

September 8, 2017

Greetings CSI Families!

Thank you for taking a few minutes to check in with the CSI world. It's been a great start!

Important Dates:

9/26 CSI Open House (see below)
10/12 Conferences (11:30-2:30 p.m., 3:30-6:30 p.m.)
11/3 End of 1st Marking Period
11/7 No school, teacher professional development

Stay informed:

Facebook "Utica Center for Science and Industry" (page and group)

Remind Text Alerts text @ucsi to 81010 *

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*If at any point you want to be removed from the Remind alerts, text:

- Leave all Reminds owned by this teacher: respond @LEAVE to message
- Leave a teacher's specific Remind: respond @LEAVE @ "code"

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Please call both the home school and CSI to excuse your child when absent.

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News to Know:

1. Pizza and Bagel volunteers needed!

If you are interested and available to help sell pizza on Fridays of bagels on Tuesdays, please visit the Sign Up Genius at <http://www.signupgenius.com/go/60b0c49afa82ea64-volunteers> to sign up to help. We kindly ask that you sign up for no more than 5 slots to start with, and return in a week or so to pick up extra shifts should they be available.

This will help allow everyone who wants to help an opportunity to do so. We are so

grateful for everyone who is able to give some time for these important weekly fundraisers.

2. **Thank you** to all of you who have sent in extra supplies such as tissue, markers, wipes and hand sanitizer. Every donation is greatly appreciated! ☺

3. **CSI Open House Tuesday, September 26**

Freshmen/Senior classes

5:20-5:30 1st hour

5:33-5:43 2nd hour

5:46-5:56 3rd hour

6:00 Presentation, Mr. Bob Monroe, Assistant Superintendent for Teaching and Learning

Sophomore/Junior classes

6:20-6:30 4th hour

6:33-6:43 5th hour

6:46-6:56 6th hour

7:00-7:20 Junior Job Shadowing Informational Meeting

Freshmen and senior parents are free to leave following the 6:00 presentation.

Junior and sophomore parents should arrive for the start of the 6:00 presentation.

4. Thanks to all of the students as we made a large **adjustment to our schedule** on day 3. ☺ Everyone is enrolled in the same classes, but some of their hours changed. The primary reason for this change was so that the Mechatronics I and Engineering I classes are the same hour, allowing for more collaboration between these two classes and teachers. Joining us this year to teach Engineering I is Mr. Jim Bauer, who also teaches at Heritage Junior High. Mr. Bauer has a background in structural engineering and also has several years' experience teaching CAD courses at Macomb Community College. We are pleased to welcome Mr. Bauer to the CSI family.
5. This summer I was notified that CSI was selected to be a recipient of FCA/FIAT's **"Stuff the Bus" program**. Employees at the Sterling Heights Assembly plant filled new backpacks with great school supplies, and approximately 70 such backpacks were dropped here at the IRC. We were able to share the donations with five UCS elementary schools (Ebeling, Dresden, Havel, West Utica, Schwarzkoff) and still have several to share with any of our students who might have a need this school year. If your child is in need of a new backpack and supplies and times are tight for your family, let me know and I will discreetly get them a pack.

