



E-NEWS

SATURDAY, AUGUST 14, 2021

The school year is off to a good start! Thank you for your continued patience during afternoon dismissal. We know it is taking longer than usual, but we will continue to improve each day as we work together as a team. Please remember that the car line is the only provided means of dismissal. By working together and following procedures, we WILL get faster and most importantly, keep all of our staff and students safe!

STUDENT DRIVING: Any student driving a vehicle to be parked at High Point Academy must have an official parking permit hanging and visible from his/her rear-view mirror. These can be purchased at the main office for \$15. Students should park in **lined spaces only and in designated areas**. The speed limit on the entire campus is **10 MPH**. Students should lock their vehicles and depart the parking lot immediately upon their arrival at school. We have more detailed rules in our [Middle/High School Handbook](#) on our website.

SPECIAL EDUCATION: If your child is new to High Point Academy this school year and receives special education services, you should have been contacted by your child's special education teacher. If you have not been contacted regarding your child's special education program, please contact Jonathan Hayes at 864-316-9788 ext 901 or jhayes@hspart.org.

LUNCH: You can find links to [the menus](#) on our website or download the app. There you will also find [instructions to help you download the app](#).

ONLINE LUNCH ACCOUNT AND À LA CARTE PAYMENTS: HPA uses the K12 Payment Center for online meal payments. Parents and staff can easily make payments with credit/debit cards and electronic checks, schedule automatic payments, set up low balance alerts, and much more. You can create your account at k12paymentcenter.com/. If you have questions or need help setting up your account, please email Tammy Edwards at tedwards@hspart.org. Cash is also accepted at the register.

LUNCH FORMS: We need a student lunch form on file from every family. To expedite the process, we have placed the online application link on [our website](#). Thank you for your help in making sure HPA receives the proper reimbursements for this school year's meal program.

AUDITIONS: HPA auditions for this year's theatrical season will be from Monday, August 23 - Wednesday, August 25. Auditions will take place in the PAC and follow this schedule:

- **Auditions:** Monday - Wednesday (8/23 - 8/25), 3 p.m. - 5 p.m.
- **Callbacks:** Thursday & Friday: (8/26 - 8/27), 3 p.m. - 5 p.m.

Students interested in ONLY **Romeo & Juliet** will be given an excerpt from the show to read at the auditions. Students interested in being in **Into the Woods** will need to prepare 30 seconds of music to sing at the audition (a verse and a chorus of a song typically are about 30 seconds). Callbacks will be emailed to parents and students Wednesday Night. For more information, contact Chase McAbee at cmcabee@hspart.org.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS: The first Board of Directors meeting for the school year will be Monday, August 23, 2021, at 6 p.m.

PAPA JOHN'S SPIRIT NIGHTS: Monday, August 16, and Tuesday, August 17. If you purchase pizza any time during those two days and turn in proof of purchase (either a receipt or the tag on the box with the total price, the PTO receives a portion of the proceeds.

Thank you for being part of the HPA family!

HPAspartanburg.org

Like us on Facebook [@HighPointAcademySpartanburg](https://www.facebook.com/HighPointAcademySpartanburg)

Follow us on Instagram [@hspartanburg](https://www.instagram.com/hspartanburg)

Follow us on Twitter [@hspartanburg](https://twitter.com/hspartanburg)