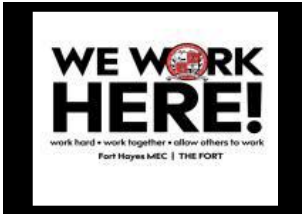


# Fort Hayes Opus

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The mission of Fort Hayes is to create expectations of excellence through challenging and collaborative learning by blending the arts, academic and career programs.



Photo by Kim Webber

## Main Office

Main Number (614) 365-6681

**High School Office 7am – 3:30pm**

Office 380-977-6177

Attendance 380-977-6179

School Counselors:

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Kliner 380-997-6187

Peterson (A-K) 380-997-6188

**Career Center Office 7am–3:30pm**

Office 380-977-6050

Attendance 380-977-6139

School Counselors:

Kanowsky 380-977-6054

Matunas 380-977-6052



Located in Buildings  
101 & CAATC/Health

## What it means to be a Scholar

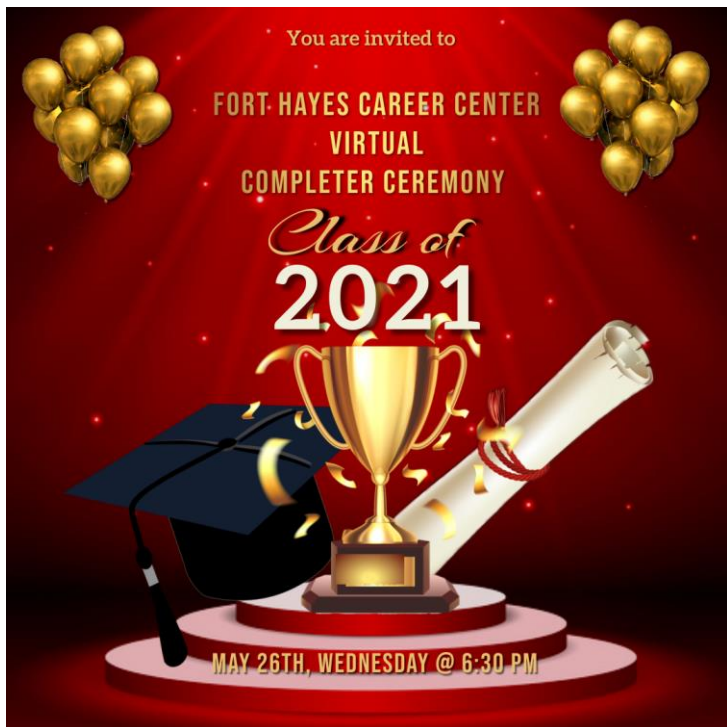
by Dr. Patrick Capriola

Some of the greatest scholars in history have face monumental personal and professional challenges to become an intellectual force of nature. We can all learn from them, be inspired by them, and become a better person by learning about what it means to be a scholar and the qualities that made them successful.

True scholars will persevere, especially in the face of difficulty. Their passion takes them far. Despite the obstacles they face, they rely on science and logic and will not lower their standards for objective truth. They approach ideas with an open mind and a willingness to listen to other points of view. They also tend to stay humble no matter their successes. This makes a true scholar surprisingly approachable.

Being book-smart is just one of the attributes of a scholar. There must be a deep passion for intellectual exploration and tenacity built on top of that intelligence. To that end, a student can become a scholar (in the professional sense of the word) in their own personal time by dedicating said time to studying up on their favorite subjects.

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## *Fort Hayes Career Center Virtual Completer Ceremony 2021*

We are pleased to invite you to our Virtual Completer Ceremony celebrating the Fort Hayes Career Center Completer Class of 2021. This celebration will occur Wednesday, May 26, 2021, at 6:30 pm. It will include performances from some of our star students, photos of scholars in “their zone”, words of wisdom and encouragement, and the wonderful accomplishments of each Completer...Oh what a sight to behold!!

Zoom link to follow  
(please be sure to check your email).

## “...to be a scholar...” continued

### The Qualities of a Successful Scholar

**Disposition:** The way in which one approaches difficulties will significantly shape their capacity to respond to intellectual challenges with grit and determination. They must demonstrate poise academically, frequently exploring skepticism about knowledge claims. They should also embrace self-criticism and doubt as hallmarks of their intellectual processes.

**Integrity:** The reputation of the scholar hangs on what he or she does when no one else is looking. A successful scholar will always work their hardest to differentiate between facts and opinions. They also have the highest standards of objective truth in their work and will reject pressures to spin the results of their research in the face of political pressure.

**Authority:** A scholar exudes authority on the topic about which they are speaking. They bring clarity and continuity to the topic, framing a relevant narrative around a complex subject. In doing this, they provide valuable insight that is difficult for others to achieve.

**Persistence:** A scholar is well aware that their intellectual pursuits will be filled with dead ends and divergent pathways. They are persistent in the face of these challenges and use them to deepen their understanding of the investigative process in pursuit of truth.

**Recognition:** Successful scholars stand out. They are identified by their peers as bright and curious researchers. Over time, they are invited more often to take part in research activities that increase their opportunities to be noticed by other influential researchers.

**Productivity:** Choosing how and where to spend one’s energy matters a lot. Scholars have a serious grip on their time management. The most successful scholars are very productive and know where to spend their energy.

## “...Successful Scholar Qualities...” conclusion

**Competitiveness:** The world of scholarly research may seem polite and sanitized to outsiders, but it is actually highly competitive. Researchers must figuratively fight for the most coveted research grants, notable awards, and professional recognition that places high regard on their reputation. That makes the product of their work that much more important.

**Ethics:** Ethics and honesty are the core qualities of a successful researcher. The code of ethics that one chooses to follow will shape the quality of their work and will be the basis upon which their careers are built. Ethical scholars treat their colleagues with respect even when they are competing with them. They are open to constructive criticism and they don't seek to gain leverage over others through their position or esteem.

**Loyalty:** Scholars know the importance of long-term relationships. They remain loyal to their employer and will support them in their strategic initiatives. These scholars also mentor colleagues and seek to improve the overall health of their department and organization by building bridges between contact groups. They consider the impact they have on others and work to ensure it is positive.

**Insight:** The contributions of the successful scholar will move their field forward in the pursuit of new knowledge. They understand the existing bodies of research well and thus forge new paths that were not pursued by others.

**Open-Mindedness:** As mentioned before, the successful scholar keeps their mind open to broadening their understanding of the world around them. They consider a wide range of viewpoints and are receptive to the ideas of other researchers who offer them feedback on their work.



## School Calendar

### Friday, May 14

Freshmen + New Student Orientation  
(Virtual) 5:00 – 6:00 pm

### Friday, May 21

Senior Gala at Fort Hayes  
7:00 – 11:00 pm

Fort Hayes Film Festival  
Youtube Live Stream 7:00 pm

### Saturday, May 22

Fort Hayes Film Festival  
Youtube Live Stream 7:00 pm

### Sunday, May 23

Fort Hayes Film Festival  
Youtube Live Stream 2:00 pm

### Wednesday, May 26

Career Center Completer Ceremony  
(virtual) 6:30 pm

### Friday, May 28

Last day of School for Seniors

### Monday, May 31

Memorial Day – no school

### Tuesday, June 1

Summer School Registration Deadline

### Wednesday, June 2

Graduation Rehearsal &  
Senior Chromebook Return  
at Fort Hayes 9:00 am – 12:00 pm

Senior Picnic  
1:00 – 4:00 pm

### Thursday, June 3

Last day of School for Students

Fort Hayes Graduation  
Columbus Convention Center,  
Battelle Ballroom  
5:30 pm

### Friday, June 4

Records Day

### Monday, June 14

First day of Summer School





BE EXCELLENT.  
 BE THE EXCEPTION.  
**BE FORT HAYES.**

Focused                      **H**ardworking  
 Organized                    **A**rtistic  
 Resourceful                 **Y**earlong  
 Teachable                    **E**ngaged  
                                          **S**cholarly

**WE WORK HERE!**

CCS is making students  
**READY FOR SUCCESS**

Through:  
 Instructional Fidelity  
 Leadership Fidelity  
 Parent Engagement  
 Culture and Climate

Columbus City Schools  
**2020-2021**  
**School Calendar**

Dates to Remember	
Aug 24 - Sept 4	Staff Professional Development
7-Sep	Labor Day (schools closed)
8-Sep	First Day for Students
16-Oct	Professional Development Day
27-Oct	End of Q1
28-Oct	Records Day
3-Nov	Professional Development Day
25-Nov	Parent Teacher Conf. Comp Day
Nov 26 - 27	Thanksgiving Vacation
18-Dec	30 Min Early Release (Holiday)
Dec 21 - Jan 1	Winter Break
15-Jan	End of Q2
18-Jan	Martin Luther King, Jr. Day
19-Jan	Records Day
3-Feb	Professional Development Day
15-Feb	Parent Teacher Conf. Comp Day
23-Mar	End of Q3
24-Mar	Records Day
1-Apr	30 Min Early Release (Holiday)
April 4 - 9	Spring Break
31-May	Memorial Day
3-Jun	Last Day for Students
4-Jun	Records Day

***“The curriculum tells you ‘what’, not ‘how’.  
 The ‘how’ is the artistry in education.”***

George Couros



# Parent Page

## Parent Portal: What is that?!

It is the way within Columbus City School District that parents are able to access all of their students' information: from grades, attendance, teacher contact information, missing assignments, paperless applications to fee payments.

**Most importantly, it is our way of communicating with YOU.**

With so many things going digital right now, the ability to communicate with our parents is even more important than ever.

In order to do that, we must have your correct contact information.

**Please, Please, Please** update and verify your:

- Contact Email
- Contact Phone number

The link to the Parent Portal is below:

<https://www.ccsch.us/ParentPortal.aspx>

**Forgot Your Password?**

Email: [parentportalaccess@columbus.k12.oh.us](mailto:parentportalaccess@columbus.k12.oh.us)

Or call the CCS FACT Line at  
614-221-FACT (3228)

<https://www.ccsch.us/FortHayesHS>  
<https://www.ccsch.us/FortHayesCC>

## STUDENT TECHNOLOGY INFORMATION

### HEY SENIORS!!!

Wednesday, June 2

Graduation Rehearsal 9:00 am – 12:00 pm

Senior Chromebook Return 9:00 am – 12:00 pm

@ Fort Hayes on the oval

Senior Picnic 1:00 – 4:00 pm

@ Fort Hayes

If your student needs a  
**Chromebook or Hotspot**  
please contact the school principal and we will set  
up a time for pick up.

Please contact the CCS Help Desk if the student or  
parent has any:

- General Access Questions
- Log In issues
- Account Questions

**Columbus City Schools Helpdesk:**  
**614-365-8425**

If your child has a **broken** Chromebook, Hotspot or  
broken/lost Power Adapter, please contact the  
school to schedule a time for an exchange.

**Remember that students are supposed to bring  
their Chromebooks to school (fully charged) to use  
in classes throughout the day.**