

## **IRON EAGLE PRESS:**

Hello Iron Eagle Families, Happy Friday!

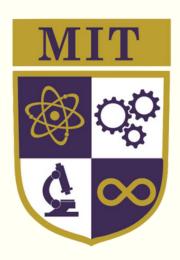
First of all, thank you to all the parents and guardians for attending the parent-teacher conferences this week. Your presence and engagement played a vital role in your child's academic success. I truly appreciate your partnership and commitment to their education. It was nice to see and communicate with many of you in person.

The MIT is hosting the PSAT/SAT Bootcamp to prepare our juniors for their upcoming SAT Exam. This is an excellent opportunity for students to spend some additional time at the bootcamp and get themselves ready for the SAT Exam. Please see the details and the RSVP link on Page 3 of this Newsletter.

The MIT Student Council has been planning many events, and a few are happening next week. Please check our important upcoming events dates on Page 5 of this Newsletter.

This is going to be a busy quarter with many academic, sports, and cocurricular activities happening on campus. Take some rest, Iron Eagles, and let's get ready for our upcoming projects.

Mr. Gandhi Headmaster, MIT









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MIT High School is excited to offer a PSAT/SAT Bootcamp to help students prepare for the upcoming SAT. This intensive program is designed to strengthen test-taking strategies, reinforce key academic skills, and boost confidence. The SAT plays a vital role in college admissions and scholarship opportunities, and we encourage all eligible students to take advantage of this valuable resource.

Let's work together to help our students succeed! Bootcamp Dates:

- Thursday, October 23, 2025 4:00 PM to 7:00 PM (PSAT & SAT)
- Saturday, October 25, 2025 8:00 AM to 12:00 PM (PSAT & SAT only if at least 10 students sign up)
- Monday, October 27, 2025 4:00 PM to 7:00 PM (PSAT & SAT)
- Tuesday, October 28, 2025 4:00 PM to 7:00 PM (SAT Only)
- Wednesday, October 29, 2025 4:00 PM to 7:00 PM (SAT Only)

Click on the Link or Scan the QR Code Below to RSVP for the PSAT/SAT Bootcamp



# RSVP LINK CLICK HERE



### **Maricopa Institute of Technology**

**THURSDAY, OCTOBER 23RD, 2025** 

**3900 S 55TH AVE, PHOENIX, AZ 85043** 

SOCCER GAME 4:00 - 7:00 PM



FOOTBALL GAME 7:00 – 9:00 PM

HOMECOMING

ADULT \$6 | STUDENT \$4

FREE ADMISSION WITH INTEREST FORM COMPLETED

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MARICOPA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY 3900 S 55<sup>TH</sup> AVE, PHOENIX, AZ 85043

**CALL US AT 602-477-2780 FOR MORE DETAILS** 



- October 15<sup>th</sup> 17<sup>th</sup>: Fall Parent Teacher Conferences
- October 22<sup>nd</sup> Senior Club Car Wash
- October 23rd Soccer and Football Game at MIT
- October 24<sup>th</sup> Homecoming Dance
- October 27<sup>th</sup> Senior Sunrise Event
- October 30<sup>th</sup> SAT Exam for Juniors
- October 27th-31st Halloween Spirit Week

#### **UNIFORM INFORMATION**

At MIT, we require our students to wear uniforms. All students are required to have:

- a solid white button-up shirt with the MIT coat of arms and a tie/bow tie.
- Purple polos with the MIT coat of arms are only permitted on Fridays.
- Pants must be either black or khaki. No jeans!
- Students may only wear jackets or sweaters with the MIT coat of arms.

If you have any questions, please review our dress code policy in our <u>student handbook</u> found on our website.

You may purchase your student's uniform over the phone at Rapido AZ (602)689-9592 or visit 3334 W Wilshire Dr. Phoenix AZ 85009 STE# 42.









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A NIGHT IN





TIME: 6:30-9:30
PRICE OF TICKETS:
\$10 PRE-SALE \$15 AT
THE DOOR

HERE AT MIT





## HEALTH SCIENCE SPOTLIGHT

This week, our senior MIT students explored the fundamentals of vital signs, learning how to take accurate readings, identify normal ranges, and recognize when values may be outside the norm. Students practiced taking blood pressure on one another and staff members, gaining valuable hands-on experience.

They also learned about the importance of HIPAA and maintaining confidentiality in healthcare settings. The students showed great enthusiasm and curiosity throughout the session and are already looking forward to next week's lecture as they continue their journey toward a future career in healthcare!

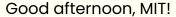








#### **CLUB SPOTLIGHT**



Our Hispanic Honor Society and AP WE Program are bringing back the Pulsera Project this year—continuing a tradition and a meaningful way to close Hispanic Heritage Month.

What's happening:

- When: All next week during lunch
- What: Students will sell colorful, handmade bracelets created by artisans in Nicaragua and Guatemala
- Why it matters: 100% of proceeds return to the program to support schools, scholarships, housing, and employment—many benefiting communities led by single mothers (see attached video)

In the classroom:

AP students weave this project into the WE Program, studying poverty, migration, ethnic identity, art, education, and fair trade—growing as global citizens and working toward a special AP certificate.

For teachers:

This school-centered initiative offers free lesson plans and activities on fair trade, civics, and global challenges (links included) to extend learning beyond the sale.

Thank you for supporting our students and partner communities!

AP Classes • HHS • Ms. Valenzuela • Ms. Alba











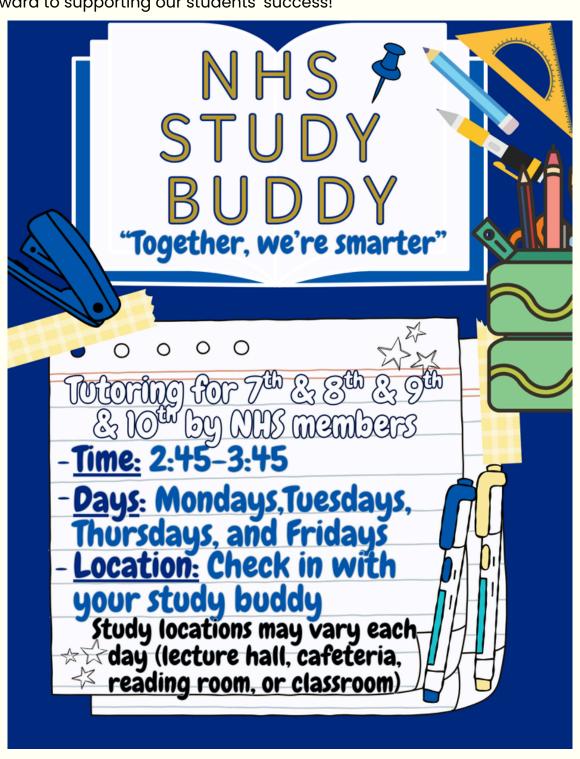


#### **CLUB SPOTLIGHT**

The National Honor Society is excited to introduce a new program called STUDY BUDDY! This initiative is led by NHS members who will serve as after-school tutors. If your child needs extra help in any subject or class, they now have the opportunity to receive academic assistance after school.

To request a Study Buddy, please visit your grade-level Google Classroom and sign up using the provided form to reserve a spot.

We look forward to supporting our students' success!



## PARENT TEACHER CONFERENCES

Thank you to our amazing families, students, and teachers for a great Parent-Teacher Conference week! •
We loved seeing meaningful conversations, and we kept our teachers fueled with a school-provided lunch between sessions.







A Look ahead into Athletics

It's Homecoming Week at MIT!

Join us for a full week of games, senior celebrations, and school spirit. Let's pack the stands and show our Eagle pride all week long!

#### Tuesday, October 22 – Volleyball Senior Night 🟐

Home Game: MIT vs. Imagine Prep at Surprise – 5:30 PM
Come celebrate our volleyball seniors at their final home game of the season!

#### Wednesday, October 23 – Volleyball on the Road 🏐

Away Game: MIT at Mission Heights Prep – 5:00 PM Cheer on our Lady Eagles as they take the court for one of their final matches before playoffs!

## Thursday, October 24 – Soccer, Cheer, Dance & HOMECOMING GAME NIGHT!

Home Soccer Game: MIT vs. Pan American Charter – 4:00 PM Support our Eagles in their last home soccer game of the season!

#### Cheer & Dance Routine: 6:15 PM

Don't miss a special Homecoming performance from our Cheer and Dance teams!

#### Football Homecoming Game: 7:30 PM

Join us under the lights for the Homecoming Football Game!

The Homecoming Court Presentation at Halftime – All court representatives must attend.

## MIT ATHLETICS

A Look ahead into Athletics

Homecoming shirts are available for \$25 each — but only while supplies last!

Wear it proudly at the Homecoming games next week!

Shirts will be on sale over lunch periods and online. If you order a shirt online, you can pick it up the next day at the front desk.

https://www.gobound.com/az/schools/miotechnology/stores/ /s913





#### 2025-2026 BEST US HIGH SCHOOLS - US NEWS Ranking

Thank you, everyone, for making MIT High School #11 in the Phoenix, AZ Metro Area High School and #16 in Arizona High Schools.

#### Maricopa Institute of Technology 2025-2026 Rankings

Maricopa Institute of Technology is ranked #720 in the National Rankings. Schools are ranked on their performance on state-required tests, graduation and how well they prepare students for college. Read more about how we rank the Best High Schools.

#### All Rankings

- #720 in National Rankings
- #16 in Arizona High Schools
- #11 in Phoenix, AZ Metro Area High Schools
- #132 in Charter High Schools

SCORECARD	95.98
Took at Least One AP® Exam	97%
Passed at Least One AP® Exam	63%
Mathematics Proficiency	33%
Graduation Rate	98%





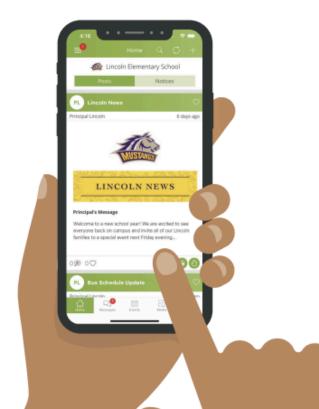
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Early Dismissal: 4, 5, 6, 18 and 25

Days of Attendance = 127 + 16 = 143

#### MARICOPA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY INSTRUCTIONAL CALENDAR 2025-2026



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Teacher Check-Out Memorial Day

Early Dismissal: 6 and 21

Days of Attendance = 165 + 15 = 180

Early Dismissal: 1, 22 and 29

Days of Attendance = 143 + 22 = 165



Hello Iron Eagel Families, thank you for your continued support to achieve MIT's mission and vision. Our Mission and Vision are always available on our school website at <a href="https://www.mitglobalonline.org/Our-School">https://www.mitglobalonline.org/Our-School</a> and I would also like to take this opportunity to share them with you all here.

#### **Vision:**

MIT will provide a science, technology, engineering, and math program to students within a state-of-the-art research facility with the goal of preparing our students for collegiate success and successful STEM<sup>2</sup> careers.

#### **Mission:**

Maricopa Institute of Technology (MIT) is a college preparatory high school providing an advanced science, technology, engineering, and mathematics (STEM) education while challenging students to pursue personal excellence in character in order to serve and lead others. MIT will provide a comprehensive and rigorous (STEM) curriculum through interdisciplinary work, independent learning, projects, internships, and college credits earned by graduation through Advanced Placement (AP) or dual enrollment classes.

