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# Execs Newsletter

## Awesome Parents

Help Us to Encourage, Uplift, Motivate, and Praise our Awesome Senior Executives. Thank you all for attending our 1<sup>st</sup> Parent Meeting. I hope that it was very informative.

Ms. Golden

## Say Cheese!

Senior head photos can be scheduled now through the end of October. It is up to the parent to discuss with the portrait studio which packages you want. There is no sitting fee.

**Star Studio**  
**5687 Mount Moriah Road**  
**901.366.9200**

## Communication Please!!

Parents please, please communicate and ask questions daily with your Senior Execs. They have the information about what is going on, but are failing to inform you about what is needed and what needs immediate attention. The monthly calendars keep you all updated and abreast on things when parents cannot make meetings. So please, moving forward, ask your Senior what is going on.

## Senior News....

I appreciate those that are handling their business thus far. Continue to reach for the stars! You can Achieve!

Seniors don't forget to work strategically towards paying off your debts incurred over the years at MBA. **All debts have to be zeroed out a week before graduation.....**

## Senior News cont...VERY IMPORTANT!!!!

**Seniors are testing today for the ACT Retake. Thank you for taking the extra step and taking advantage of the free ACT Prep classes. The MBA Staff are ready to see the new high scores! Be Encouraged!!**

FAFSA opened up on October 1, 2017~ Please log on and fill out the application!  
Website is: [fafsaed.gov](http://fafsaed.gov) If a site tells you to pay to fill out, THIS IS THE WRONG SITE  
Filling out the fafsa is FREE!

## Herff Jones.....Graduate Service

Hank Sampson will be at the school Thursday, October 26, 2017 at 1:30 pm to take orders for senior 2018 paraphernalia. Minimum deposit is \$60.00. This includes cups, mugs, rings, joggers, etc.

Our contact rep is Hank Sampson  
901.475.6490 or  
hsampson2002@yahoo.com

## Reminders to Students

- Continue to Work Hard and Smart!
- Pay attention to fee deadlines
- **Continue to Search and apply for colleges & scholarships!**
- Focus on your grades and GPA
- Please meet deadlines and complete what is asked
- Continue to listen and learn in class
- Be respectful to staff and your peers
- Communicate with your Senior Counselor any questions that may arise

### TIPS for FAFSA (8 Steps)

- Create an account (FSA ID)
- Start the FAFSA
- Fill out the Student Demographics
- List the schools to which you want to apply
- Answer the dependency status questions
- Fill out the Parent Demographics section
- Supply your financial information  
Sign and submit your FAFSA form

### Senior Reps

Ms. Golden- Senior Counselor [stephanie.golden@mbaexecutives.org](mailto:stephanie.golden@mbaexecutives.org)

Mrs. Thornton – Higher Education Rep [jade.thornton@mbaexecutives.org](mailto:jade.thornton@mbaexecutives.org)

### Contact Phone Number

901.357.8680 EXT. 317

## Reminders to Parents

Parents here are some EXCELLENT resources for you and your seniors to use when searching for scholarships!

[www.collegegreenlight.com](http://www.collegegreenlight.com)- College Green Light

[www.collegefortn.org](http://www.collegefortn.org)- TN College and Scholarship Info

[www.uncf.org](http://www.uncf.org)- United Negro College Fund

If you need assistance filling out scholarships, assistance will be available after school with Mrs. Thornton, our Higher Education Rep.... students will be notified of the days.

## Upcoming Events

- 10/2- UNCF- United Negro College Fund scholarship
- 10/3- MANDATORY ACT Retake Day
- 10/4/-1<sup>st</sup> TN Promise Mtg @1:30 Parents are welcome
- 10/6-1<sup>st</sup> Quarter Ends
- 10/9-10/13- Fall Break
- 10/17-ACT Retake day (for the absentees)
- 10/18- Genius Hour
- 10/21- Seniors Clean-Up Frayser~ Volunteer Work
- 10/25- 1<sup>st</sup> Report Card Issued- Parents please pick-up
- 10/28- 2<sup>nd</sup> ACT Test

### **Note:**

**Parents please note that you are allowed two approved days for college visits if your Executive is absent due to the parent taking the student on a campus tour on your own time.**

Log on to apply for Tennessee Promise Scholarship to receive two years for free.....MANDATORY

[www.tnpromise.gov](http://www.tnpromise.gov)

Available August 1st- November 1, 2017 (last day)

FASFA opens up October 1, 2017