

The Morgan School Principal Keri Hagness Assistant Principal Chris Luther

The Morgan School cultivates intellect and character in partnership with families and community.

Information and News: October 16- October 20 SCHEDULE NEXT WEEK - 10/23-10/27

Day 4		Day 1		Day 2		Day 3		Day 4		
Drop A & E		Drop D & H		Drop C & G		Drop B & F		Drop A & E		
Mo	Monday		Tuesday		Wednesday		Thursday		Friday	
	7:35-8:31 am	A	7:35-8:31 am	A	7:35-8:31 am	A	7:35-8:24 am	В	7:35-8:31 am	
В	56 min		56 min		56 min		49 min		56 min	
8:31-8:35 am (4 min)		8:31-8:35 am (4 min)		8:31-8:35 am (4 min)		8:24-8:28 am (4 min)		8:31-8:35 am (4 min)		
С	8:35-9:31 am	В	8:35-9:31 am	В	8:35-9:31 am	Flex	8:28 - 8:58 am 30 min	С	8:35-9:31 am	
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9:31-9:35 am (4 min)		9:31-9:35 am (4 min)		9:31-9:35 am (4 min)		8:58-9:02 am (4 min)		9:31-9:35 am (4 min)		
D	9:35-10:31 am	С	9:35-10:31 am	D	9:35-10:31 am	С	9:02-9:51 am	D	9:35-10:31 am	
U	56 min		56 min		56 min		49 min		56 min	
10:31-10:3	10:31-10:34 am (4 min)		10:31-10:35 am (4 min)		10:31-10:35 am (4 min)		10:51-10:55 am (4 min)		10:31-10:34 am (4 min)	
F	10:35-11:31 am	Е	10:35-11:31 am	Е	10:35-11:31 am	D	9:55-10:44 am	F	10:35-11:31 am	
(E)	56 min		56 min		56 min		49 min		56 min	
11:31-11:34 am (3 min)		11:31-11:34 am (3 min)		11:31-11:34 am (3 min)		10:44-10:48 am (4 min)		11:31-11:34 am (3 min)		
G1	11:34 - 12:04 pm	F1	11:34 - 12:04 pm	F1	11:34 - 12:04 pm	E1	10:48 - 11:18 pm	G1	11:34 - 12:04 pm	
UI	30 min		30 min		30 min		30 min		30 min	
12:04-12:07 pm (3 min)		12:04-12:07 pm (3 min)		12:04-12:07 pm (3 min)		11:18-11:21 pm (3 min)		11:37 -11:40 am (3 min)		
G2	12:07 - 12:37 pm	F2	12:07 - 12:37 pm	F2	12:07 - 12:37 pm	E2	11:21 - 11:51 am	G2	12:07 - 12:37 pm	
uz	30 min		30 min		30 min		30 min		30 min	
12:37-12:4	10 pm (4 min)	12:37 -12:4	0 pm (3 min)	12:37 -12:4	0 pm (3 min) 11:51 -11:54 am (3 min)		12:10-12:14 pm (4 min)			
G3	12:40-1:10 pm	F3	12:40-1:10 pm	F3	12:40-1:10 pm	E3	11:54-12:24 pm	G3	12:40-1:10 pm	
us	30 min		30 min		30 min		30 min		30 min	
1:10-1:14	1:10-1:14 pm (4 min)		1:10-1:14 pm (4 min)		1:10-1:14 pm (4 min)		12:24-12:28 pm (4 min)		1:10-1:14 pm (4 min)	
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FALL PARENT CONFERENCES - November 16

Mark your calendars and stay tuned for more information.





IMPORTANT DATES

- CLICK & SUBMIT November 1
- VETERANS DAY ASSEMBLY November 10
- MORGAN HOMECOMING WEEKEND November 10-November 12
 - Homecoming Football Game November 10
 - Homecoming Dance November 11
 - PowderPuff Game November 12
- MORGAN TEACHER CONFERENCES NOVEMBER 16
- MORGAN BAND CONCERT December 6
- 2ND ANNUAL HUMAN RIGHTS DAY WORKSHOP December 7
- MID TERM EXAMS January 16-19
 - (subject to change based on weather related closings)
- 8th GRADE OPEN HOUSE February 28
- NGSS TESTING March 6 Juniors Only
- SAT DAY March 27
- JUNIOR PORTFOLIO April 4 Juniors Only
- **AP TESTING** May 6-10 & May 13-17
- JUNIOR PROM May 3
- **SENIOR PROM** May 17
- **SENIOR AWARDS NIGHT** May 29
- **UNDERCLASSMEN AWARDS** May 31
- FINAL EXAMS June 4-June 10
- GRADUATION June 10 6:00 pm

Please note: we will continue to update this throughout the year and notify you of any changes as soon as possible.







VETERANS

* * HOVEMBER 10 AT 10:00 AM * *

A SPECIAL VETERANS DAY PROGRAM TO HONOR THOSE OF US WHO HAVE SERVED AND CONTINUE TO SERVE.



MUSIC FOR THE PROGRAM HAS BEEN ARRANGED BY
THE MORGAN MUSIC DEPARTMENT
MR. VIDAL ORDUZ AND MR. JOHN LAMPE

LIVESTREAM WILL ALSO BE AVAILABLE FOR THOSE THAT CANNOT MAKE IT IN PERSON

LUNCHEON WILL FOLLOW IN THE MORGAN LEARNING COMMONS AND HAS BEEN PREPARED BY OUR CULINARY PROGRAM

TO HELP WITH PLANNING PURPOSES - PLEASE RSVP TO THE MORGAN MAIN OFFICE -860.664.6504 - JCOX@CLINTONPUBLIC.NET



NATIONAL TECHNICAL HONOR SOCIETY

This week students were informed of their selection into the National Technical Honor Society and sent an invitation for the induction ceremony on November 8.

The Morgan School proudly invites you to the

National Technical Honor Society

Induction Ceremony

8 November 2023 | 6 -7 PM



MORGAN SCHOOL AUDITORIUM

Lenny & Joe's Fish Tale DINE TO DONATE

Lenny & Joe's Fish Tale Family
Restaurant in Westbrook will Donate
20% of the Day's Sales to
The Gavin Carlisle Scholarship Fund

MONDAY OCTOBER 30th

This scholarship is given annually to a Morgan High School Senior whom is recognized as sharing the qualities with which Gavin lived his life.



Gavin Carlisle worked at the Westbrook Lenny & Joe's Fish Tale while a Morgan High School Student until his death in 2019. He was an outstanding student, worker and amazing person. We miss him every day!

CLUB CORNER



The Social Justice Club is holding its second annual Human Rights Day workshop on Thursday, December 7th during the half session day (7:35am -11:15am). For more information about this year's event, read: Planning Human Rights Day 2023 – The Morgan PawPrint.

Students interested in attending or serving on a student panel should fill out this <u>Google Form</u>

There will also be a staff panel and a community panel. Any parents or community members who would like to participate on the panel, should contact Leslie Chausse (lchausse@clintonpublic.net).



The Morgan School Presents Multicultural Night

When? Thursday, November 30, 2023

Where? The Morgan School, Lower Hub

Why? To celebrate our cultures!

Email Mrs. Luther if you would like to help.





THE MORGAN SCHOOL SPIRIT SQUAD PRESENTS



DISCO MET GALA

HOMECOMING DANCE
SATURDAY NOVEMBER 11

6:30-8:30 PM
TICKETS \$10 IN ADVANCE
\$15 AT THE DOOR
DOORS OPEN AT 6:15

SCHOOL COUNSELING UPDATES

CT Public Universities - Free Application Day - November 1, 2023 Any student planning on applying to any Connecticut public university will have their application fee waived if they apply on November 1st. School counselors will be hosting a CLICK & SUBMIT event for seniors during the school day in the Cafeteria during H period- There will be prizes, music, snacks and more!

Attention Seniors! Early Action and Early Decision deadlines are around the corner! If you have a November 1 or 15 deadline, make sure that you've requested your transcripts through Naviance. Use this link for directions on how to request transcripts, Iranscript Request directions.

Make sure that you've spoken to your counselor if your college requires a counselor letter of recommendation. If you have not scheduled your senior check in, click here to access your school counselor's calendar.

AP Payment & Registration Information was handed out to parents during Open House and given to students during class. The deadline for returning the form and payment for AP tests was today, **October 20th.** Please contact your child's school counselor with any questions.

Juniors & Seniors: Throughout the Fall we have **College Representatives** coming to Morgan to meet with YOU! The person that visits is usually the admissions representative that reads the applications from our school! It's a great opportunity to learn more about a school you are interested in. Scheduled visits are listed in Naviance, on the school televisions, and in the School Counseling office. Here is the link for Naviance: Naviance - Morgan.

SCHOOL COUNSELING UPDATES CONT'D

School counselors visited **Freshman Experience** class this week to facilitate discussions around career exploration. Ninth grade students completed the **Career Cluster Finder in Naviance** and accompanying activities. Parents are encouraged to review the results with their students to see what careers and interest areas their students have identified! Below is an action shot from Mrs. Robinson's G period class.



CONGRATULATIONS TO...MORGAN BOE STUDENT REPS

BOE Student Representative for the 2023-2024 School Year are senior Maddie Sacta Guartazaca and junior Mason Jakober. Their first board meeting was Monday, October 16. They joined the existing student representative, Sean Davis. The student representatives report on school happenings and offer a unique perspective and bridge between the board and school.







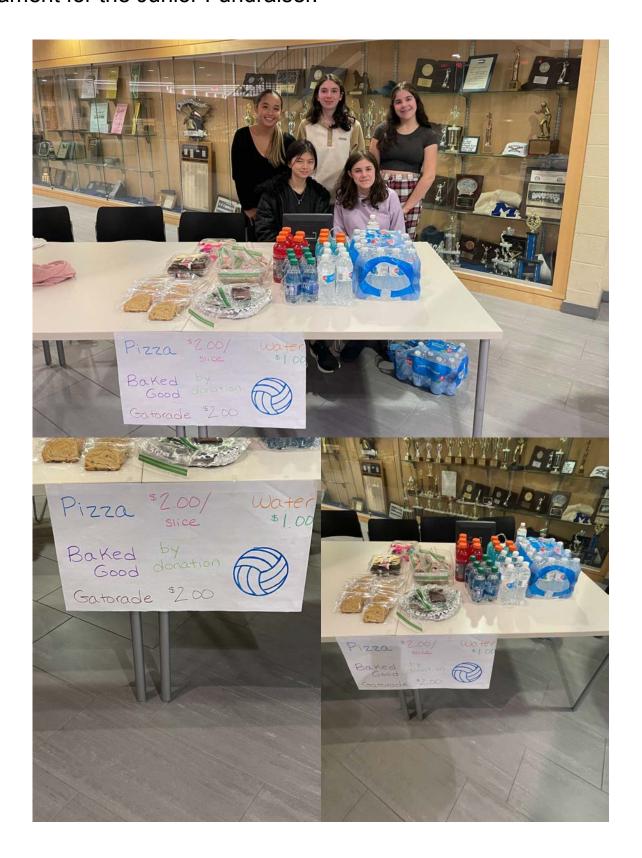
CLASS OF 2025 - VOLLEYBALL TOURNAMENT

The Class of 2025 hosted a volleyball tournament Thursday night. The event had a great turnout and was a huge success! All 10 teams that competed really showed their skills, but Team Pugo (Melanie P, Jack B, Kevin C, Juan V, Patricia M, Michael M, David D, Esteban O) edged out Team DaRos to clinch this year's title! The Class of 2025 would like to thank everyone who came and made this a great event!



CLUB CORNER - INTERACT CLUB

The Interact Club provided and sold concessions at the Volleyball Tournament for the Junior Fundraiser.



IN THE CLASSROOM

Morgan students have been making some amazing art! Drawing & Painting I recently finished their Close-Up Eye drawings in charcoal. Jewelry Design & Metalsmithing were creating pairs of Wire & Bead Earrings. Sculpture I students are putting the finishing touches on their Louise Nevelson-Inspired Assemblages. Sculpture II used Celluclay to create Giacometti-esque Figures. Advance Art Portfolio showed their skill by painting Self-Portraits Inspired by a Famous or Notable Artist.



IN THE CLASSROOM

Chad Greenlee, a graduate of the Yale architecture program and the current Dean at Paier College in Bridgeport, came into the Honors Humanities course to help students design and build a remodeled Pearson building. He provided a quick lecture on past architecture design projects, discussed presentation skills in the professional world, and met with individual groups to provide advice on their ideas. Students will begin presenting their ideas next week.



NOTES FROM THE HEALTH OFFICE

Respiratory season is upon us and as we transition to the colder season we want to remind you of some helpful information:

WHAT FAMILIES CAN DO TO STAY HEALTHY AND STRONG:

- Conduct frequent hand washing throughout the day.
- Cover your cough and sneeze.
- Keep children home from school if they are not feeling well (fever, cough, congestion, stomach issues). See Clinton Public Schools website for more information on when to send your child to school <u>Guidelines for staying home due to illness</u>
- Have your child immunized for the flu. Families can take advantage of using the Connecticut River Area Health District.
 Open this link for more information: <u>Flu Shots</u>
- The influenza vaccine for school entry is required each year between August 1st and December 31st for all children enrolled in Pre-K. Please schedule your child's flu vaccine now to avoid disruption to school attendance after December 31, 2023

We can all work together to keep our school year healthy, safe and strong.

NOTES FROM THE HEALTH OFFICE CONT'D

Screenings for Vision and Hearing:

The Connecticut state statutes mandate that students be screened for potential barriers to education in the schools. The most common problems which can be detected and for which early intervention can be successful are vision, hearing and posture. The school nurse is responsible for conducting and overseeing these screenings in each school.

Hearing and Vision screening will be done towards the end of October. As in the past, the Clinton Lions Club will come to the schools to use a spot screener to screen for vision. It is a quick and easy procedure where a volunteer takes a quick picture of your child's eyes and instantly can record any deficiencies. All abnormal results will be sent home for a follow up evaluation.

Hearing is conducted by the RN in the schools. Any abnormal results will be rescreened at a later time during the next month. If the hearing screening reveals a deficit, parents/guardians will be notified for further evaluation.

Health Office Contact numbers:

Joel Health Office	joelnurse@clintonpublic.net	(860) 664-6571		
Eliot Health Office	eliotnurse@clintonpublic.net	(860) 664-6573		
Morgan Health Office	morgannurse@clintonpublic.net	(860) 664-6574		

PROJECT GRAD 2024 - SENIOR FAMILIES!

PIZZA

 Thank you to everyone that supported us this week with ordering from Grand!



ELECTION DAY BAKE SALE

- November 7th, 6am-8pm!
- We need lots of bakers and people to take a shift at the table!!
- Please contact us asap at the email below.



WIZARDS BASKETBALL GAME

- We need 20-30 volunteers to make this happen!
- It will be our most lucrative fundraiser of the year!
- November 28th, 7pm-9pm Morgan
- Please contact us at the email below to volunteer. Planning committee starting now!



Email: morganpg2024@gmail.com

Facebook: Morgan Project Graduation 2024

Instagram: morganpg2024

WE ARE HIRING



JOIN OUR COACHING STAFF

- Eliot Baseball Coach
- Eliot Softball Coach
- Eliot Boys Basketball Coach
- Morgan Girls Track and Field Coach
- Morgan Boys Lacrosse Head Coach
- Morgan Softball Head Coach
- Morgan Softball JV Coach



https://www.clintonpublic.net/district/employment











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Don't miss the latest news.

The Morgan PawPrint has a mobile app.

- 1. Download the **Student News Source** app.
- 2. Select The Morgan School

Once you set up the app, you will be able to easily view the latest stories.

- <u>Captures of the Week October 1st to October 6th</u> By Riley Schmidt
- Volleyball Game Fundraiser By Rachel Spaziano
- The Weekly Breakdown Oct.7 Oct. 13 By Ansleigh Landino
- Planning Human Rights Day 2023 By Leah Scoppa

IMPORTANT LINKS

CLINTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS

THE MORGAN SCHOOL

MORGAN PAW PRINT

MORGAN ATHLETICS CALENDAR

IMPORTANT DATES

11/1 Click & Submit - Senior College

Apps 11/9 Pep Rally

11/10 Veterans Day Assembly

11/10 Homecoming Football Game

11/11 Homecoming Dance

11/12 PowderPuff Game

11/16 Parent-Teacher Conferences

11/30 Multicultural Night12/6 Morgan Band Concert