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Dear 11th and 12th Families,

I hope you are doing well and staying safe. We miss seeing our 11th and 12th grade scholars on campus every day and cannot believe that we are coming to the end of the 2019-2020 School Year. We are so proud of the hard work that our scholars have put forth throughout Distance Learning. Thank you to all of you for your flexibility during this time and for so quickly adapting to our Distance Learning program.

With our school year rapidly coming to an end, our teachers are preparing their final lessons to ensure our scholars are prepared for their Final Exams. Final exams will take place June 1st and June 2nd. June 3rd is a day scheduled for any make-up exams. All final exams will be administered through our Google Classroom platform from 8:00 am to 4:00 pm. Given that this is the first time our scholars have taken final exams in a distance learning model, we have made adjustments to best set our scholars up for success. All final exams have been shortened and each exam should take scholars approximately 45-60 minutes to complete compared to the typical 2.5 hours. Scholars will take exams each day with one day carved out for any missed exams, please see below:

Monday, June 1	Tuesday, June 2	Wednesday, June 3
Periods 1, 2, and 3 Final Exams	Period 4 and 5 Final Exams	Make-up Final Exams

Our teachers will be reviewing data each day at 2pm to identify which scholars have not yet completed their final exam and making personal calls home to urge scholars to take the exam in the remaining two hour window.
If scholars do not complete their final exam on the scheduled date, they will only have one additional opportunity to take the exam which will be June 3rd. It is very important that scholars are completing their scheduled exams on the dates above so that they do not fall behind and become overwhelmed. If any scholar has a conflict, they must reach out to their individual teacher in advance to schedule a different time to take the exam.

All of our teachers are working hard to ensure our scholars are set-up for success and are completely prepared for their Final Exams by providing them with high quality lessons. If your scholar is in need of extra support as we wrap up this Term, please ensure they are attending our Office Hour sessions which take place every Monday, Tuesday, and Thursday from 2:00-3:30 PM. This is a great opportunity for scholars to interact with their teachers, ask questions, and receive support on their daily lessons.

Lastly, our grade level teachers are hosting a virtual last day of celebration with their scholars on June 4. Since we cannot celebrate the successes of this school year in-person, we would like to celebrate the hard work and growth of scholars virtually and through Zoom. More information on this will be posted to your scholar's Advisory Google Classroom Page.

Thank you for your flexibility throughout Distance Learning. I am so proud of our scholars' hard work and commitment during this time and their focus on their Big Goals. Congrats to the Class of 2020 and 2021! You made it!

Sincerely,

Rebecca Matt, Dean of Culture and Instruction