

Class of 2024 Senior Parent Night

August 17, 2023

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Heather Osterhout, Counselor

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		SENIOR CALENDAR 2023-24					
	21	Last day to order Senior Spirit Pack at \$45 (if ordered after between 8/22-9/7 - \$50)					
August	22	Back to School Night - 5:30 PM New Student Breakfast - HHS Commons					
	24	New Student Breaklast - nno Commons					
	1-4	Labor Day Weekend - No School					
	7	Last day to order Senior Spirit Pack (\$50, No late orders)					
	7	Last day to register for the October 7th SAT Test (www.collegeboard.org)					
	10	Virtual National Portfolio Day, <u>nationalportfolioday.org</u>					
	18	Yearbook prices increase to \$70, prices increases to \$80 on September 1st					
Camtamban	18 28	Huron Valley Schools Post Secondary Fair (Lakeland HS, 6:00-7:30PM)					
September	TBD	Livingston County College Night and MORE @ Cleary University - 6:00-8:00 PM (70+ colleges) More Michigan College Fairs: https://www.michigancollegefairs.org/calendar					
	100	National Virtual College Fairs: nacacattend.org/fairs					
	25-29	Homecoming Spirit Week					
	29	Homecoming Assembly					
	29	Homecoming Football Game vs. Northville - 7:00 PM					
	30	Homecoming Dance - details TBD					
	2.6	College Application Wook					
	2-6 5	College Application Week Last day to register for the November 2nd SAT Test (www.collegeboard.org)					
October	7	SAT Test Date (registration deadline is September 7)					
00.000	18	Last day to request teacher/counselor letters of recommendation for colleges with Nov 1st deadlines (if required)					
	20	Fall Break - No School					
	1	Priority/Early Action Deadline for MSU and U of M - Ann Arbor					
	1	Senior Portraits due to Yearbook - Late submissions will not be accepted					
	2	Last day to register for December 2nd SAT test (www.collegeboard.org) SAT Test Date (registration deadline is October 5th)					
November	6	Senior Panoramic Photo & Jostens - Cap & Gown/Announcements Meeting					
HOVEINDE	TBD	Female Seniors can order Announcements/Cap & Gowns during lunch					
	TBD	Male Seniors can order Announcements/Cap & Gowns during lunch					
	22-26	Thanksgiving Break - No School					
	11/27-12/15	Second semester schedule change request window					
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	2	Last day to request teacher/counselor letters of recommendation for colleges with Jan 1st deadlines (if required) SAT Test Date (registration deadline is November 2)					
	15	Last day to request schedule changes for 2nd semester					
D	16	Yearbook increases to \$85. Price increases to \$90 January 27th.					
December	20	Final Exams: 1/2 day for HS only					
	21	Final Exams: 1/2 day for HS only					
	21	Final Exams / End of 1st Semester: 1/2 day for HS only					
	25	Holiday Break - No school December 25th through January 8th					
	8	Teacher Records Day - No School					
	9	2nd Semester Begins					
January	9	Deadline for Senior Ads for Yearbook (if space allows, could fill up sooner)					
1	15	MLK Day - No School					
	27	Yearbook increases to \$90					
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February	9-12	Mid-Winter Break - No School					
	23	Last day to register for March 9th SAT test (www.collegeboard.org)					
·	9	SAT Test Date (registration deadline is February 23)					
March	25-29	Spring Break - No school March 27th through March 31st					
	24	Online yearbook sales will end soon! Watch for emails and annoucements					
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	6-17 10	AP Exams (apstudent.collegeboard.org for specific exam dates) Cap and Gown distribution, & Senior Yearbook distribution					
-	10	Decision Day Celebration & College Athlete Recognition Ceremony					
May	13-14	Senior Exams					
	15	Last Day for Seniors! Senior Walk					
ľ	15	Senior All Night Party					
[23	Senior Honors Night - 6:30 PM - HESSC Performing Arts Center					
	31	Graduation - 7:00 PM - Eastern Michigan University Convocation Center					

Hartland Senior All Night Party

@HartlandSANP2024



venmo

When paying through Venmo, please include your student's name and what the payment is for! Some items include:

The SANP Ticket
Senior Yard Sign
Senior Banner
Fat Head
Waldenwoods Raffle Ticket
Tony Saccos Discount Card
Bucket Hat
Bingo Night
Donation

Email: HartlandSANP2024@yahoo.com Facebook: Hartland High-class of 2024

SANP PO Box 22 Hartland, MI 48353

Please follow the Facebook page and look out for emails from the High School regarding important announcements, volunteer opportunities and to assist with fundraising efforts.

Thank you for your support!

SENIOR PORTRAITS

CLASS OF 2014 Requirements

- UPPER BODY VERTICAL SHOT
- NO BLACK AND WHITE
- NO PETS OR PROPS
- NO OFF-THE-SHOULDER TOPS
- MUST BE SCHOOL APPROPRIATE
- JPEG FORMAT
- Resolution 300dpi minimum (CAN BE SUBMITTED THROUGH JOSTENS LINK OR EMAILED TO OUR YEARBOOK STAFF at Yearbook@hartlandschools.us)

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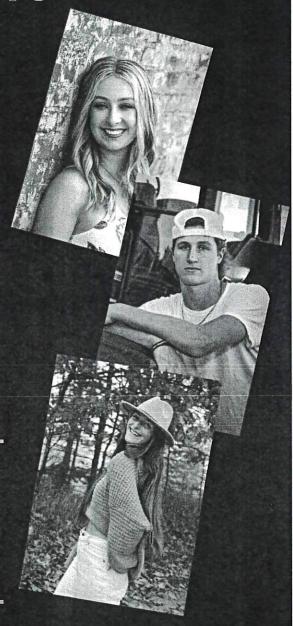
SENIOR PORTRAITS DUE BY NOVEMBER 1, 2023 -Late submissions will not be accepted

Senior Ads

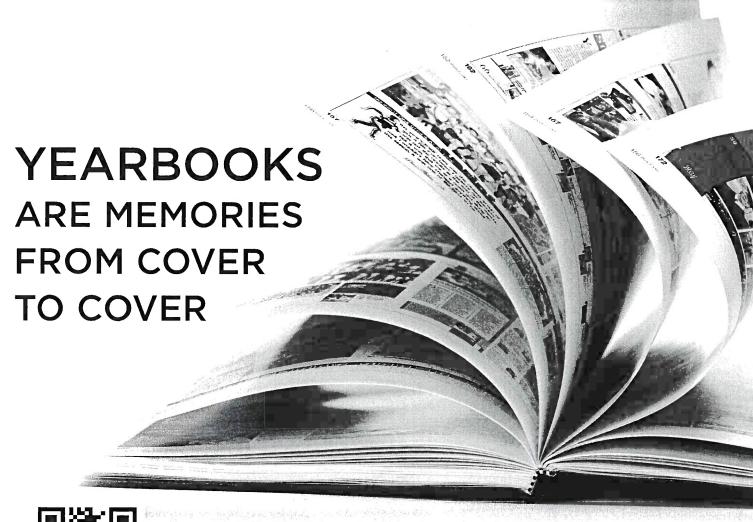
Parents can reserve/purchase space for a senior recognition ad through the HHS yearbook staff using this QR code or by visiting Jostens' website.

SENIOR AN FORM











ORDER YOURS TODAY

jostens.com/2024yearbook | 1-877-767-5217



TOP REASONS TO ORDER 2023-2024 HARTLAND HIGH SCHOOL YEARBOOK!

- ✓ Laugh-inducing memories
- ☑ Actual printed pics
- ☑ Moments that matter
- ☑ Your classmates
- ☑ Autographs from friends
- ☑ It's the <u>lowest</u> price of the year.

NOW	\$70	.00
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That's a savings of \$20.00

Order by 09/01/2023

YEARBOOK	\$70.00
SIGNATURE PACKAGE Includes: Yearbook, Enhanced Personalization, Autograph Pens, Autograph Section	\$88.00
ENHANCED PERSONALIZATION	\$8.00
ICONS	FREE!
AUTOGRAPH SECTION	\$5.00
PHOTO POCKETS	\$5.00
DONATE A YEARBOOK	\$70.00
CLEAR PROTECTIVE COVER	\$5.00

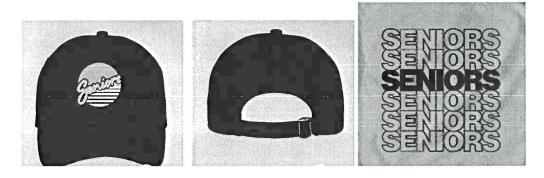
Tax, service and delivery fee(s) will be added if applicable. Credit card installment plan available for orders of \$30 or more.

Senior Spirit Pack Items - \$45 until 8/21 After 8/21 the cost is \$50. Orders due by 9/7 - NO late orders.

Shirt



Hat & Bandana



Color Changing Sunglasses (white to yellow after exposed to sun)



Not pictured: HHS Seniors silicone bracelet, boomsticks for the pep assembly, & blue and gold beaded necklaces Hartland High School Class of 2024!

SAT

If you plan to retake the SAT, visit...

www.collegeboard.org
to register!

Upcoming 2023-2024 SAT Dates...

October	7
November	4
December	2
March	9
Мау	4
June	1

For **ACT** test dates & deadlines, visit...

www.actstudent.org

Senior \supset College Transition!

Things to do during the fall of your SENIOR year!

Visiting Campus...

If you have not already done so, a campus visit is a great way to find out more about a college! All colleges welcome prospective students to come see if their academic programs, campus, and community are a good fit for them. To schedule a campus visit, contact the college admissions office or visit their website to find out about campus visit options. It is best to schedule a campus visit on a weekday (during the school year) to see what a typical day on campus is like. Virtual admissions presentations and tours are also available on most college websites.

Letters of Recommendation...

Some colleges will require you to have one or more letters of recommendation as part of the application process. Therefore, you should start thinking about who you will ask to write a letter of recommendation for you. You should ask someone who knows you well (such as a teacher, coach, and/or club sponsor). You should provide the person writing the recommendation some information (such as a list of activities, accomplishments, community involvement, etc.) to assist them in writing the letter. You can provide this information by submitting a resume to your counselor or by completing the **Letter of Recommendation Request Form** on the **Senior Quick Links** page of the HHS Counseling website (https://www.hartlandhighschool.us/Counseling/Senior-Quick-Links/index.html)

College Applications & Requesting Official Transcripts

- 1. Fill out college applications online by going directly to the college website.
- 2. Request your transcript through Parchment by going to www.parchment.com or go to the HHS website at www.hartlandhighschool.us, scroll to the bottom right-hand side & under "Quick Links" click on the link for "Transcript Requests".
- Register with Parchment by creating an account.
 NOTE use your home/personal email address when setting up your account not your school email address.
- 4. Follow the steps to request a transcript.
- 5. Transcripts requested while in high school are FREE. *Important Note* If the school you are applying to has a transcript fee, cancel your request for that particular school, then print out & bring in any forms for that school to the Counseling Office so that your counselor can complete your application free of charge.

Scholarships...

Scholarship information can be found on our website at www.hartlandhighschool.us. Click on...

➤ Counseling ➤ Financial Aid & Scholarships

You will also want to have letters of recommendations for some scholarships. Follow the same guidelines as above.

Playing College Sports

- If you plan to play college sports, you will need to register with the NCAA and/or the NAIA Eligibility Center. For more information and to register, please visit www.ncaa.org (Division I & II) and/or www.playnaia.org (Division III).
- You will also want to talk with your counselor. They can help you use www.corecoursegpa.com to predict your eligibility.
- The NCAA will also need your ACT or SAT scores. If you did NOT list NCAA as one of the schools to receive your ACT or SAT scores when you registered for the test, you will need to contact ACT (www.actstudent.org) or SAT (www.collegeboard.org) directly and request that your scores be sent to the NCAA Eligibility Center. NAIA may also request your ACT or SAT scores.
- You may also want to download the "Guide for the College-Bound Student Athlete" from the NCAA website.
- You should also speak with your current coach.

~ Request for Recommendation/Evaluation ~

If you would like me to complete a recommendation/evaluation, please provide the following information...

- Name
- Deadline to have the recommendation/evaluation completed by (please give a minimum of 2 weeks notice)
- Type of Evaluation/Recommendation: College / Scholarship / Job
- GPA & SAT/ACT

Future Plans & Goals

- o What colleges are you applying to
- o What is your intended major/course of study, career goals, etc.
- o Why does this career field interest you?

• Extra-Curricular Activities (Sports, Clubs, etc.)

- o Include which grades/year
- o Which level Freshman, JV, Varsity, Club, Travel, etc.
- o Leadership positions held Captain / Co-Captain, President / Vice-President, Secretary, etc.
- o Special activities / events participated in
- o What did you gain from these experiences?

Honors/Awards (Academic, Athletic, Attendance, Club, Recognition, etc.)

o Include the grade/year(s) you earned the award, # of times earned, etc.

• Community Involvement (community service, volunteer work, church involvement, etc.)

- o Include the activity / events & amount of time spent (dates, month/year, # of hours, etc.)
- o What did you gain from these experiences?

Work Experience

- o List your employer & position(s) held
- o Include your dates of employment (month/year) & average # hours per week
- o Include your responsibilities
- Interests/Hobbies (outside of school)

Personal Qualities

List and explain 3-4 qualities that you feel you possess & is there anything unique or makes you stand out?

References

List the Hartland teachers/coaches to whom I might go to for further reference.

OPTIONAL INFORMATION...

Personal Achievements/Experiences

- o Do you have any special achievements in or out of school that you are especially proud of?
- o Do you feel that your grades are a fair representation of your academic ability? If not, please explain.
- o Which subjects do you like best, excelled in, have been difficult, etc. that would be related to this application?
- Are there any factors that have come up during your high school career which you feel have put you at a disadvantage or have impacted you in some way? If so, please explain.
- o Have you participated in any special programs, summer workshops, camps, etc.? If so, please list and explain what you gained from these experiences.
- o Explain your personal contribution to the high school community.

Special Circumstances/Additional Information

- Are there any special family circumstances? ...Single parent household? Death of a parent or sibling?
 Siblings who will be in college at the same time? Extended family that live in your home?
- Are there any financial hardships that I should be aware of?
- Are there any other special circumstances that you would like me to communicate on your behalf?
- Is there any additional information that I may not know that you think would be important for me to know when completing your recommendation/evaluation?

College Action Plan: Check List

Sum	mer/Fall		
	Narrow your list of colleges to between 5-10. Plan to visit as many of the colleges you plan to apply to if you haven't already. Create a master list or calendar that includes: SAT/ACT Test dates/deadlines (if retaking) College Application deadlines for schools you are planning to apply to (early and/or regular deadlines) Required financial aid application forms and their deadlines (aid applications may be due before college applications) Ask your counselor for a fee waiver if you think you might qualify for financial assistance. Take the SAT and/or ACT another time if you would like to try to improve your scores for admissions or scholarship consideration. Get a head start on completing as much required information on college applications as possible. Write your college application essay, if required, and		Complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) at www.fafsa.ed.gov to apply for most financial aid – available beginning on October 1st. You will need your most recent tax returns. Complete the CSS/Financial Aid PROFILE. PROFILE is an online application used by certain colleges and scholarship programs to determine eligibility for their aid dollars. Ask one or two teachers for recommendations if you need them (also ask your counselor if using the Common Application or have special circumstances). Make sure to provide an outline or resume of your academic awards/accomplishments, extracurricular activities, etc. Complete and submit one or more college applications by Halloween. Create an account on www.parchment.com and request/send transcripts to colleges.
	have a teacher or other adult proofread it.		
 Fall/	Winter		
	Keep track of the colleges you have applied to and the		Find and apply for scholarships. Make sure to check
	responses you receive. Send a copy of your 7 th semester (1st semester of 12 th grade) grades if the college is asking for it. Request to send your transcript through www.parchment.com . Find out a college's actual cost. Use a Net Price Calculator (such as the one available on www.bigfutre.collegeboard.org 's website) to find out the potential for financial aid and the true out-of-pocket cost — or net price — for each college. Contact the Financial Aid Office or visit the Financial Aid Office website of the colleges in which you are applying to find out what type of aid is available, as well as the deadlines, for that particular college.	<u> </u>	the HHS Scholarship Gazette that is updated monthly by the Counseling Department. It is emailed to students and parents, as well as posted on the HHS Counseling webpage. Make sure to submit scholarships applications and/or essays by the deadlines. Find additional scholarships on scholarship websites. A suggested list is available on the HHS Counseling webpage and on the Scholarship Gazette. Make sure to submit scholarships applications and/or essays by the deadlines. Sign up to take the AP Exam if you are enrolled in an AP course. Talk with your AP teacher if you have questions regarding whether or not you should take the exam.
Wint	ter/Spring		
	If you are waitlisted, contact the admissions office to let them know you are still interested and ask how you can strengthen your application.		Inform each college of your acceptance or rejection of the offer and/or financial aid by May 1 st . Notify your counselor of your final decision.
	Continue applying for scholarships.		Send in your deposit to the college you have decided to
Ц	Review financial aid award offers to figure out which package works best for you. Pay attention to deadlines.		attend. Apply for housing and submit the deposit if living on
	Make a pros/cons list of the colleges you have been	_	campus.
	accepted to in order to choose the college that is the best fit for you.		Sign up for orientation in order to become an official
	Visit your final college before accepting, if possible.		student and find out the next steps. Register for classes.
	You should receive acceptance letters and financial aid	ā	Send a copy of your final high school transcript to
	offers no later than mid-late April if you submitted your applications by the recommended deadlines.		your college through www.parchment.com.
	applications by the reconfinenced deadlines.		Contact the college if you have any questions!

GET THE MOST OUT OF A CAMPUS VISIT IN **6 STEPS**

1 DECIDE WHERE AND HOW

See if your school arranges group trips to colleges or if you could get a group of friends together and visit the campus. A family trip is another option and allows you to involve your family in the process.

PREPARE FOR YOUR VISIT

Before you set out, get a map of the college campus and pick out places of interest. Call the college's admission office to schedule a guided tour of the campus.

3 TAKE YOUR OWN TOUR

Just wandering around the campus on your own or with friends can be the best way to get a feel for what a college is like.

4 EXPLORE THE FACILITIES

Find the spots on campus where students gather or ask a student where the best place to eat is to get a feel for the character of the college. Visit the library and check out the gym or theater. Ask an admission officer if you can tour a dorm and a classroom.

5 MAKE CONNECTIONS

Talk to current students. Ask the students at the next table or sitting nearby what they like best about the college.

6 TAKE NOTES

During your visit, write down some notes about your experience. What did you see that excited you? Are there aspects of the college that you don't like? If so, what are they?

Questions to Ask During Your Visit:

ASK TOUR GUIDES/STUDENTS

- What are the best reasons to go to this college?
- What's it like to go from high school to college?
- What do you do in your free time? On the weekends?
- What do you love about this college?
- What do you wish you could change about this college?
- Why did you choose this college?
- What is it like to live here?
- What does the college do to promote student involvement in campus groups, extracurricular activities, or volunteerism?

ASK PROFESSORS

- What are the best reasons to go to this college?
- Can a student be mentored by professors, graduate students, or upperclassmen?
- How are professors rated by the college? Does the college think mentoring and meetings for project guidance are important?
- How does the college help students have access to professors outside class? Do professors join students for lunch, help with community service groups, or guide student organizations?
- How many students do research or other kinds of projects for a semester or more?

ASK THE FINANCIAL AID OFFICE

- How much has your total college cost for each student risen in the past year?
- How much do your students usually end up owing when they graduate?
- What is the average income of graduates who had the same major that interests me?
- Will my costs go up when your tuition goes up, or can we use the same tuition rate I started with so I'll know the costs for four years?
- How many students usually graduate in the major that interests me? How long do these students usually take to get their degree? In what ways does the college help students graduate in four years?



Michigan College Average Requirements Worksheet

Name:	
Approximate GPA:	SAT Score:

GPA and SAT averages of each college's freshman class were found on institutions' websites. Information was verified with admissions offices in most cases. Ranges represent the middle 50% of students–25% of admitted students fell above the range listed, 25% fell below.

Open Admissions	Avg. GPA 2.8-3.3	Avg. GPA 3.3 -3.5 ————————————————————————————————————	Avg. GPA 3.5-3.8	Avg. GPA 3.8-4.0	
	Avg. SAT 940-1120		Avg. SAT 1130-1380	Avg. SAT 1350-1600	
Baker College	Adrian College	Albion College	Calvin University	Hillsdale College	
Community Colleges: No minimum GPA or	Davenport University	Alma College	Grand Valley State University	University of Michigan	
SAT required for	Ferris State University	Andrews University	Hope College		
admission	Finlandia University	Aquinas College	Kalamazoo College		
Alpena CC Bay College Delta College	Kendall College of Art and Design	Central Michigan University	Michigan State University		
Glen Oaks CC Gogebic CC Grand Rapids CC Henry Ford CC	Lake Superior State University	College for Creative Studies	Michigan Tech		
Jackson CC Kalamazoo Valley CC	Madonna University	Concordia University	UM-Dearborn		
Kellogg CC Kirtland CC Lake Michigan College	Northern Michigan University	Cornerstone University	University of Detroit Mercy		
Lansing CC Macomb CC Mid-Michigan College	Northwood University	Eastern Michigan University			
Monroe County CC Mott CC	Olivet College	Lawrence Tech			
Muskegon CC North Central Michigan College	Rochester College	Oakland University			
Northwestern Michigan College	Saginaw Valley State University	UM-Flint			
Oakland CC Schoolcraft College Southwestern Michigan College	Siena Heights University	Western Michigan University			
St. Clair County CC Washtenaw CC Wayne County CC West Shore CC	Spring Arbor University	Wayne State University			

2023 Fall Virtual College Fairs

September Virtual College Fair Sunday, September 10

October Virtual College Fair Sunday, October 15

November Virtual College Fair Sunday, November 12

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National College Fairs

REGISTER NOW! nacacattend.org



A Parent's Guide to Teen Parties

As a parent, you know the importance of your teen's social life and that parties are a way to socialize and relax. But an unsupervised or poorly planned party can result in unwanted or even tragic consequences. However, parental responsibility is the key to a fun and safe party.

The following is important information from the American Academy of Pediatrics about teen parties.



Facts about teen parties

- **Guest List.** When a teen plans a party, news spreads very quickly via social networking sites like Facebook or Twitter. Because of these new media, teen parties can grow too large for parents to control.
- Time and Place. Teen parties often start late at night and move from house to house.

Facts about alcohol and drugs

Teens often expect alcohol and marijuana at parties. Some parents believe that it is better to allow teens to drink in their home so they can keep them safe. While this idea may be well intentioned, it is simply misguided. Parents cannot keep impaired teens safe.

Alcohol and other drugs impair judgment. Teens are more likely to have sex, be involved in a violent incident, or suffer an injury after using drugs or alcohol. All too frequently teens die from violence, unintentional injuries, or overdoses related to alcohol and other drugs.

Alcohol affects teens differently than adults. For example, compared with adults, teens are more likely to remain awake, to wander about, or to drive a car while having a much greater degree of mental impairment.

What parents need to know

Communication and honesty are important to keep your teen safe. Teens whose parents talk with them regularly about drugs and alcohol are 42% less likely to use substances than those whose parents don't. Tell your teens that you expect them not to use alcohol or other drugs at parties.

Parent networking is the best prevention tool to combat underage drinking. Get to know your teen's friends and their parents. If your teen is planning on going to a party, call the parents to ensure that they will be home and that they will not allow drugs or alcohol. If this is not possible, don't let your teen go.

Parents are legally responsible for anything that happens to a minor who has been served alcohol or other drugs in their home. If anyone brings alcohol or other drugs to your home, be prepared to contact their parents. And if someone comes to your home already intoxicated, make sure that they get home safely. Help your teen feel responsible for this as well.

Parents may be criminally or civilly liable if ...

- Alcohol is provided to a minor at a party they have organized.
- Someone's property is damaged.
- Someone is injured.
- Someone leaves and gets into a car accident and/or injures someone else.
- · Someone dies.

Understand the local laws about alcohol and other drugs. Laws about alcohol and drug use vary from state to state, so make sure you know what the laws are in your state.

If you are hosting a teen party...

- **Plan in Advance.** Go over party plans with your teen. Encourage your teen to plan non-alcohol-related group activities or games.
- **Keep parties small.** Ten to 15 teens for each adult. Make sure at least one adult is present at all times. Ask other parents to come over to help you if you need it.
- **Set a guest list.** The party should be for invited guests only. No "crashers" allowed. This will help avoid the "open party" situation.
- Set starting and ending times for the party. Check local curfew laws to determine an ending time.
- Set party "rules" and your expectations. Discuss them with your teen before the party. Rules should include the following:
 - o No tobacco, alcohol, or other drugs.
 - No one can leave the party and then return.
 - Lights are left on at all times.
 - o Certain rooms of the house are off-limits.
- Have plenty of food and non-alcoholic beverages available. Also, put your alcohol and any prescription or over-the-counter medicines in a locked cabinet.
- Be there, but not square. Pick out a spot where you can see what is going on without being in the way. You can also help serve snacks and beverages.

If your teen is going to a party...

- Know where your teen is going and how long he will be there. Have the phone number and address of the party. Ask your teen to call you if the location of the party changes. Be sure to let your teen know where you will be during the party.
- Call the parent of the party host to make sure a parent will be home the entire time and supervising the party. Make sure that tobacco, alcohol, and other drugs will not be allowed.
- Talk with your teen beforehand about how to handle a situation where alcohol is available at a party.
- Make sure your teen has a way to get to and from the party. Make it easy for your teen to leave a party by
 making it clear that he can call at any time for a ride home. Discuss why he might need to make such a
 call. Remind your teen NEVER to ride home with a driver who has been drinking or using other drugs.
- Be up to greet your teen when he comes home. This can be a good way to check the time and talk about the evening.
- If your teen is **staying overnight** at a friend's house after the party, verify this arrangement with the friend's parents and that they will be home.

The AAP Committee on Adolescence and AAP Section on Adolescent Health would like to thank the AAP Committee on Substance Abuse and AAP NY Chapter 2 Committee on Adolescence for their assistance in developing this publication.

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