



2023 – 2024 Program Guide

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 11, 2023 – FRIDAY, MAY 31, 2024 | 2:15 – 5:00 PM

WHAT IS NIGHT HAWK?

Night Hawk is where current HMS students can participate in a variety of extracurricular activities such as:

- Academic Support/Extra Teacher Help
- Sports/Games
- STEAM Activities
- Clubs & Groups
- Volunteering

- ★ Students only participate when they are interested in an activity, which may not be every day.
- ★ Students sign in and receive a snack in the cafeteria, then they will be dismissed to participate in one of the scheduled activities.
- ★ Students are supervised at all times in the building.
- ★ **All current HMS students are welcome to participate. There is no fee to attend Night Hawk activities**
- ★ **How To REGISTER:** Complete the [Night Hawk Online Registration](#) or use the QR Code at the bottom.

BENEFITS OF ATTENDING NIGHT HAWK

- Better peer & staff relationships.
- Improved classroom participation & academic performance.
- Improved school attendance.
- Reduced high risk behavior.
- Increased participation in healthy recreational activities.
- Increased school, family, and community partnerships.

*Schedules, information and updates will be posted at the school and on the [HMS Night Hawk Webpage](#).

**Encourage your student to get involved in as many activities as possible, including ones they have never done before.

NIGHT HAWK BELL SCHEDULE					
TIME	MONDAYS	TUESDAYS	WEDNESDAYS	THURSDAYS	FRIDAYS
2:15 – 2:20	All students go to the CAFETERIA to sign in and receive a snack.				
2:20 - 2:30	Attendance is verified and announcements are made in the CAFETERIA.				
2:30 - 3:15	Staff pick up students for BLOCK A activities.				
3:15 - 3:20	Students transition to Block B or leave the building if they're not staying.				
3:20 - 4:50	BLOCK B Activities				
4:50 - 5:00	Students will be dismissed from their BLOCK B activity. Students taking a late bus must report to the CAFETERIA by 4:55 PM.				Dismissal (No Late Buses)

CLUB/ACTIVITY INFORMATION

- Activities offered during Night Hawk focus on
 - Social Skills & Youth Development
 - Academic Support & Enrichment
 - Physical & Mental Wellness
 - Family & Community Involvement
- Activities will be changed (added/removed) quarterly.
- Due to limited space and resources, some activities may require try-outs.
- Students can implement Night Hawk Activities! Email Mr. Fuller if you have an idea!

DISMISSAL & LATE BUS INFORMATION

- Late Buses are available Monday - Thursday. Fridays are walking/parent pick-up days.
- Late bus numbers/stops are different from the school day numbers/stops. The Bus Number will begin with "HILR" and the stop may be a little further from your house.
- Students can be picked up at Kiss and Ride, which is located behind the school in the bus parking lot near Door 6.
Please do no pickup from the front door.

PARTICIPANT EXPECTATIONS

- Students must be in the cafeteria by 2:20 PM if they would like to stay after school that day.
- Students must sign in every day they stay after.
- Students must respect the building at all times. This includes helping keep the school clean.
- Students must respect everyone at all times.
- Students must keep all body parts to themselves at all times.
- Students must be at a supervised activity the entire time they are staying after school.
- During transitions, students must go directly to their next activity or leave the building.
- Deliveries of food and other items are not allowed.

ACADEMIC POLICY

- Students with academic obligations must fulfill those prior to attending a non-academic activity.
- Students with Ds/Fs will need to get additional support from those teachers in order to participate in other activities.

ATTENDANCE POLICY

- Students must be registered in order to attend. [Night Hawk Online Registration](#)
- If a student is absent from school, they are not allowed to participate in Night Hawk that day.
- Students that serve In-School/Out-Of-School Suspension are not allowed to participate in Night Hawk for at least 5 school days, starting the day of the suspension.
- Students cannot leave the building and then return unless they are checked in by a parent/guardian in the Main Office.

BEHAVIORAL POLICY

- Students' behavior during the school day may impact their participation in Night Hawk.
- Night Hawk follows the HMS & FCPS behavioral guidelines which includes the SR&R. Bullying and disrespect of any kind will not be tolerated in the after-school program. Violations will result in loss of after-school privileges.
- Loitering during Night Hawk activities will result in at least an automatic one week Night Hawk suspension.
- Fighting during Night Hawk will result in at least an automatic two week Night Hawk suspension along with possible in-school consequences.

PHONE POLICY

- In alignment with the SR&R, students are not allowed to use their phones after 2:40 PM outside of parent communication that is approved by Night Hawk Staff.
- During the 2:15 - 2:40 PM time frame:
 - Pictures, Videos, FaceTime, Calling & Texting aren't allowed unless approved by staff.
 - Students must watch appropriate media and wear headphones if listening to music/sound.

The IF - THEN Table

This table is a guideline of the results of certain actions that take place at Night Hawk.

The results may be modified by the Night Hawk staff based on the situation.

Parents will be contacted if any of these situations occur.

IF A STUDENT	THEN THAT STUDENT
is not in the cafeteria by 2:20 PM...	cannot participate in Night Hawk and will need to leave the building.
walks out of the building at dismissal, which includes walking a friend to the buses...	cannot participate in Night Hawk and will need to leave the building.
is not following the directions asked...	will need to go home for the day.
is not in a supervised Night Hawk activity...	will need to go home for the day and will take at least a one week break from Night Hawk. Running away or hiding from staff will result in a two (or more) week break.
is trashing/vandalizing any areas/items...	will need to go home for the day and will take at least a two week break from Night Hawk.
is disrespecting/bullying anyone...	will need to go home for the day and will take at least a one week break from Night Hawk.
is not keeping hands, feet and all other body parts to themselves...	will need to go home for the day and will take at least a one week break from Night Hawk.
is a part of a fight, which includes instigating...	will need to go home for the day and will take at least a two week break from Night Hawk.
has been asked more than once to put their phone away... OR is taking pictures/videos during Night Hawk...	will need to check their phone into the Main Office and pick it up at 4:45 PM.
refuses to check their phone into the Main Office...	will need to go home for the day and will take at least a one week break from Night Hawk.
orders anything to be brought to HMS...	will have to keep it in the Main Office until 4:50 PM. Multiple violations will result in at least a one week break.
is late to late bus dismissal (4:55 PM)...	will take at least a one week break from Night Hawk.

Have questions or need additional information? Please contact...

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NIGHT HAWK REGISTRATION

