



Klein Oak
High School
Home of the Panthers

Empowering Lives Through Learning

Attendance Counts. Everyone. Every day.

Oak Notes 2016-2017

Oak Notes is a biweekly newsletter that highlights important news at Klein Oak! To ensure that you receive Oak Notes, please make sure a working email address is on file for your student. Changes to your email address can be made through the registrar's office.

For more information about the many activities that occur at KO please visit our campus website at <http://kleinoak.kleinisd.net/> and follow us on twitter at @KleinOak

2017-2018 Parent Course Selection Information Night

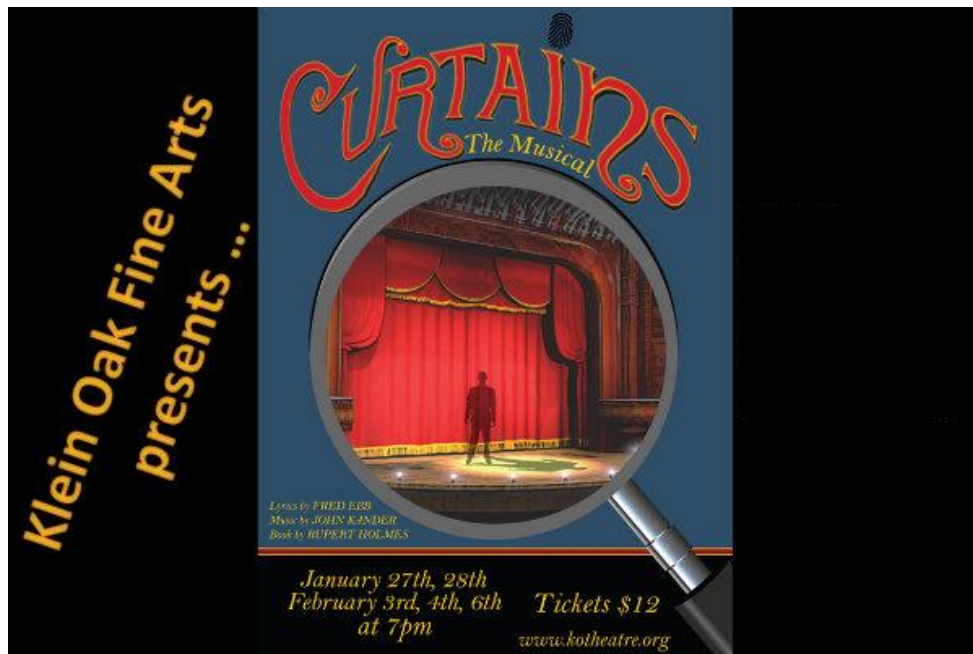
Thursday, January 26th from 6:30 pm - 8:30 pm

The evening will begin with a House Bill 5 (HB5) information session. It will continue with endorsement pathway visits throughout the school.

We ask you to pre-register your selections to ensure you are able to visit the endorsement pathways in which you are interested. Sign up on the Klein Oak website homepage. Deadline to pre-register is Friday, January 20th. After you sign up, you will receive an email to confirm your selections.

Credit By Exam With Prior Instruction (CBE)

Credit By Exam With Prior Instruction will be offered for students who have failed English, Math, Science, Social Studies, Spanish 1 or 2, or French 1 or 2 class with a grade of 60-69 in the 2016 fall semester only. Students will sign up with their grade level counselor during the registration time. Please see the attached flyer for more information.



Purchase tickets at www.kotheatre.org

Learn more about the A-F Accountability system here!

<https://goo.gl/icSIFk>

Time is running out to buy your copy of the 2017 yearbook! The deadline is January 20th at \$75. There will be a few that will be sold on a first come first serve basis in May for \$100. Don't delay make sure to have one reserved today at schoolcashonline.com!!

View Klein Oak High School's 2015-16 School Report Card at the link below

<https://goo.gl/KXls5Z>

**Texas Education Agency
2015-16 School Report Card
KLEIN OAK H S (101915003)**

District Name: **KLEIN ISD**
Campus Type: **High School**

Total Students: **4,006**
Grade Span: **09 - 12**



**ATTEND FINANCIAL AID
& FAFSA COMPLETION NIGHT**

**TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 7, 2017
6:00 – 8:00 P.M.**

**KLEIN MULTIPURPOSE CENTER
7500 FM 2920 | KLEIN, TX 77379**

**FOR MORE INFORMATION, CONTACT
THE SCHOOL COUNSELING OFFICE.**

GET FREE, ONE-ON-ONE HELP COMPLETING YOUR FEDERAL APPLICATION FOR FEDERAL STUDENT AID (FAFSA) OR TEXAS APPLICATION FOR STATE FINANCIAL AID (TASFA) FROM COLLEGE FINANCIAL AID REPRESENTATIVES BOTH IN ENGLISH & SPANISH.

LEARN ABOUT THE VARIOUS TYPES OF FINANCIAL AID TO HELP PAY FOR COLLEGE THROUGH A 40-MINUTE INFORMATIONAL PRESENTATION BOTH IN ENGLISH & SPANISH. PRESENTATION WILL BE REPEATED.

Hispanic Forum's Career & Education Day

Saturday, Feb. 18th 9 am until 3 pm at the GRB

See the attached flyer for details!

Spring Final Exam Exemption Rules

Students will be eligible for exemptions if they meet all of the requirements below:

Requirements in EACH class	Fall Semester	Spring Semester
Semester Average	Passing	80 or above
Absences	4 or less	4 or less
Detention	None for Tardies	None for Tardies
ISS, OSS, AEP	None	None
Conduct	E, S, or N only	E, S, or N only
Textbook Records	Totally Clear	Totally Clear

Know a great math teacher? Nominate them for the
ConocoPhillips Math Teacher of the Month:

kisd.us/1N3eXJw

Seniors

The senior panoramic picture has been rescheduled to Wednesday, February 15th.

Klein Oak High School
International Baccalaureate
Diploma Programme



To IB or not to IB
that is the question.

[Click for flyer](#) or contact Linda Garner with questions – lgarner@kleinisd.net or 832-484-5017 or 832-484-5026.

Parents of students who will enter Klein Oak as 9th graders in the fall are invited to attend an

IB Information Meeting

on

Thursday,
January 12th

6:30 pm

KO Auditorium **or**

Thur., Jan. 19th at 6 pm
in Wunderlich library

or

Mon., Jan. 30th at 6:30
pm in Kleb library.

KORC

Students - This is just a reminder that you need to report any damage to your tablet within 5 days. After filling out a Work Order Request online, take your tablet to the KORC for repair. The KORC will not call you down.

Students, this is just a friendly reminder that you must have your tablet in a case at all times. Failure to do so can result in a referral, and should your tablet be damaged while it is not in a case, you will be responsible for the cost of repair.

PANTHER DEN COLLEGE VISITS
Juniors and Seniors Only

The following colleges will be here during Panther Den to speak to students.

YOU MUST REGISTER through Blackboard in order to attend.

Students will receive a confirmation email through the KISD email account once scheduled for the visit.

Deadline to register is **THREE** days prior to the visit.

Lone Star Honors College	February 2nd	Teaching Theatre
LSU	February 16th	Teaching Theatre
Tarleton State	February 23rd	Teaching Theatre
Texas A&M	March 2nd	Teaching Theatre
Texas State	March 9th	Teaching Theatre
Univ. of Houston	March 23rd	Teaching Theatre
Dallas Baptist Univ.	April 6th	Teaching Theatre
Univ. of North Texas	April 13th	Teaching Theatre

**Bulletin for
AP[®] Students
and Parents**

**Registration
for
AP Exams**

- **January 17, 2017 through March 3, 2017**
- \$93 for each exam that you take. The online registration site (coming) accepts credit cards or you can mail a check.
- Please contact Mrs. Nicole Demby at ndemby1@kleinisd.net with questions about financial assistance or other AP inquiries.

Access the bulletin here: <https://goo.gl/ERCOvm>



Parents and Guardians of Klein students in grades 6 thru 12. Klein ISD is no longer using the Parent Connection application. Our new program is called Skyward Family Access. An email was generated to each custodial parent or guardian that has been approved to have access. The email contained your new Family Access account details. All previous username and passwords will no longer be operational.

Please visit www.kleinisd.net for additional information on Skyward Family Access. Questions/Concerns? Email familyaccess@kleinisd.net with your student's legal name, campus and issue.

Please go to Klein ISD's home web site where you will find information on new graduation plans (House Bill 5) at <http://www.kleinisd.net/>

SCHOOL CASH ONLINE

School Cash Online is designed to be an easy to use, efficient online payment system. It is convenient, timely, secure, & accessible. Go to the link listed above and follow the 3 simple steps to get started.

Due to recent changes in payment card industry standards, School Cash Online will no longer work in Internet Explorer 10.

<https://kleinisd.schoolcashonline.com/>

Parents-please use either
Internet Explorer version 9 or 11,
Mozilla Firefox, or Google Chrome while
accessing School Cash Online.



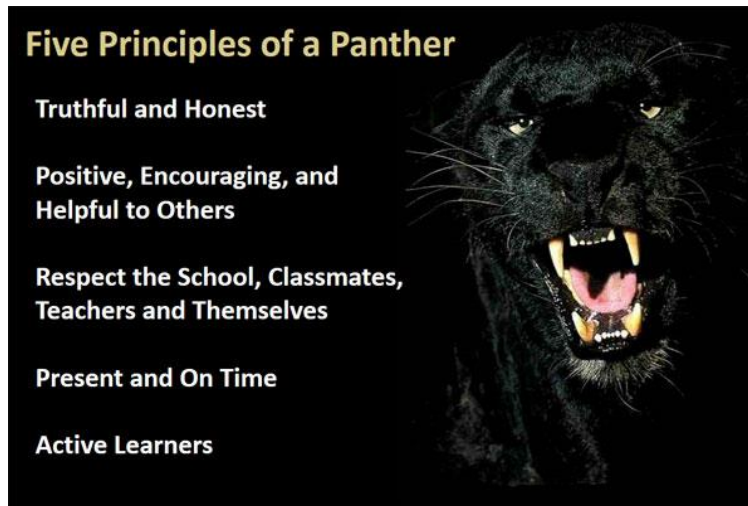
School Cash

For Food Service information and online payments, go to:

<http://kleinfood.kleinisd.net>

Find the KO Honor Code here!

<http://kleinoak.kleinisd.net/default.aspx?name=student.honorcode>



KEEP KLEIN OAK IN THE LOOP!

Parents --- Have you moved? Changed your contact numbers? It is imperative that you keep the school informed of your contact information. Address changes cannot be accepted by email or by phone. If you move, a new proof of residence (current electric, gas

or water bill only) is required to change the address and provide a new bus pass to the student. If you have not yet received a new utility bill, a new lease or closing statement will work for 30 days until a new bill is received. Contact the staff in the registrars' office for assistance: esanchez@kleinisd.net. Change of phone numbers can be sent via email to the email addresses above. Be sure to include the names of all affected students.



<http://www.cashforklein.com/>

OUR DISTRICT RECEIVES \$\$\$ WHEN YOU SHOP ONLINE

The Klein ISD Education Foundation is proud to announce Cash for Klein.

Join for **FREE** and whenever you shop at hundreds of online stores, we will get an average of 3% of the total purchase back automatically to fund more grants.

It costs nothing extra and it does so much good for your school district.

Here's how it works

1. Sign up at www.CashforKlein.com.
2. Install the reminder service on your computer.
3. Whenever you go to a participating internet merchant website, a Cash for Klein reminder window will appear. Just click the link and shop as you normally would.
4. A percentage of each dollar you spend at that merchant will be rebated as a donation from you to the Klein ISD Education Foundation.

500+ Online Retailers



Anyone can join and support our Cash for Klein program.
100% of the money stays here in Klein ISD to support your children.

→ **Do you tweet? Follow us on Twitter @KleinOak** ←

A yellow rectangular sign with black text. The text reads "We are now" in a cursive font, followed by "@KleinOak" in a large, bold, sans-serif font. The sign is framed by a black border.

We are now
@KleinOak

Please assist us in the handling of custody related issues. It is the responsibility of the parents to provide the principal a certified copy of the court order affecting any other person's right to their children. Should you have any questions please call: *Associate Principal Mandy Nesbit at 832-484-5111.*

Support Klein Oak High School by simply shopping at your nearby Kroger and using your Kroger Plus Card.

Here's how to enroll:

1. Visit: KrogerCommunityRewards.com
2. Locate your state and click "Enroll Now"
3. Sign in to your online account, or create an account
4. Find and select your organization, and click "Save"

If you have enrolled with the Kroger Rewards program in the past, you will need to re-enroll.

We believe Klein Oak is a great school and would like the rest of the world to know. Please take the time to rate our school at

<http://www.greatschools.org/texas/spring/4047-Klein-Oak-High-School/?tab=reviews>

Mark your Calendars!

January 20	Boys Basketball vs KF	4/5:30/7
January 24	Girls BB vs Klein	4/5:30/7pm
	Girls Soccer vs KF	5/7pm
January 26	Parent Course Selection Informational Night	6:30-8:30pm
January 27 & 28th	"CURTAINS" The Musical	7pm
January 31	GT Parent Meeting MPR	6-8pm
	Chamber Music Concert Aud	7pm
	Girls Soccer vs Stratford	5/7pm
	Girls BB vs Klein Collins	4/5:30/7pm
February 1	School Wide Course Selection	
February 3, 4, 6th	"CURTAINS" The Musical	7pm
February 15	Senior Meeting & Panoramic Picture	
February 18	Hispanic Forum's Career & Education Day George R. Brown	
February 20	Staff Development/Student Holiday	
March 1	In School SAT Exam - All 11 th grade students	

Progress Reports Distributed: January 26, March 23, & May 11.

Report Cards Distributed: February 21, April 20, & June 8 (mailed)

Additional dates of upcoming events are included within the Oak Notes and on campus website*

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