of the school year, and award presentation. Student meals will be provided, all others must purchase a ticket for \$10 (form attached). Tag Day guidelines apply for students, church attire is appropriate.
- DVDs of video may be ordered and will be available at graduation, commemorative bricks may be ordered for graduates to be placed in the courtyard, yearbook ads may be ordered to honor graduates in our 2016/17 yearbooks, which will be distributed at Tailgate Trinity in August. All of these are optional (form attached).
- Please note: we need photos of the graduates for the DVD and the yearbook! Pictures to be included should span students' years at Trinity, and optimally should contain more than one student. No selfies will be included! Photos should be emailed to Mrs. Marsh at [tmarsh@trinitycatholicjh.org](mailto:tmarsh@trinitycatholicjh.org), or you can bring them by the office and we can scan them for you.
- May 22** All financial obligations to Trinity must be completed for students to participate in graduation activities and for records to be forwarded to high schools.

**May 23**

GRADUATION MASS 6:30 p.m. in the Activity Center. Students will meet in the school lobby at 6 p.m.