



# titan tips

**John F. Kennedy High School  
Need to Know Information**

**2024-2025**

## WELCOME BACK TITANS!

The John F. Kennedy Community is excited to welcome students back to school. These next few pages will contain information that we hope will be helpful to our Titan Community as we start the 2024-2025 school year. Keep reading to be informed!

### **First Day of School August 14, 2024**

The first day of school includes Freshman orientation. Home Room 1,2,and 3 is used to instruct/refresh new and continuing students on JFK culture such as Titan P.R.I.D.E., Community Circles, School expectations and agenda use.

After lunch, all students will then attend each block and be introduced to their teachers and classroom Syllabi. Regular schedule will resume 8/15/24

### **Bell Schedule 2024-2025**

Beginning with the 2022-2023 school year, The State of California has mandated that all high schools begin no earlier than 8:30 am.

This means the start time for JFK will be 8:30 am everyday, Monday –Friday.

### **Monday - Friday**

HmRm 1	8:30-9:30
<b>Brunch</b>	<b>9:30-9:40</b>
HmRm 2	9:45-10:45
HmRm 3	10:50-11:50
<b>Lunch</b>	<b>11:50-12:20</b>
Block 1	12:25-12:55
Block 2	1:00-1:30
Block 3	1:35-2:05
Block 4	2:10-2:40

Block 1	8:30-9:50
<b>Brunch</b>	<b>9:50-10:00</b>
TitanUp/HR	10:05-10:35
Block 2	10:40-12:00
<b>Lunch</b>	<b>12:00-12:30</b>
Block 3	12:35-1:55
Block 4	2:00-3:20

**John F. Kennedy High School  
Bell Schedules 2024-2025**

<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Sched #1</b> <u>Monday - Friday</u></p> <p>Block 1 8:30-9:50            Brunch 9:50-10:00            TitanUp or HR 10:05-10:35            Block 2 10:40-12:00            Lunch 12:00-12:30            Block 3 12:35-1:55            Block 4 2:00-3:20</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Sched #2</b> <u>Minimum Day</u>  <u>8/30/24, 9/17/24, 10/15/24, 11/8/24, 11/22/24, 11/17/25, 2/14/25, 3/7/25, 4/17/25, 5/23/25</u></p> <p>Block 1 8:30-9:27            Block 2 9:32-10:29            Brunch 10:29-10:44            Block 3 10:49-11:46            Block 4 11:51-12:48</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Sched #3</b> <u>First Day of School</u> <u>8/14/24</u></p> <p>HmRm 1 8:30-9:30            Brunch 9:30-9:40            HmRm 2 9:45-10:45            HmRm 3 10:50-11:50            Lunch 11:50-12:20            Block 1 12:25-12:55            Block 2 1:00-1:30            Block 3 1:35-2:05            Block 4 2:10-2:40</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Sched #4</b> <u>Assembly #1</u> <u>10/4/24, 12/13/24, 5/16/25</u></p> <p>Block 1 8:30-9:30            Brunch 9:30-9:40            Block 2 9:45-10:45            Block 3 10:50-11:50            Lunch 11:50-12:20            Block 4 12:25-1:25            Assembly 1:30-2:30</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Sched #5</b> <u>Assembly #2 (A/B)</u> <u>2/21/25</u></p> <p>Block 1 8:30-9:35            BL2 or Assem 9:40-10:45            Brunch 10:45-11:00            BL2 or Assem 11:05-12:10            Lunch 12:10-12:40            Block 3 12:45-1:50            Block 4 1:55-3:00</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Sched #6</b> <u>Finals</u> <u>12/20/24, 5/30/25</u></p> <p>Block 1 8:30-9:35            Block 2 9:40-10:45            Brunch 10:45-11:00            Block 3 11:05-12:10            Block 4 12:15-1:20</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Sched #7</b> <u>PSAT Testing</u> <u>10/09/24</u></p> <p>Testing 8:30 – 12:00            Lunch 12:00 – 12:30            Homeroom 12:35 – 1:05</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">*Please note: All school days begin at 8:30.</p>

# School Attendance

The 2024-2025 school year begins on **Wednesday , August 14**. Per FUSD policy, students who do not arrive by the first day, may be dropped from the school 's enrollment roster .

If a student is dropped, their seat may be assigned to another student. If the student subsequently reports to school, they will be required to register as a new student.

Exceptions will be made for students with an illness or injury that prevents them from attending school, If a student is ill or injured, Their parent/guardian must notify the school each day the student is absent, as required by district policy.

Student attendance is extremely important to assure student success! In the block schedule each school day missed is the equivalent of two days of instruction in a traditional school schedule. If your student must be absent from school, please call the attendance office at 510-657-4070 and select the corresponding extension for the student's last name or dial the extension as soon as you hear the recording begin. See below:

**ALL students whose last names begin with:**

<b>A-E</b>	<b>Ms. Oyola</b>	<b>x27022</b>
<b>F-L</b>	<b>Mrs. Moscon</b>	<b>x27024</b>
<b>M-R</b>	<b>Mrs. Mejia</b>	<b>x27020</b>
<b>S-Z</b>	<b>Mrs. Lombrana</b>	<b>x27026</b>



We follow State and District guidelines in attendance: If you fail to call on the day of your student's absence, we will attempt to contact you at home or work. If we fail to make contact with you, your student must bring a note explaining the absence on the day he or she returns or within three days of the absence. Students will be referred to an Assistant Principal for unexcused absences, so please clear any legitimate absences to avoid any unnecessary disciplinary action.

To insure the safety of every student, an Off Grounds pass must be obtained before a student leaves campus. Please schedule medical appointments after school hours when possible. However, if your student must visit a doctor during the day, he or she must obtain an Off Grounds Pass from the front office. For your convenience, You may call and have an attendance clerk prepare the pass ahead of the scheduled appointment.

## **1ST BLOCK TARDIES**

Students who arrive after the bell will be directed to the front office and will receive a tardy slip to be admitted to class. Teachers will not allow students to enter the class with out a tardy slip. Students with excessive tardies will be referred for intervention.

## **MINIMUM DAYS/FINAL EXAM SCHEDULE FOR THE 2024-2025 SCHOOL YEAR**

<b>Minimum Days</b>	<b>2024:</b> 8/30,9/17, 10/15,11/8, 11/22
<b>8:30am-12:48pm</b>	<b>2025:</b> 1/17, 2/14, 3/7, 4/17, 5/23

<b>Finals Days</b>	<b>2024:</b> 12/20
<b>8:30am-1:20pm</b>	<b>2025:</b> 5/30

# 2024-2025 Calendar - John F. Kennedy High School

**Dates subject to change. For most up to date information, check our website calendar at <https://fremontunified.org/kennedy>**

## August

6 Senior Maze Day 8:00-10:30  
6 Junior Maze Day 12:00-2:30  
7 Sophomore Maze Day 8:00-10:30  
7 Freshman Maze Day 12:00-3:00  
14 First Day of School 8:30-2:40  
29 Back to School Night  
30 Minimum Day 8:30-12:48

## September

2 Labor Day No School  
11/12 Parent Conferences 4:00-7:00  
17 Minimum Day 8:30-12:48  
26 Sr. College Night  
30 Homecoming Week Begins

## October

4 Homecoming Game  
5 Homecoming Dance 7:00-10:00  
9 PSAT During School 8:30-1:05  
11 Staff Development Day – No School  
15 Minimum Day 8:30-12:48  
16 End of Semester 1  
17 Soph/Fresh College Night  
25 Fall Fest 6:30-9:00

## November

8 Minimum Day 8:30-12:48  
11 Veteran's Day No School  
22 Minimum Day 8:30-12:48  
25-29 Thanksgiving Break

## December

5-7 Drama Production  
12 Winter Concert  
20 Finals 8:00-1:20  
23-31 Winter Break No School

## January

1-3 Winter Break No School  
6 Return to School Term 2 Begins  
17 Minimum Day 8:30-12:48  
20 Martin Luther King Day No School  
30 Open House 6:00

## February

6 Junior College Night  
12/13 Parent Conferences 4:00-7:00  
14 Minimum Day 8:30-12:48  
17 President's Day No School  
18-21 Multi-Cultural Week  
20 International Night  
24 SBAC Testing Begins

## March

7 Minimum Day 8:30-12:48  
10 Staff Development Day – No School  
13 End of Semester 3  
21 Spring Fling Dance 7-10:00

## April

12 Prom  
17 Minimum Day 8:30-12:48  
18-25 Spring Break  
28 Return to School

## May

5 AP Testing Begins  
8-10 Drama Production  
15 Spring Concert  
22 Senior Awards Night  
23 Minimum Day 8:30-12:48  
26 Memorial Day No School  
28 Senior Activity  
29 Senior Breakfast & Check Out  
30 Finals 8:30-1:20 *Last Day of School*  
TBA Graduation Rehearsal

## June

3 JFK Graduation 9am @ TAK





# FREMONT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT INSTRUCTIONAL CALENDAR SCHOOL YEAR 2024-2025

### Important Dates

**DAYS LISTED BELOW ARE  
NON-SCHOOL DAYS FOR  
STUDENTS**

**Teacher Workdays**  
August 12, 2024  
June 2, 2025

**Staff Development Days**  
August 12, 2024  
October 11, 2024  
March 10, 2025

**Parent Conferences**  
November 25, 2024  
November 26, 2024  
*(Sites may vote to hold  
conferences on alternate  
dates and times. Check with  
school site.)*

**Non Workday**  
April 18, 2025

**VACATION & HOLIDAYS**

Independence Day: July 4  
Labor Day: Sept. 2  
Veterans Day: Nov. 11  
Thanksgiving: Nov. 27-29  
Winter Break: Dec. 23-Jan. 3  
M.L. King Jr.: Jan. 20  
Presidents' Day: Feb. 17  
Spring Break: Apr. 21-25  
Memorial Day: May 26  
Juneteenth: June 19

**CLASSIFIED HOLIDAYS  
(CSEA & SEIU ONLY)**

**Winter/Spring Break:**  
Dec. 23, 24, 25, 31, Jan. 1  
**April 18**

- TEACHER WORKDAY
- FIRST & LAST DAYS OF SCHOOL
- VACATIONS, NON WORK DAYS & HOLIDAYS
- STAFF DEV. DAYS
- X PARENT CONFERENCES

July-24							Aug-24							Sep-24							Oct-24						
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Mar-25							Apr-25							May-25							Jun-25						
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For more details, visit us on the FUSD web site [www.fremontunified.org](http://www.fremontunified.org)  
From the home page click on "Calendars & Observances"

### Reports to Parents

**ELEMENTARY REPORTING  
TRIMESTERS**

End of 1st Trimester: 11/8  
End of 2nd Trimester: 2/28  
End of 3rd Trimester: 5/30

**PROGRESS REPORTS**

1st Report: 9/27  
2nd Report: 1/17  
3rd Report: 4/17

**REPORT CARDS**

1st Report Card: 11/22  
2nd Report Card: 3/14  
3rd Report Card: 5/30

**SECONDARY REPORTING  
SEMESTERS**

1st Semester ends:  
Dec. 20, 2024  
2nd Semester ends:  
May 30, 2025

**SECONDARY REPORTING  
QUARTERS**

End of 1st Quarter: 10/10  
End of 2nd Quarter: 12/20  
End of 3rd Quarter: 3/14  
End of 4th Quarter: 5/30

**PROGRESS REPORTS**

1st Report: Week of 9/9  
2nd Report: Week of 11/12  
3rd Report: Week of 2/3  
4th Report: Week of 4/14

**Board of Education**

Meetings are held on the  
2nd & 4th Wednesdays in the  
Board Room at the  
District Office unless otherwise  
specified.

## Online MAZE Confirmation

Parents and guardians of students enrolled for 2024-25 have received information to activate their Aeries Parent Portal, and will use the Portal to complete the annual MAZE process, called "Parent Data Confirmation" in Aeries. You will:

- provide required information for each enrolled student - such as emergency contacts,
- acknowledge certain parent/guardian and student rights and responsibilities, and
- access specific school forms/information.

Completing the MAZE process ensures your student's school has accurate information, and allows families to view student schedules/classroom assignments and their teachers when that information is released in August.

This must be complete to receive a class schedule on MAZE Day

## Planning a Move During the School Year?

Please notify the office staff of any changes to your address and/or phone number. Updated information is vital to the school safety of your child.

## COVID-19 PROTOCOLS

As we begin the 2023-2024 school year, Covid-19 continues to be a factor in our community. For the most updated information regarding updates on requirements and protocols, please go [here](#)

## SERVICE LEARNING

All FUSD graduates are required to complete Service Learning hours before graduation. Service Learning is not the same as Community Service; it must be connected to an academic area. Service Learning must be pre-approved and verified by the Service Learning Coordinator. Please address any questions you might have to the Coordinator, Ms. Dee Clark at x27114, [dclark@fremont.k12.ca.us](mailto:dclark@fremont.k12.ca.us) or the counseling staff.

For complete information regarding Service Learning at JFK, Check out our Web Page [Here](#)

## Website ([fremontunified.org/kennedy/](http://fremontunified.org/kennedy/)) & AERIES ([help](#))

Please visit our [website](#). It includes information regarding notices from FUSD, minimum day schedules, testing dates, athletic schedules and highlights, meetings, ASB activities, daily announcements, all information regarding happenings at Kennedy. Use your parent portal in Aeries and keep up to date with your student's grades, communicate with teachers and JFK Staff, and receive email reminders about all events at John F. Kennedy High School. **Stay informed!**

## FUSD Parent and Student Handbook

Parent/Guardian & Student Handbook is available on the FUSD district [here](#).

**A limited amount of handbooks have been provided by FUSD.** Students may ask for a hard copy of the handbook on MAZE Day when they receive their schedule.

## Physical Education Clothing

All students participating in gym classes are required to change from regular school clothing into clothes that are modest, functional, and appropriate for physical education. The P.E. uniform will be worn as follows:

- Black shorts with Kennedy logo or plain black knit shorts
- Ash colored shirt with Kennedy logo or plain ash colored t-shirt
- Socks
- Tennis shoes (any color)
- Black sweatshirts with Kennedy logo may be substituted with plain ash or plain black sweatshirts
- Black sweatpants with Kennedy logo may be substituted with black shorts or plain black t-shirt

These items may be purchased online **or** on **MAZE day in person**.

To purchase on-line, Please go to [My School Bucks](#) and

1) click "BUY NOW"

2) Log on to "My School Bucks Account"

3) Complete Form with total amount (using price Chart Below\*), include Student information and add specific items.

4) Print receipt and bring to PE CLASS the first week of school.

PE Shirts	\$12
PE Shorts	\$15
PE Sweatshirts	\$15
PE Sweatpants	\$15

In the event of financial hardship, please don't hesitate to call us at 510-657-4070, ext. 27012

### Work Permit Application:

If a student is under 18 and is working, they need a permit! Permits must be renewed each school year. Please see Mrs. Clark in room 114 for an application. In order to work, a student must have good attendance, pass every class and have a 2.0 GPA. A social security card will also be needed to finish the application process. Visit our Web page [here](#)

### JFK Needs You!!

John F. Kennedy High School is looking for Parent and Student representatives to serve on the following important committees:

- **School Site Council**
- **Safety Committee**
- **ELAC—We are looking for parents who speak languages other than English at home for our ELAC committee.**

For more information regarding the above committees, Please contact Mrs. Kiester at 510.657.4070 x27306 or email [akiester@fusdk12.net](mailto:akiester@fusdk12.net)

### JFK Los Necesita!

La escuela de John F. Kennedy busca padre y alumno representantes para que sirvan en los siguientes comités:

- **El Concilio Escolar**
- **El Comité de Seguridad**
- **El Comité de Aprendizaje de Ingles – Buscamos padres de familia que hablan otro idioma además de inglés para nuestro comité.**

Para más información acerca de los siguientes comités, favor de llamar a la Sra. Kiester al 510-657-4070 extensión 27306. o correo electronici [akiester@fusdk12.net](mailto:akiester@fusdk12.net)

# JOHN F. KENNEDY HIGH SCHOOL

## **PARKING PERMIT CONTRACT 2024-2025—WILL BE STRICTLY ENFORCED**

**\$ 15.00**

The granting of a student parking permit is subject to the following regulations:

- The Student must have a valid driver's license;
- The Student **must provide current proof of insurance** (card or copy of policy);
- The Student may not register more than one (1) car per permit;
- Any change in the information below must be reported to the business office within 48 hours;
- Student vehicles must be parked in the south lot only, and within the lines of marked stalls;
- A speed limit of **5 miles per hour** must be observed at all times. Exhibitionist driving will result in issuance of a ticket and the permanent loss of parking privileges;
- Drivers will grant pedestrians the right-of-way at all times;
- There will be NO LOITERING in or about vehicles, or in the parking lot;
- Parking permits are NOT TRANSFERABLE;
- All school rules, City of Fremont municipal codes, and CA DMV codes apply at all times;
- No passengers may be transported in the bed of trucks - Doing so will result in the loss of the permit;

Student Drivers of unregistered vehicles, vehicles without permits, vehicles with improperly displayed permits, and illegally parked vehicles **will be subjected to disciplinary actions and incur a \$5.00 debt** by the school/Fremont Police Department (FPD) for each occurrence. Please note if the FPD issues a ticket, the cost is more than \$5.00. It is a municipal ticket.

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*I have read the above rules and regulations and agree to abide by them at all times. I understand that any violation of the above will be cause for disciplinary action including detention and/or suspension from school.*

_____	_____
<b>PRINT PARENT/GUARDIAN NAME</b>	<b>PARENT/GUARDIAN SIGNATURE</b>
_____	_____
<b>PRINT STUDENT'S NAME</b>	<b>STUDENT'S SIGNATURE</b>

Driver's license # \_\_\_\_\_ Auto(s) Insured by: \_\_\_\_\_

License Expiration date: \_\_\_\_\_ Insurance Expiration date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Vehicle**

Make: \_\_\_\_\_

Year: \_\_\_\_\_

Color: \_\_\_\_\_

License Plate # \_\_\_\_\_

<p align="center"><b><u>FOR OFFICE USE ONLY</u></b></p> <p>Permit # _____</p> <p>Date: _____</p>
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