



Digital Learning Day - No On-site Classes - Tomorrow, February 26

York faculty will be at a conference on Friday. Teachers will provide digital activities on Haiku, our learning management system. Students are responsible for checking the site from home. **Seniors are also expected to attend the seminar, Managing Your Finances in College, on campus from 10:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.**

Course Planning Meeting | 3-4:00 p.m. | Chapel | Parents Encouraged to Attend Monday, February 29 - Grades 8 and 9

Assistant Head of School and Academic Dean, Sean Raymond, and Director of College Counseling, Ellen Masten, will discuss grade specific course planning and selections, graduation requirements, elective offerings, information about the college counseling program, and more.

Youth Music Monterey Concert

Sunday, February 28 | 2:00 p.m. | Sunset Center

Jonathan Vu '16, is the winner of this year's Youth Music of Monterey County Concerto Competition. He will perform the first movement of Henryk Wieniawski's Concert No. 2 for Solo Violin and Orchestra with the YMM Honors Orchestra. **York students will be admitted free with their school ID.** General admission is \$20.

Late Start Day - Wednesday, March 2

Music students - 8:40 a.m.

First period - 9:30 a.m. (Library closed to students until 9:30 a.m.; Student Center will be open for student use.). See the schedule [here](#).

Heads Up Coffee - Thursday, March 3

7:45 - 8:30 a.m. | Topic: Cost of a York Education

You should have received an email this week from Chuck Harmon, Head of School, on the final topic from our fall parent survey - the cost of a York education. Stop by Thursday morning to discuss this topic and other items you want to share with your fellow parents and the Head of School. For a summary from the fall parent survey, click [here](#).

The Ash Girl - Reserve Your Seats Now

March 3, 4, and 5 at 7:30 | March 6 at 2:00 p.m. | York's Gatanaga Theater

York's winter play, *The Ash Girl*, by acclaimed playwright Timberlake Wertenbaker, opens next week. It's a dark and twisted, yet oddly touching tale of a young girl who wants desperately to go to a ball but is prevented by her stepmother and two stepsisters. Sound familiar? Add the presence of talking animals and an egotistical fairy. Still think you know the play? Add the Seven Deadly Sins, making their presence felt by all the other characters. This is an adult look at a classic tale through the eyes of a modern day Grimm. While there is no foul language in the show, it is intended for more mature audiences, who will appreciate the subtle and dark nuances of the plot. Entrance is free, but seating is limited. **RESERVE YOUR SEATS [HERE](#).**

Host an AFS International Student for 2016-17

Each year, York accepts an international student on the [AFS exchange program](#). This student stays with a host family, who helps select the qualified student from more than 90 countries. If you are interested or would like more information on being a host family, please contact Pamela Sanford psanford@york.org. The earlier we have a host family, the more choice we have in students (country of origin, boy/girl, etc.).

Teaching and Learning - Resources for York Parents from York Teachers

[Education and Experience](#)

Curriculum, pedagogy, assessment, and York's community of learning by Assistant Head of School and Academic Dean, Sean Raymond.

[On the Path](#)

A podcast on campus climate, student well-being, and parenting an adolescent by Joyce Sherry, Dean of Students. This week's [On The Path 1.13: What Can Make Your Child Successful? PDF!](#) Defining success while easing stress and anxiety.

NEXT WEEK @ YORK

Friday, February 26 - Digital Learning Day - Campus Closed

3:30 p.m. - Lacrosse - Girls - University of SF

4:00 p.m. - Lacrosse - Boys - Scrimmage vs. Salinas

Monday, February 29 - F

3:00 p.m. - Course Planning Meeting - Grades 8 & 9

Tuesday, March 1 - G

Wednesday, March 2 - A - Late Start Day

9:30 a.m. - First Period Begins

2:50 p.m. - Tutorial

3:00 p.m. - Tennis - Boys Varsity - Pre Season Match vs. Carmel

3:30 p.m. - Lacrosse - Boys - Scrimmage vs. Carmel

Thursday, March 3 - B

7:45 a.m. - Heads Up Coffee

7:30 p.m. - [Winter Play](#)

Friday, March 4 - C

5:00 p.m. - Lacrosse - Girls at Harker

7:30 p.m. - [Winter Play](#)

Saturday, March 5

7:30 p.m. - [Winter Play](#)

Sunday, March 6

2:00 p.m. - [Winter Play](#)

WHAT'S AHEAD @ YORK

Thursday, March 10 - Sunday, March 20 - Spring Break

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Parent Survey Results: Cost of a York Education

Student Voices

Class Notes