

# Parent Newsletter *for the* High School of Applied Communication

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**MAY** Questions about our school? Call our Parent Coordinator Emmanuel Martinez, Office: (718)389-3163 x5521 **2017**

## Parent's Calendar

May 11, Thursday

5:00: SLT, 6:00pm: PA meeting

## School Calendar

May 1, Monday:

AP Chemistry and AP Environmental Science exams

May 5, Friday:

AP U. S. History exam

May 10, Wednesday

Juniors meet with Guidance Counselor Ms. Antoine for college research

May 12, Friday:

AP Human Geography and Microeconomics exam

June 8, Thursday

Anniversary Day, student do not attend

June 13, Tuesday

Regents Exams begin

June 23, Friday

Regents rating day, students do not attend

Jun. 22, Thursday:

9am: Graduation, Queens Theater

August 26:

SATs. Students eligible for free lunch should obtain a waiver from Ms. Antoine

## Principal's message

Dear parents,

As the academic year winds down, there remain significant challenges and opportunities for our students aspiring towards college success. AP exams begin May 1, and Regents Exams begin June 13.

To assist students with these exams we have opened a Saturday Academy and a weekday Our House tutoring program where any student may ask questions, work with teachers on class material, and prepare for these academic hurdles. But our efforts to prepare your children can only be effective if the students participate, so we ask you all to encourage them to take advantage of the Saturday Academy and Our House programs.

I am also including a Regents Exam schedule and our new Course Selection Sheet. With this sheet, students will be able to participate in the process of choosing their own courses, in conjunction with their guidance counselor.

Michael Weinstein  
Principal

## What's happening at HSAC?

*Welcome to our new  
Guidance Counselor, Ms.  
Tavarez!*

**Please encourage your child to attend our academic support system to boost their achievement:**

### Our House @ HSACNY

Tutoring and special help with studies, Monday through Thursday from 2:45 until 4:45

### Saturday Academy for Regents prep

Chemistry, Algebra I & II, Geometry, Living Environment, Earth Science every Saturday

### After-School Activities @HSAC

PSAL sports  
Year Book  
Student Government  
National Honors Society  
LBGTQ (SAGA)

## COLLEGE PREP

**Organizations providing SAT prep and college/financial aid advisement**

### SAYA:

[saya.org](http://saya.org)

### Sunnyside Community Services:

[scsnny.org](http://scsnny.org)

### Bottom Line:

[bottomline.org/content/new-york-city](http://bottomline.org/content/new-york-city)

### Options Center:

[goddard.org/grcc/programs/ChildrenYouth/options/](http://goddard.org/grcc/programs/ChildrenYouth/options/)

**Information of the SATs is available from the College Board website:**

[collegereadiness.collegeboard.org/sat](http://collegereadiness.collegeboard.org/sat)

**Information on college scholarships and career search:**

[bigfuture.collegeboard.org](http://bigfuture.collegeboard.org)

**Registration deadline for the August 26 SAT:**

June 28.

**Registration deadline for the October 7 SAT:**

September 8.

## PTA Corner

**Welcome to our new Parent Coordinator Manny Martinez! If you have any questions about HSAC, call Mr. Martinez at 718-389-3163 ext 5521**