



WEEKLY UPDATE

8/25/24



Summer Session is Complete!

We want to extend our heartfelt thanks for your unwavering support throughout the summer session. Because of your encouragement and partnership, our students have achieved so much—they've earned credits toward graduation, successfully passed Regents exams, prepared for their college journeys, trained hard for athletics, and managed to have some well-deserved fun along the way.

Your involvement has been crucial in making this summer a success, and we are truly grateful for all that you do. As we take a brief pause, we hope you and your family enjoy the upcoming week off.

We'll be back in action on **September 5th**, ready to continue our mission of helping our students grow and succeed. Looking forward to another fantastic year together!



Fall Transportation

As we prepare for the start of the fall semester, I want to remind you that transportation arrangements for the fall WILL differ from those during the summer. Your district should have already sent the bus information to your home.

If you have not received this information, please reach out to your son's preceptor as soon as possible to ensure that you have the correct transportation details.

Thank you for your attention to this matter, and we look forward to a great start to the school year!

No School Next Week

There is no school for students this week from **8/26- 9/4**. Students will return to school ready for action on 9/5.



Family Night Recap

Thank you so much for attending Family Night! We were truly overwhelmed by the love and support you showed for your child's success. Your presence and commitment to their education mean the world to us.

If you haven't yet had the chance to meet with your son's teachers or preceptor, I encourage you to do so before the school year begins. Building a strong partnership between home and school is essential to ensuring the success of our students.

Together, we can make this year a great one for your son and all of our young men at Vertus High School.

Thank you again for your dedication and support.

Opportunity

THE YOUNG CEO PROGRAM



We are NOW accepting Applications
for this Fall 2024.

This program offers 12 weeks of training in personal finance and business ownership essentials for aspiring entrepreneurs. Participants will learn skills like goal setting, budgeting, credit understanding, and how to develop and manage a business.

What's the magic secret?

Free of Charge

Program runs Sep. 16- Dec. 6

Meet after school every Tuesday & Thursday 5-7pm

Free Laptop and \$1000 Start-up cash upon
completion of the program

Apply Today!!



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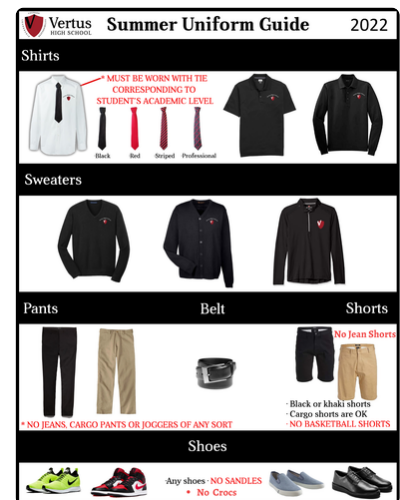


Website Us
www.vargasfinancialservices.com/programs

Student Uniforms

All students must be in full uniform BEFORE entering the double doors. Please review the guide below.

- No Jeans
- No slides/crocs
- No sagging
- No Athletic Shorts



2024-25 Calendar

Vertus High School

2024 - 2025 Academic Calendar



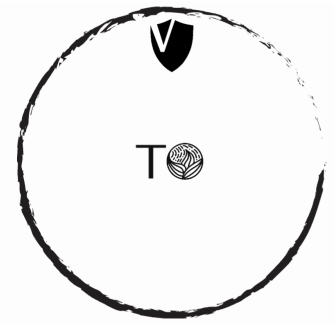
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#	School Closed
—	Students Off, Staff Report
#	Regents Exams
#	Remote Day*
#	Midterms
#	Marking Period Ends

Pathways to Success

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.



With so many of our students needing to prep for regents exams we encourage students to take advantage of this opportunity

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!

ALTERNATIVE TO SUSPENSION AND ACADEMIC SUPPORT PROGRAM

Tuesday/ Thursday
3:15-5:15 pm

Saturdays
8:00-11:00 am



@ VERTUS HIGH SCHOOL

Benefits:

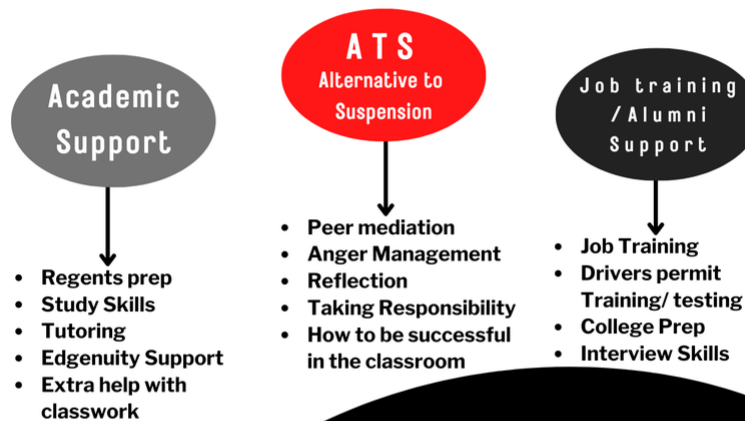
- Academic support
- Alternative to suspension
- Regents Prep
- Get on track on Edgenuity
- Social skills training
- Job training
- Peer Mediation and Reflection



ALTERNATIVE TO SUSPENSION AND ACADEMIC SUPPORT PROGRAM

The Pathways to Success program serves as a safe haven for students needing academic, behavioral, and social support.

3 divisions of the Pathways to success program



The Pathways to Success Program is mandatory for students who are on the verge of being suspended. If a student refuses to attend Pathways to Success as an alternative to suspension, they will be suspended.

Students who chose to attend Pathways to Success for academic support or job training will not be subject to the mandatory reflection and seminars required for ATS students.

All students attending Pathways to Success must turn in their phones, wear their uniform, and be subject to searches

Athletics

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

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



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