

Gunn Connection

Sunday, August 9, 2020

Domingo 9 de agosto de 2020

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| Freshman Class |

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CALENDAR

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| Special Ed/Inclusion Rep |

Yael Uziyel Navel

Redes de padres

| Clase Senior |

Nisha Datta y Julie Dubrouillet

| Clase Junior |

Claire Kirner, Leena Gill y Gunjan Gupta

| Clase de segundo año |

An nie Bedichek, Lili Nova-Roessig y

Mana Uchino

| Clase de primer año |

Elizabeth Lam, Naomi Wang y Michelle

Chen

| Representante de Educación Especial /

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Traduction en français

Please consult the Gunn High School [calendar](#) and [website](#) for updated event information.

Sun, 8/9 - 5:30 PM

Student schedules released on Infinite Campus

Mon, 8/10 - 6:30 PM

Principal's Welcome with PTSA's Sophomore Parent Network

Tue, 8/11 - 6:30 PM

Principal's Welcome with PTSA's Junior Parent Network

Wed, 8/12 - 6:30 PM

Principal's Welcome with PTSA's Senior Parent Network

Fri, 8/14 - 3:00-4:30 PM

Online Freshman/Newcomer Student Orientation

Mon, 8/17

First Day of School (online classes begin)

Thu, 8/27 - 6:00-9:00 PM

Back-to-School Night

Mon, 9/7

Labor Day, No School

Thu, 9/10 - 9:00 AM

PTSA General Association Meeting

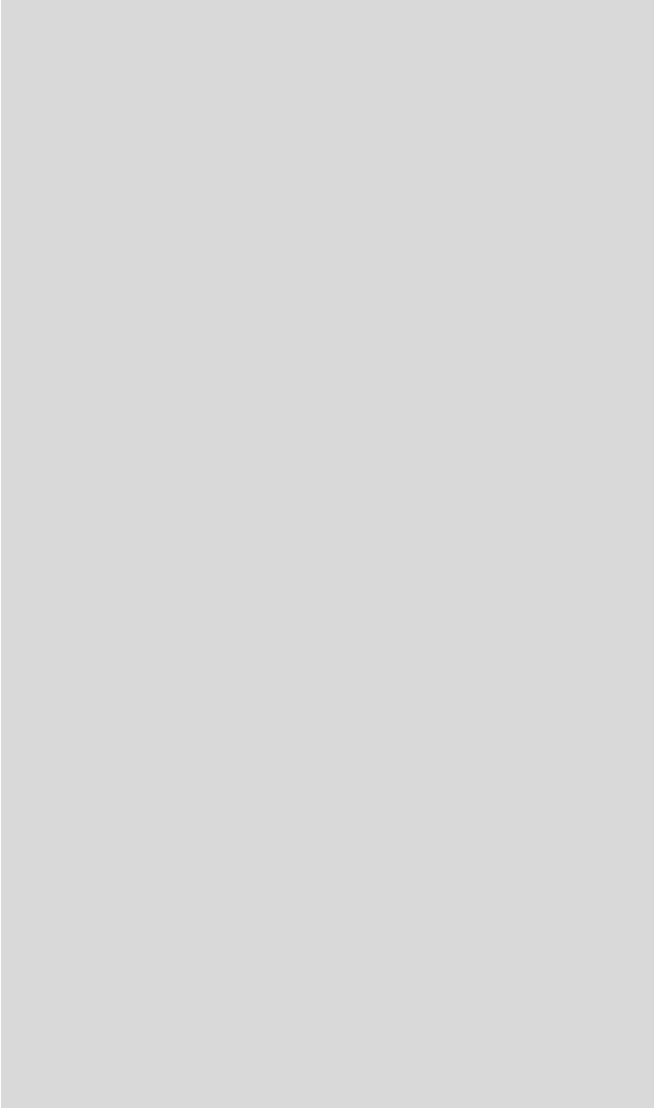
*NOTE: Dates and times of events are as of the date of this publication and may change. Be sure to check the [Gunn Calendar](#) for any last minute changes. For corrections or additions to the Calendar, contact **Martha Elderon**.*

Consulte el calendario y el sitio web de Gunn High School para obtener información actualizada sobre el evento.

Dom, 9/8 - 5:30 p.m.

Horarios de los estudiantes publicados en Infinite Campus

Lun, 8/10 - 6:30 p.m.



Bienvenida del director con la red de padres de segundo año de PTSA

Mar, 8/11 - 6:30 p.m.

Bienvenida del director con la red de padres jóvenes de PTSA

Mié, 12/8 - 6:30 PM

Bienvenida del director con la red de padres senior de PTSA

Viernes, 14/8 - 3: 00-4: 30 PM

Orientación en línea para estudiantes de primer año / recién llegados

Lun, 17/8

Primer día de clases (comienzan las clases en línea)

Jueves, 27/8 - 6: 00-9: 00 PM

Noche de regreso a la escuela


Lun, 7 de septiembre

Día del trabajo, no hay clases

Jueves, 10 de septiembre - 9:00 a. M.

Reunión de la Asociación General de PTSA

NOTA: Las fechas y horas de los eventos son a la fecha de esta publicación y pueden cambiar. Asegúrese de consultar el calendario de Gunn para ver si hay cambios de última hora. Para correcciones o adiciones al Calendario, comuníquese con Martha Elderon.



GUNN NEWS & EVENTS

****NEW** Welcome to Gunn Connection eNews from the Gunn PTSA**

Gunn Connection eNews is a weekly Gunn PTSA publication that contains important information, announcements, and event notifications from Gunn High School, Gunn PTSA, PAUSD and the Palo Alto PTA Council. Welcome to our second edition!

****NUEVA** Bienvenido a Gunn Conexión eNews desde el Gunn PTSA**

Gunn Conexión eNews es una publicación semanal de Gunn que contiene información importante, anuncios, y notificaciones de eventos de la Escuela Secundaria Gunn, Gunn PTSA, PAUSD y el consejo de la PTA de Palo Alto. Bienvenidos a nuestra segunda edición.

****NEW** Stay Informed and Connected**

Please read [Principal Wendy Stratton's Welcome Letter](#) (in [Spanish](#)) (in [Chinese](#)) and [PTA President Kimberly Eng Lee's Welcome Letter](#) for the latest updates on Gunn High School opening. Take time to explore the [Gunn High School website](#) (especially the [Back to School page](#)) and [Gunn PTSA website](#), which contain a wealth of useful information for new and returning Gunn families!

****NUEVA** Mantenerse informado y conectado**

Por favor lee [la Carta de Bienvenido por Principal Wendy Stratton](#) (en [Español](#)) (en [Chino](#)) y [la carta de Bienvenido por la Presidente de la PTA Kimberly Eng Lee](#) para las últimas actualizaciones sobre la apertura de la Escuela Secundaria Gunn. Tómese el tiempo para explorar el [Websitio de Escuela Secundaria Gunn](#) (especialmente la [Página del regreso a clase](#)) y el [Websitio de Gunn PTSA](#), que contienen una gran cantidad de información útil para las nuevas y que regresan familias Gunn.

****UPDATED** Gunn Online Back-to-School Packet is live!**

The [Gunn Online Back-to-School Packet](#) is now available. Please complete it by the first day of school. Questions? Send email to backtoschool@gunnpta.org.

****ACTUALIZADO** ¡La packeta del Regreso a clase en línea de Gunn esta vivo!**

La [Packeta del Regreso a clase en línea de Gunn](#) ya está disponible. Por favor, ártelo para el primer día de escuela. ¿Preguntas? Enviar correo electrónico a backtoschool@gunnpta.org.

****UPDATED** Gunn Back-to-School Information - Save the Dates!**

Sun, Aug 9: Student schedules posted on Infinite Campus

Mon, Aug 10-Tues Aug 11: Students can make schedule corrections

Mon, Aug 10: Principal's Welcome with PTSA's Sophomore Parent Network (6:30 PM)

Tue, Aug 11: Principal's Welcome with PTSA's Junior Parent Network (6:30 PM)

Wed, Aug 12: Principal's Welcome with PTSA's Senior Parent Network (6:30 PM)

Fri, Aug 14: Gunn HS Online Freshman and Newcomer Student Orientation with SEC
(3-4:30 PM)

Mon, Aug 17: First day of (online) school! [View the first week and regular bell schedules](#)

Thu, Aug 27: Gunn HS Online Back-To-School Night w/Teachers (6-9 PM)

Thu, Sep 10: PTSA Association Meeting (9 AM)

****ACTUALIZADO** Información sobre el Regreso a Clases - ¡Guarde las Fechas!**

- Dom, 9 de agosto: Horarios estudiantiles disponibles en Infinite Campus
- Lun, 10 de agosto - martes, 11 de agosto: Los estudiantes pueden pedir correcciones a sus horarios.
- Lun, 10 de agosto: Bienvenida de la Directora con el Sistema PTSA de los Padres de los Estudiantes de Segundo Año (6:30 PM)

- Mar, 11 de agosto: Bienvenida de la Directora con el Sistema PTSA de los Padres de los Estudiantes de Tercer Año (6:30 PM)
- Mié, 12 de agosto: Bienvenida de la Directora con el Sistema PTSA de los Padres de los Estudiantes de Último Año (6:30 PM)
- Vie, 14 de agosto: Orientación en línea con el Consejo Estudiantil para los estudiantes entrantes (3-4:30 PM)
- Lun, 17 de agosto: ¡Primer día de escuela (en línea)! [Vea los horarios de la primera semana y las semanas regulares aquí.](#)
- Jue, 27 de agosto: Noche del Regreso a Clases (en línea) con los maestros (6-9PM)
- Jue, 10 de septiembre: Reunión de la Asociación PTSA (9PM)

****NEW** Student Schedules**

Student schedules are now posted on Infinite Campus.

Gunn counselors will be correcting schedule errors on August 10th and August 11th.

Students seeking a correction must first complete the [Schedule Correction Request Form](#).

Please note that counselors are only able to **correct errors** to student schedules. We are unable to accommodate requests based on teacher preference, learning style, or when in the academic day a class meets.

What is an error?

- Graduation requirement missing from schedule (12th only)
- Course already taken
- Schedule has an error (duplicate, requested class not included, etc.)
- Incorrect level placement
- Substitute an "Alternate" from your requests

****NUEVO** Horarios Estudiantiles**

Ahora los horarios estudiantiles están disponibles en Infinite Campus.

Los consejeros corregirán los errores el 10 de agosto y el 11 de agosto.

Los estudiantes que quieren una corrección deben llenar el [Formulario para Pedir una Corrección del Horario](#) primero.

Por favor note que los consejeros sólo pueden **corregir errores** en los horarios estudiantiles. No se puede hacer cambios basados en preferencia sobre los maestros, estilo de aprender, o el periodo de la clase.

¿Qué cumple los requisitos para un **error**?

- El horario falta un requisito para graduarse (sólo los estudiantes del último año)
- Ya se ha tomado la clase
- Hay un error (un duplicado, clase solicitada está ausente, etc.)
- Nivel incorrecto
- Se quiere reemplazar una clase con un suplente solicitado

If a student's request requires a conversation between counselor and student, the student will receive an email notification with instructions and times to access a Zoom meeting with a counselor.

Zoom meetings will occur:

- August 10 - 12:30-3:30 PM
- August 11 - 10:30-11:30 AM, 12:30-3:30 PM

Please see the [Counseling page](#) on the Gunn website for additional information. The Counseling team appreciates your patience as we expect a high volume of requests.

You can locate your student's counselor on the Infinite Campus student schedule.

****UPDATED** Principal's "Welcomes" with Parent Networks**

Please join Principal Wendy Stratton's Welcomes on YouTube with parents from each grade level, according to the schedule above. **(Please note the correct time of 6:30 PM for all sessions.)** Wendy is excited to share her vision and information about the new school year.

Feel free to submit 1-2 questions [here](#), and she will do her best to answer them during the Parent Network sessions or in upcoming correspondences and communications.

YouTube links for Principal's Welcomes

Sophomore Parent Welcome - Mon, 8/10, 6:30 PM

<https://youtu.be/nbai71bXJ5o>

Junior Parent Welcome - Tue, 8/11, 6:30 PM

<https://youtu.be/xAPr5VGMD0g>

Senior Parent Welcome - Wed, 8/12, 6:30 PM

<https://youtu.be/at08fPqLPbU>

View the Principal's Welcome from August 6

[Watch this video recording of Principal Stratton's Welcome to Freshman & New Parents](#) which was live-streamed last Thursday, August 6 at 6:30 PM.

****NEW** Freshmen Orientation**

Fri, Aug 14, 3:00-4:30 PM

9th graders will participate in a virtual 9th Grade Orientation on Friday, August 14 from 3:00-4:30 PM. Freshmen please check out the [Gunn SEC Welcome Freshman and New Students page](#) for more information and stay tuned for details from our student activities director, Lisa Hall. Freshmen Orientation introduces students to all that is Gunn High School. Key staff members will be introduced as well, so that students can begin to put names to faces.

****NUEVO** Orientación de primer año**

Vie, 14 de agosto, 15:00-16:30

Estudiantes de primer año participarán en una orientación virtual el viernes, 14 de agosto desde 15 a 16:30. Estudiantes por favor chequea la [página de bienvenido por estudiantes nuevos y de primer año por el Gunn SEC](#) para más información y mantenga la atención para detalles de nuestra directora de actividades estudiantiles, Lisa Hall. Orientación introduzca estudiantes a la escuela alta Gunn. Empleados importantes serán introducidos también, así que los estudiantes pueden empezar poner nombres a caras.

****NEW** Textbook Pickup Schedule**

Drive-up textbook distribution will begin on Fri. Aug 14 for Freshmen, continuing through the following week by grade level. Schedule and pickup instructions will be sent out in the next few days.

****NUEVO** Horario de recogida de libros de texto**

Distribución de libros de textos por automóviles empezará el viernes, 14 de agosto para estudiantes de primer año, continuando hasta la próxima semana por grado. El horario y instrucciones de distribución será enviado en los próximos días.

****NEW** Gunn High School Start Time**

The first day of school is Monday, August 17th (distance learning), and students will begin with a special assembly at 10 AM. Start times each day are: Monday at 10:00 AM, Tuesday and Thursday at 9:00 AM, and Wednesday and Friday at 9:40 AM. Teachers will be taking attendance and students are expected to be logged into their first class promptly each day. Please email the attendance office at gunn-attendance@pausd.org to report an absence. Look out for the updated bell schedule which will be posted soon on the Gunn website.

****NEW** School Phone Numbers**

Starting August 14, you will be able to reach school staff at these numbers:

Main Office: 650-354-8200

Attendance: 650-354-8210

Counseling: 650-354-8212

****NUEVO** Tiempo de empezar de Gunn**

El primer día de escuela es lunes, 17 de agosto (aprendizaje de distancia), y estudiantes empezarán con una asamblea especial a las 10 de la mañana.

Tiempos de empezar cada día son: Lunes a las 10:00, martes y jueves a las 9:00, y miércoles y viernes a las 9:40. Maestros serán tomando asistencia y estudiantes deben iniciar sesión en su primer clase a tiempo cada día. Por favor envía un correo electrónico a la oficina de asistencia a gunn-attendance@pausd.org para reportar una ausencia. Observa para el horario de campanilla actualizado que será en el sitio web de Gunn pronto.

****NUEVO** Números de teléfonos de la escuela**

Empezando el 14 de agosto, puede contactar a empleados de la escuela usando estos números:

Oficina principal: 650-354-8200

Asistencia: 650-354-8210

Asesoramiento: 650-354-8212



****NEW** Support Our Students and Teachers - Pledge to PiE Today**

Partners in Education (PiE) raises money to provide all PAUSD students with an educational experience beyond what is possible with public funding. At Paly and Gunn, PiE funds guidance counselors, CASSY counselors, and electives. Please check your Back to School packet or see the PiE website for more information about PiE. To join our team of volunteers, email info@papie.org, Double your donation by giving before September 8! Donate today at <https://papie.org/donate/>

****NEW** Gunn Parent Networks**

Gunn PTSA offers every parent/guardian an opportunity to connect with other parents/ guardians in their student's grade. If you agreed to receive PTSA communications when registering your student to attend school in Palo Alto, you will automatically be added to your parent network group and will receive information relevant to your child's grade. Meetings are held monthly and topics vary depending on grade level. The parent network coordinator for your grade will reach out soon if they haven't already!

- All-Parent Network Coordinator - **Jen Schultz**
- Senior Parent Network - **Julie Dubrouillet** and **Nisha Datta**
- Junior Parent Network - **Claire Kirner**, **Leena Gill**, and **Gunjan Gupta**
- Sophomore Parent Network - **Annie Bedichek**, **Lili Nova-Roessig**, and **Mana Uchino**
- Freshman Parent Network - **Elizabeth Lam**, **Naomi Wang**, and **Michelle Chen**
- Special Ed/Inclusion Rep - **Momo Yanagihara** and **Yael Uziyel Navel**

****NEW** Gunn Online Directory: UpToUs**

Gunn uses UpToUs for our online directory (and for volunteer sign ups, scheduling events, Parent Networks, and pertinent communications). The online directory is available to all families in multiple languages. You may choose which information is displayed in the directory. Currently the family information you provided to the district is listed per your privacy settings. You may change it any time by logging in to UpToUs.

To access the online directory:

- **Existing UpToUs members:** Sign into [UpToUs](#) using your existing user name and password. Select the Gunn Directory community, and click on the Member List link.
- **New to UpToUs?:** If you gave permission for the PTSA to contact you during the PAUSD Annual Data Update, you have already been added to the Gunn UpToUs community. Go to [UpToUs](#) and click “Forgot Password.” Submit the email address you used during PAUSD Data Update. You may then choose a password and access the directory.
- **Not a member of the Gunn community but want to be?** Signing up is easy. Go to [Gunn UpToUs](#), click Enter, then Join UpToUs. Complete the registration and your request will be forwarded to the UpToUs Admin.

Still have questions? Contact uptous@gunnpta.org for assistance.

UpToUs is also available as an app for both iPhone and android.

****NEW** Gunn Facebook Parent Community**

Our [Gunn Facebook Parent Community](#) is a great place to ask questions and share events and information relevant to the Gunn community. You must be a Gunn parent/guardian of a current Gunn student to join. The group is moderated by Gunn PTSA volunteers and follows the PTA communication [Guidelines](#).

Update on Gunn Sports Schedule

CIF (California Interscholastic Federation) has delayed the start of sports in the state of California until January due to COVID-19. Because of these changes CCS (Central Coast Section) has put out a tentative calendar for the Fall and Spring sports. For more information on tentative start dates [click here](#).

Support Gunn Students via the Gunn Foundation

Since 1968, the [Gunn Foundation](#) has been granting need-based scholarships to college-bound seniors in the Gunn community. Scholarships fund essential expenses— deposits, textbooks, fees, and college costs that are often unmet by aid packages. Especially now with the impact of COVID, Gunn Foundation scholarships can make a huge difference in the future of a Gunn student. Look for the Gunn Foundation on Step 4 of the online back-to-school packet or visit our website (gunnfound.org) and consider making a donation to support a Gunn student. Your support, at any level, will truly make a difference.

PAUSD & PTAC

Superintendent Friday Update - 8/7/2020

Read Superintendent Don Austin's message [here](#).

Mensaje del viernes del superintendente - 7 agosto 2020

Lea el mensaje del superintendente Don Austin [aquí](#).

PAUSD "Return to Learn - Fall 2020"

The most current Reopening Schools information for PAUSD can be found here:

<https://www.pausd.org/covid-19/return-to-learn-fall-2020>

PAUSD "Retorno para aprender - Otoño de 2020"

La información más reciente sobre la reapertura de las escuelas de PAUSD está aquí: <https://www.pausd.org/covid-19/return-to-learn-fall-2020>

PAUSD "Let's Talk"

Do you need information about your child's school? Do you want to know more about state and District testing, or student safety programs? Do you have questions about District policy, the budgeting process, or the latest on school construction? Do you have an issue, concern or compliment you would like addressed? Most often, you can get the information you are seeking by speaking with a staff member from a specific school or department. To contact the District Office, click on a topic below and make a submission, the appropriate person or department will be notified.

<https://www.pausd.org/school-life/participate/lets-talk>

PAUSD "Hablemos"

¿Necesita información sobre la escuela de su hijo? ¿Quiere saber más sobre las pruebas del estado y Distrito, o los programas de seguridad? ¿Tiene preguntas sobre las políticas del distrito, el proceso de presupuestación, o la construcción? ¿Tiene problemas, inquietudes o cumplidos? A menudo, puede obtener esta información hablando con el personal de la escuela. Para comunicarse con la Oficina del Distrito, haga clic aquí. Se notificará a la persona o departamento.
<https://www.pausd.org/school-life/participate/lets-talk>

****NEW** Town Hall Replays**

The Palo Alto Council of PTAs (PTAC), in collaboration with the School PTAs hosted two town halls to address the specific needs for the elementary schools and the secondary schools. Superintendent Dr. Don Austin was our guest speaker along with our district principals and members of his Cabinet Leadership. Both town halls are now available for viewing:

Elementary School Town Hall: https://youtu.be/Kg_uHIE_uGE

Secondary School Town Hall: <https://youtu.be/-6q223x9KFU>

NOTICIAS Y ACTUALIZACIONES DEL PTAC

El Consejo de PTA de Palo Alto (PTAC), en colaboración con las PTAs de la escuela, llevó a cabo 2 reuniones (Town Hall) para abordar las necesidades específicas de las escuelas primarias y secundarias (Middle School y High School). El superintendente Dr. Don Austin fue nuestro orador invitado junto con nuestros directores de distrito y miembros líderes de su gabinete. Ambas grabaciones de las reuniones están disponibles para verse en :

Escuelas Primarias: https://youtu.be/Kg_uHIE_uGE

Escuelas Secundarias (Middle School y High School):

<https://youtu.be/-6q223x9KFU>

PTAC 新闻与快讯 :

Palo Alto家长教师协会理事会 (PTAC) 与各学校家长教师协会合作举办了两个社区会议, 以解决各小学、中学的具体需求。学区总监Don Austin博士受邀主讲。他的内阁成员以及各校校长也应邀出席。两个社区会议的链接如下 :

Elementary School Town Hall: https://youtu.be/Kg_uHIE_uGE

Secondary School Town Hall: <https://youtu.be/-6q223x9KFU>

AAR Needs Volunteers for 2020-2021

Do you have experience in STEAM, humanities, Business or Social Sciences? Do you have 1-2 hrs per month you can give to share your expertise? Mentor students 10-12 grade. All interactions are virtual or via email. Your time commitment would be for the entire academic year 20-21/ Sign up here <https://aar.pausd.org/mentor/register> or email cce@pausd.org.

Work Permit Renewal Process

Work permits must be renewed within 5 days of the start of every school year; follow [this link](#) for information about how to renew a student work permit during distance learning. Reminder that every minor must have a valid work permit to legally work in California. Contact the Work Experience Teacher Rachael Kaci: rkaci@pausd.org for more info, and visit [this site](#) for job postings.

Student Jobs

5 tips on landing a job during the coronavirus pandemic: The coronavirus pandemic makes landing a job right now even more complicated, but that doesn't have to stop you. Watch this [2 minute video](#), which is applicable for any age in any industry. Students should be encouraged to visit the PAUSD job postings site for information on both volunteer and paid work experience opportunities because "hiring managers will be looking at the entire resume, including volunteer experience." For more information: Rachael Kaci, Work Experience Teacher: rkaci@pausd.org.

COMMUNITY

****NEW** Voter Registration Reminder**

The November 2020 Election is just around the corner! Students who are 18+ and American citizens are eligible to vote. Click below to make sure your teen is registered! Ballots will be mailed to all CA registered voters. Students 16+ can pre-register.

[Voter Registration](#) and [Voter Registration Look Up](#)

Non-partisan ballot information provided by the [League of Women Voters](#)

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