IMPORTANT DATES 2017

April 27	Thursday	Last day to turn in scholarships/awards for Graduation Program.
May 1	Monday	Graduation practice permission slips distributed during English classes.
May 4	Thursday	Graduation practice permission slips **DUE** to English teachers.
May 12	Friday	Prom at St. Michael's Woodside – 6 p.m. until 11 p.m. No School for Seniors! **Be at your table for dinner at 7 p.m.**
May 12-13	Friday	After Prom, Brecksville Recreation Center – 11 p.m. until 2:00 a.m. (This is NOT a Padua-sponsored event.)
May 15	Monday	School resumes for seniors. **There is NO "Senior Cut Day"**
May 19	Friday	All tuition, fines and fees to Padua MUST BE PAID IN FULL
May 19	Friday	Graduation practice, Holy Family Church—11:00 a.m. until 2:30 p.m. Practice will begin as soon as all arrive. We may finish before 2:30 if cooperation allows the practice to run smoothly. **Attendance is mandatory** and will be taken by senior homeroom teachers.
May 22	Monday	Senior Final Exam Week
May 23	Tuesday	All textbooks must be returned at the time of the exam and/or
May 24	Wednesday	textbook fines paid.
May 25	Thursday	
May 26	Friday	Senior Awards Assembly, Padua Gym—8:00 until 10:30 a.m. Arrive no later than 7:30-alphabetical line-up in the basement.
May 30	Tuesday	Baccalaureate Mass, St. Anthony of Padua Church—7:00 p.m. All seniors and their families are encouraged to attend.
June 2	Friday	Commencement, Holy Family Church—7:00 p.m. **Admission by ticket only.** Catered reception for all Seniors and their families immediately following Commencement in the Fr. Costello Community Center.

COMMENCEMENT TICKETS

Tickets to Commencement will be passed out at the graduation practice. Each senior will receive **four** tickets to this event. If you are in need of more than four tickets, you must find a classmate who is not in need of all four of their tickets. There may be a limited number of extra tickets available for special circumstances. The procedure for distribution of these tickets that might be available will be given at the graduation practice. Seniors themselves do not need tickets. Underclassmen siblings can serve as ushers for Commencement and would not need a ticket. If a graduating senior has a sibling(s) who are sophomores or juniors at Padua, they may submit their sibling(s) names(s) to Mr. Giulivo or Mrs. DeCesare at **graduation practice, May 19.** Sibling-ushers will be notified in writing by Mrs. DeCesare and Mr. Giulivo.

GRADUATION PRACTICE

Friday, May 19, 2017
11:00 a.m. until 2:30 p.m.
Holy Family Church
7367 York Road, Parma

Graduation ceremonies will take place at Holy Family Church in Parma. Students do not have to come to school before graduation practice. **All seniors must arrive at Holy Family Church NO LATER than 11 a.m.** Attendance is MANDATORY and will be taken. Any student not present will have a phone call made to a parent. With cooperation we anticipate this practice will be completed before 2:30 p.m. Times are estimated.

PERMISSION SLIPS FOR THE GRADUATION PRACTICE WILL BE DISTRIBUTED TO ALL SENIORS IN ENGLISH CLASS ON MONDAY, MAY 1st, AND WILL BE DUE BACK BY THURSDAY, MAY 4th, TO YOUR ENGLISH TEACHER.

FINANCIAL OBLIGATIONS

Friday, May 19, 2017

All tuition, fines and fees to Padua must be paid by this date no later than 9 a.m.

If your fees have not been paid or if you owe money for fines, you cannot take your final exams. Please take care of all debts owed to Padua through the Business Office.

SENIOR EXAMS & TEXTBOOK OBLIGATIONS

May 22 23, 24, 25
Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday

All textbooks must be turned in and all textbook fines must be paid at the time of each semester exam.

If your textbook is not turned in and/or a textbook fine is not paid, you will not receive your diploma. Please take care of these matters before your final exams.

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THIRTY-SEVENTH ANNUAL AWARDS ASSEMBLY

Friday, May 26, 2017
8:00 a.m. until 10:30 a.m.
Padua Franciscan High School Gymnasium

Seniors must report to the basement halls by 7:30 a.m. and line up alphabetically. Your homeroom teacher will be there to assist with this. We will then process up to the gym for the assembly.

You must wear your cap, gown and tassel to the assembly. The cap is to be worn flat on your head and the tassel should be on the left. Attire besides the cap and gown should be **formal**. Boys must be in **shirt and tie** as well as **dress pants and dress shoes**. Girls should be in dresses or suits with appropriate footwear – no flip-flops! The white gowns allow brightly colored dresses or suits to show through, so be careful to wear a color or print that will not show through the white gown. **Normal dress code rules involving shaving, hair and jewelry (i.e, earrings, nose rings, etc.) apply for this event.** There will be no gum chewing!

The Awards Assembly is a serious time for us. This is our opportunity to celebrate the accomplishments of you and your classmates before the entire school community. Your parents are invited to attend this event. (Remember, **only those** scholarship and financial awards given to the Guidance Department **by April 27, 2017** will be announced at the **Awards Assembly**.)

BACCALAUREATE MASS

Tuesday, May 30, 2017
7:00 p.m.
St. Anthony of Padua Church

The Senior Baccalaureate Mass is a time for prayer and reflection as a class. It is a wonderful Mass that reflects on past memories and looks ahead to the future. All seniors and their families are encouraged to attend the Mass. We will be asking representative seniors to participate in various aspects of the Mass. Boys are to dress in suit or sport coat and tie. Girls are to wear dresses or suits. Students will sit with their families.

COMMENCEMENT

Friday, June 2, 2017, 7:00 p.m.
Holy Family Church
7367 York Road, Parma

Note to families: Doors to Holy Family Church open at 6:15 p.m.

Seniors report to the Fr. Costello Community Center's cafeteria **no later than** 6:00 p.m. There will be a designated table for each homeroom. Girls will receive their flowers at this time. You must be in full academic dress (gown, cap and tassel). Boys must be in **shirt and tie** as well as **dress pants and dress shoes**. Girls should be in dresses or suits with appropriate footwear – no flip-flops! The white gowns allow brightly colored dresses or suits to show through, so be careful to wear a color or print that will not show through the white gown. **Normal dress code rules involving shaving, hair and jewelry (i.e, earrings, nose rings, etc.) apply for this event.** There will be no gum chewing!

Your homeroom teacher will assist you in lining up for the procession to Holy Family Church. We will line up inside the cafeteria and process to the church at 6:50 p.m.

Diploma covers will be given to you during the Commencement exercises. Actual diplomas will be distributed in the cafeteria following the ceremonies. To receive your diploma, return to the designated homeroom table from which you lined up IMMEDIATELY following Commencement exercises. ***We will only distribute the diplomas for fifteen minutes***, so please save picture taking and visiting until after checking back with your homeroom teacher. If you do not get your diploma in time, you will have to pick it up in the Padua General Office anytime after 8:00 a.m. Monday, June 5, 2016.

CATERED RECEPTION

There will be a catered reception of desserts and beverages in the Fr. Costello Community Center Gymnasium immediately following the Commencement exercises. All graduates and their families are welcome.

2017 SENIOR EXAM SCHEDULE

Exams for class periods 1st- 4th will be taken during regular periods on Monday, May 22nd and Tuesday, May 23rd
Exams for class periods 5/6th-11th will be on Wednesday, May 24th and Thursday, May 25th

On all days, once you arrive at school, you must stay until your last exam is over. Please do not disturb the rest of the school. Leave the building and parking lot right after your last exam. Please remember that St. Anthony school children will be having morning and lunch recess in the adjoining parking lot. Please be very careful entering and exiting the parking lot. Any detentions given on Mon/Tues will be served on Wednesday. Weds/Thurs. detentions will be served on Thursday.

Monday, May 22nd

You do not need to be here until your first exam. **Go directly to the cafeteria.**
Do not go to your lockers! You may leave after your last exam of the day.

1st	2nd	3rd	4th
8:00 8:44	8:48 9:29	9:33 10:14	10:18 10:59

Seniors are excused the rest of the day.

Tuesday, May 23rd

You do not need to be here until your first exam. **Go directly to the cafeteria.**
Do not go to your lockers! You may leave after your last exam of the day.

1st	2nd	3rd	4th
8:00 8:44	8:48 9:29	9:33 10:14	10:18 10:59

Seniors are excused the rest of the day.

Wednesday, May 24th (Homeroom schedule)

You do not need to be here until your first exam. **Go directly to the cafeteria.**
Do not go to your lockers! You may leave after your last exam of the day.

5/6th	6/7th	7/8th	8/9th	10th	11th
11:11 11:50		11:54 12:33		1:07 1:46	1:50 2:29
	11:41 12:20		12:24 1:03		

Thursday, May 25th (Regular schedule)

You do not need to be here until your first exam. **Go directly to the cafeteria.**
Do not go to your lockers! You may leave after your last exam of the day.

5/6th	6/7th	7/8th	8/9th	10th	11th
11:03 11:44		11:48 12:29		1:03 1:44	1:48 2:29
	11:33 12:14		12:18 12:59		

PERFECT ATTENDANCE:

Any senior who is trying for perfect attendance should **sign the bottom of this sheet** and ***hand it in*** to Mrs. Frantz in the Attendance Office as soon as possible to ensure the office has the names of all with perfect attendance.

Name: _____

Deadline is April 21, 2017