

Frederick Douglass Academy

For Young Men

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FREDERICK DOUGLASS

Weekly Notes

December 1, 2014

| M | T | W | H | F |
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| 12/01/14 | 12/02/14 | 12/03/14 | 12/04/14 | 12/05/14 |
| 7:45 a.m. Lesson plans due | Senior dues payment #2 | | | |
| | | PLC 4 th Hour | | |
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CALENDAR OF COMING EVENTS

December

- **2** Senior Dues Payment Day #2
- **11** Mosaic Performance 10 a.m. at DIA
- **15** Annual JROTC Military Ball
- **22** School closed for Christmas break

January

- **5** School reopens
- **5-23** STAR testing
- **6** Senior Dues Payment Day #3
- **19** School closed MLK Day
- **23** Report cards issued

February

- **3** Senior Dues Payment Day #4
- **11** Membership Count Day
- **16-20** School closed for winter break

March

- **3+4** Testing – no high school classes
- **5** Senior Dues Payment #5
- **17+18** Professional Development
- **27** Senior Pinning Breakfast at Gazebo 9 a.m.- noon

April

- **3** Good Friday – Easter break begins
- **13** School reopens
- **15** Senior Dues: Late fees assessed for nonpayment
- **17** Report cards issued
- **?** Senior Class Barbeque

May

- **22** Prom with DIA, tickets \$75, location TBD
- **25** Memorial Day – school closed
- **27+28** Senior finals

June

- **3** Graduation rehearsal 10 am - noon
- **5** Graduation @ FDA auditorium 10 a.m.
- **11** report cards issued (tentative)



News & Reminders:

- Staff -- please check students each hour for uniform compliance – top to bottom.
- Teachers should contact Subfinder and AP McMurtry to report all absences.
- Remember to mark attendance each hour within the first 15 minutes of class.
- Photo 1 – Varsity basketball has been scrimmaging to prepare for the season. Go Canes! 2, 3 – Principal Greer and AP McMurtry recognized our security staff with gifts of Honeybaked hams. 4 – Fifty-five students were recognized the first quarter honors assembly. 5 – The S.S. Department at work!



Word of the Week

By Dennis Donald



nostomania

/nos-tuh-MEY-nee-yuh/

(n.) An irresistible compulsion to return home; intense homesickness.

All of the young men that joined the armed forces experienced a period of nostomania after the first few months.