



# Weekly Update

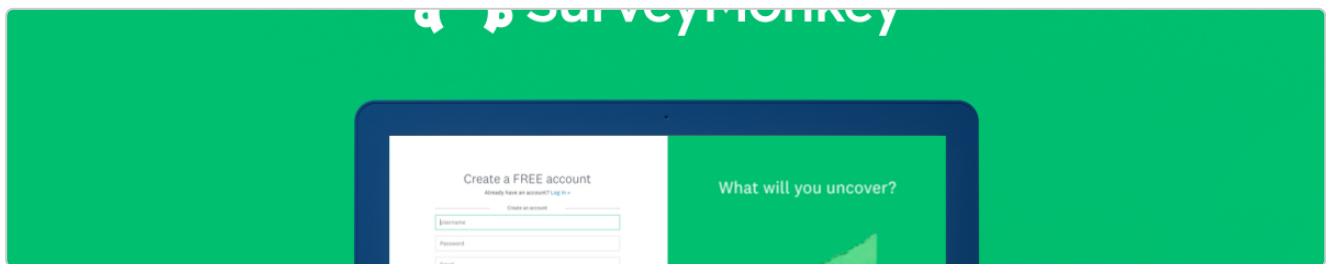
## 5/12/24



### We Want to Hear From You!

Please click the link below and take the survey to help us improve on serving our young men! Your feedback and support is crucial to our success.

Thank you in advance



### Vertus High School Strategic Feedback

Web survey powered by SurveyMonkey.com. Create your own online survey now with SurveyMonkey's expert certified FREE templates.

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## This Week!

Happy Mother's day! We hope all the mothers of our students enjoy this day and take time to relax and decompress!

**Feedback Survey:** Your insights matter to us! We kindly ask you to take a moment to participate in our feedback survey by clicking on the link above. Your feedback helps us improve and tailor our educational programs to better serve your child's needs.

**Warm Weather Reminder:** With the arrival of warmer weather, we encourage students to embrace outdoor activities and enjoy the sunshine responsibly. As always, we emphasize the importance of making smart choices to ensure their safety and well-being.

As we approach the end of the school year, let's continue to work together to make it a successful and fulfilling experience for our students. Thank you for your ongoing partnership and support.



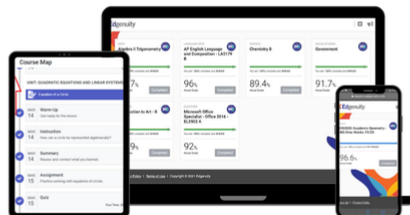
# REMOTE LEARNING DAY MAY 17TH

STUDENTS WILL NOT REPORT TO SCHOOL ON THESE DAYS

**Remote Learning days are a significant aspect of your child's educational journey, providing a unique opportunity to showcase their ability to work independently and stay committed to their academic growth**

Students must log in to Edgenuity to ensure they receive attendance credit for the day. This can be done via phone, tablet, laptop, or any device with internet access.

Additionally, students will be assigned tasks by their classroom teachers to complete and are expected to participate in Zoom meetings to seek assistance with any online assignments they are working on.



**Please reach out to your son's preceptor if you have any questions or need support on these days**

As we embrace our Remote/Asynchronous Day on **May 17th**, adhering to a set of core expectations is crucial for ensuring these days are as productive and beneficial as possible. Remember, these days are a significant aspect of your educational journey, providing a unique opportunity to showcase your ability to work independently and stay committed to your academic growth.

## General Expectations:

- **LOG IN TO EDGENUITY-** Complete assigned coursework on your dashboard.
- **Communication:** If challenges arise or questions emerge, promptly and respectfully communicate with Preceptors and Teachers.
- **Integrity:** Submit only your original work, following our academic honesty policies closely.

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## Last Week



## Football signing day

We are thrilled to extend our heartfelt congratulations to the talented football players who recently committed to their colleges of choice on Signing Day. It was truly a momentous occasion, and we were honored to celebrate this achievement with the players and their families.

As our athletes embark on this exciting new chapter of their lives in college, we eagerly anticipate witnessing their continued growth and success both on and off the field. We have every confidence that they will represent themselves, their families, and our school community with distinction.



Once again, congratulations to our remarkable football players, and we wish them all the best in their future endeavors.



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## Free 5 Hour Driver Safety Course

We are hosting a free 5-hour AAA driver safety course on May 23. To attend, your student must already have a learner's permit. If you're interested in having your student participate, please contact Mr. Woods at [nwoods@vertusschool.org](mailto:nwoods@vertusschool.org) or call 585-490-2051



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**Class of 2024 ONLY**

# 45TH ANNUAL BLACK SCHOLARS CEREMONY



## Headshot Request

### ATTENTION SCHOLARS...

If you are a 2024 Black Scholar Honoree:

Please send your headshot, current high school and college choice (*if applicable*) to

[ourblackscholars@ulr.org](mailto:ourblackscholars@ulr.org)

**DEADLINE: FRIDAY MAY 17TH, 2024**



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## Attendance

A red poster for a weekly attendance raffle. At the top, it says "PERFECT WEEKLY ATTENDANCE RAFFLE" with "NEW!" in a yellow starburst. Below that, it says "WIN A PRIZE EVERY WEEK!". At the bottom, it says "NEW WINNERS WILL BE ANNOUNCED EACH WEEK ON MONDAYS AT MORNING MEETING". The poster also features a shield logo with "COURAGE" and "COMMUNITY" and a ticket icon.

Want a chance to win some amazing prizes?  
Come to school every day of the week and  
receive a raffle ticket to win prizes worth up to  
\$500



### Attendance Matters!

Be sure your son is in school every day of the week. Not only for his educational success, but to also get a chance to win big prizes every week!

## Vertus-Calendar\_2023-2024\_Final (1).pdf

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## Upcoming Events

### Tiny Desk Spring Showcase and Concert- 5/22

- May 22nd- 6:00 pm
- @Vertus High School
- Featuring the Voices of Valor



## Athletics

### VERTUS ATHLETICS

# WEEKLY SCHEDULE



WEEK OF MAY 12-MAY 18

12	13	14	15	16	17	18
SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
NO EVENTS	NO EVENTS	NO EVENTS	JV BASEBALL @ BYRON-BERGEN 5:00PM AT BYRON-BERGEN HIGH SCHOOL	JV BASEBALL VS. AQUINAS 4:30PM AT GENESEE VALLEY PARK  OUTDOOR TRACK PPL CHAMPIONSHIP 3:30PM AT AQUINAS INSTITUTE	NO EVENTS	OUTDOOR TRACK EAST INVITATIONAL 11:00AM

Click the links below to get more information on our athletic program:

- [Athletic Calendar](#)
- [Athletic Rosters](#)
- [Sideline Store](#)



## Summer Session!

Our summer session is around the corner! Below you will see the dates of our summer session this year

July 29th- Aug. 23rd

July 2024				
Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr
1	2	3	4	5
8	9	10	11	12
15	16	17	18	19
22	23	<del>24</del>	<del>25</del>	<del>26</del>
<b>29</b>	30	31		

August 2024				
Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr
			1	2
5	6	7	8	9
12	13	14	15	16
19	20	21	22	<b>23</b>
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Our summer session, scheduled from July 29th to August 23rd, is a mandatory program designed to offer students the chance to catch up on any missed coursework, get ahead in their studies, and actively prepare for future college or career endeavors. In addition to academic enrichment, the session will feature internships and programs geared towards providing valuable real-world experiences.



At Vertus High School, we firmly believe in the philosophy that a year-round program is essential for the holistic development of our students, both academically and socially. This summer session aligns with our commitment to offering continuous support for your child's educational journey.

We encourage you to discuss the importance of active participation in this **mandatory summer session** with your child, emphasizing the long-term benefits it will bring to their academic and personal growth.

# Family Resources



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Medicaid  
recipients!**  
Ages 0-21 years old

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**Children's  
Health Home  
Care Management**

**BETTER ACCESS  
TO YOUR CHILD'S  
MEDICAID  
HEALTH  
SERVICES**

**Health Home Care  
Management helps you:**

- ✓ Realize your child's health needs
- ✓ Make connections to support resources
- ✓ Create a healthy future for your child

We help your child receive support resources such as:

 Health and Dental care	 Nutrition and Preventive care
 Mental Health Services	 Vocational and Recreational programs

For eligibility and referral information, visit [cayugacenters.org/HealthHomes](http://cayugacenters.org/HealthHomes)

**Stacey Goodell**  
stacey.goodell@cayugacenters.org  
315-329-9008

11-20-2020

# Summer Jobs! Start applying now



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## Reminders:

### Attendance Matters

Each day of school presents invaluable opportunities for learning, growth, and social interaction. Here are several reasons why consistent attendance is crucial:



- **Academic Progress:** Regular attendance directly correlates with academic success. Being present in class ensures your son doesn't miss out on important lessons, discussions, and clarifications provided by teachers.
- **Building Foundations:** Each day builds upon the previous one. Consistent attendance allows your son to grasp concepts progressively, contributing to a solid foundation for future learning
- **Active Engagement:** Active participation in classroom activities, discussions, and projects fosters deeper understanding and retention of information.
- **Social Development:** School is not just about academics; it's also a space for social interaction and skill-building. Regular attendance helps your son develop vital social skills, collaboration, and teamwork.
- **Habit Formation:** Consistent attendance establishes a habit of responsibility and discipline that will benefit your son throughout his life.

We understand that unforeseen circumstances may arise, impacting attendance. However, whenever possible, prioritizing regular school attendance greatly contributes to your son's overall success and well-being.

We are committed to supporting your child's educational journey, and we encourage open communication. If there are challenges affecting your son's attendance, please don't hesitate to reach out. Together, we can explore ways to support him effectively.

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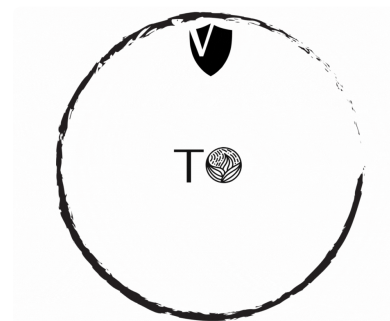
## Student Pick-up

If you are picking your child up from school early, please call at least 15 minutes in advance before arriving. Parents can not pick students up after **2:45**. We are preparing for dismissal and cannot send students out after that time.

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## Pathways to Success

The "Pathways to Success" program is aimed at providing additional support and opportunities for your child's academic and character growth. PTS is a comprehensive support system designed to cater to the diverse learning needs of our students. It offers a range of services to help students excel in their in-person and online classes, as well as challenge themselves with advanced material for those looking to get ahead.



Pathways to Success is available every Tuesday/Thursday from 3:15- 5:15 p.m. and every Saturday from 8:00-11:00 a.m.

Students who stay and work can receive bus passes to get home, or parents can arrange rides.

No Excuses!

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## Need Transportation Options? RTS on Demand!

RTS On Demand is a ride-sharing mobility option in which ADA-accessible vehicles provide service on demand within On Demand Zones. Customers can request rides through the On Demand app, website, or by calling Customer Service.



Download the app or go to the website to learn more information: <https://myrts.com/on-demand>

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