

GUIDANCE DEPARTMENT QUARTERLY NEWSLETTER

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HELLO SOLANCO FAMILY!

We hope you are doing well and feel supported during this time. With the adjustments and changes ahead, please be aware of the important dates we have listed and the updates provided on the school website. As a community we are working together to create a safe learning environment, and want you to know we are here to support you.

As we released the Solanco School District Reopening Plan Guidebook for Parents, please be advised that new information may become available. We ask that students and families are familiar with the procedures outlined in the guidebook in order to best prepare for the upcoming year. The LCCTC has also released their reopening plan which is available on their website. If you are attending CTC, please be familiar with their procedures as well.

IMPORTANT DATES:

- CTC Start Date: **August 25th, 2020** - *Students are encouraged to attend but there is no penalty if you cannot do so without Solanco transportation. Solanco transportation begins on the first day of school.*
- Freshman Orientation: **August 26th, 2020**
- SATs: **August 29th, 2020 and September 26th, 2020**
- ASVAB/PSAT Signup in Junior Classes: **September 15th and 16th, 2020**

THERE'S A NEW FACE IN OUR DEPARTMENT!

As we said farewell to Mrs. Capoferri this spring, we are welcoming Ms. Cruz to our department! She will be working with Mrs. Capoferri's former students, those of you with Q-Z last names. She is very excited to get to know the Solanco students and families, as building relationships is very important to her. As we navigate this season of changes, she hopes you feel supported and encouraged.

MAKING APPOINTMENTS

Students will not be able to gather in the Guidance Office to make appointments. Please visit the website below to request an appointment. Your appointment date and time will be sent to the email you provide.

<https://solancoguidance.weebly.com/schedule-an-appointment.html>

COURSE CHANGE REQUESTS

Students interested in changing a class within the first two weeks of school can submit their request online. Your counselor will communicate your options through the email you provide.

<https://solancoguidance.weebly.com/course-change-requests.html>

IF YOU ARE A SENIOR AND INTERESTED IN

WORK STUDY, INTERNSHIP, OR INDEPENDENT STUDY

YOU MUST COMPLETE THE FORMS
LOCATED UNDER 'SENIOR OPTIONS' ON
THE GUIDANCE WEBSITE

<https://solancoguidance.weebly.com/senior-options.html>

PLEASE BE FAMILIAR WITH THESE
TERMS AND KNOW THAT THEY ARE
DIFFERENT:

SOLANCO IN-PERSON INSTRUCTION
(THIS WILL CONSIST OF TWO DAYS IN THE
BUILDING AND THREE DAYS OF ONLINE
LEARNING)

SOLANCO FLEX
(THIS IS THE REMOTE LEARNING OPTION WITH
SOLANCO TEACHERS - STUDENTS WILL HAVE
INSTRUCTION COMPLETELY ONLINE)

SOLANCO VIRTUAL ACADEMY
(THIS IS ASYNCHRONOUS INSTRUCTION WITH
TEACHERS NOT FROM SOLANCO - STUDENTS
DO NOT STEP IN THE BUILDING)

GUIDANCE DEPARTMENT RESOURCES:

Website: solancoguidance.weebly.com

Schoology: Guidance

Instagram (K-12 posts): @slcguidance