



BROOKS SCHOOL

PARENT NEWSLETTER

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Students and alumni put on great performances at Brooks' [Center for the Arts Opening Celebration](#) on April 26.

AP Schedule

Click [here](#) for the AP Exam schedule.

End-of-Year Student Schedules

Please note the following schedules, detailing the final week for the sixth form and other forms (as well as expectations surrounding graduation weekend).

- For sixth-form information, click [here](#).
- For third-, fourth- and fifth-form information, click [here](#).

Commencement Weekend

As a reminder, please click [here](#) to see all details for Commencement Weekend on May 26 and 27, including the full schedule of events.

Final Exams: In OnBrooks

Click [here](#) for a direct link to the final-exams schedule, or follow this path to the end-of-year schedules in [OnBrooks](#): Groups > Community > Information page.

Yearbook Ad Deadline: Tomorrow

Express pride, love and congratulations to soon-to-be Brooks School graduates with a [personal ad in the yearbook](#). A quarter-page, half-page or full-page message/photo(s) are available for sale on a first-come, first-served basis. Payments are due May 10. Contact faculty yearbook advisor [Andrew McLean](#) with any questions.

Textbook Buyback Details

Follett, the online textbook provider for Brooks School, will be on campus for students to return their rental textbooks or to sell their books back to Follett on May 31 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. in the Student Center. (Prices depend on market value, the condition of the book and if the text is being used next year. Follett will reimburse families with a check to parents sent over the summer). Sixth-formers returning rental books or wishing to sell their books to Follett can do so by following the instructions provided on [Follett's Brooks School Online Bookstore](#). Contact Academic Dean [Susanna Waters](#) (978) 725-6355, or Associate Head for Academic Affairs [Lance Latham](#) (978) 725-6252 with any questions.

Upcoming Arts Dates

- **Dance Concert:** May 10 at 8 p.m.; Center for the Arts mainstage
 - **Jazz Concert:** May 16 at 7:30 p.m.; Center for the Arts mainstage
 - **Brookstock:** May 19 at 2 p.m.; Center for the Arts Quad
 - **Spring Play "Drop Dead!":** May 20-21 at 7:30 p.m.; Center for the Arts mainstage
 - **Musical Theater Independent Project "Mamma Mia":** May 22-23 at 7:30 p.m., Center for the Arts Black Box Theater
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Afternoon Programs Selection for 2019-2020

Students are currently working with advisors to select afternoon programs for the 2019-2020 academic year, which are due into the Athletic Office by May 21. Click [here](#) for details on Flex applications and Independent Studies applications (fall season applications for Independents are also due by May 21). If you have any questions about this process, please contact your student's advisor.

Mark Your Calendar: Family Weekend 2019

For those planning their fall calendars, please note that Family Weekend will be October 18 and 19, 2019! As noted last week, this coincides with Phillips Academy's Family Weekend, so we suggest you book your hotel room well in advance. Click [here](#) to view lodging options in the area.

Parents of Sixth-Formers

Colleges, summer camps and sport programs often require a copy of your child's physical examination and immunization records. The Health & Wellness Center recommends that you log in to Magnus now to print a copy of any documents you may need. After July 1, the health records for current sixth-formers will be archived and you will need to call Magnus Health for access.

Parents of Fifth-Formers

Thank you to those who have already completed the [Parent Questionnaire](#) for your student's college counselor. If you have yet to complete it, please do so by the end of this month. Parent input is extremely helpful to the writer when crafting the student letter of recommendation. Thank you so much for attending to this as soon as possible. Please return questionnaires electronically and direct any questions to Assistant College Counselor [Christine Jackson](#).

Student Activities This Weekend

Click [here](#) to see all the activities, including a mini-golf trip and basketball tournament.

- May 10: Sixth-Form Parent Dinner and Slideshow, 6 p.m.
- May 10: Dance Concert, 8 p.m.
- May 17-18: Alumni Weekend
- May 16: Jazz Concert, 7:30 p.m.
- May 19: Brookstock Music Festival, 2 p.m.
- May 20-21: Spring Play, "Drop Dead!" 7:30 p.m.
- May 26: Lawn Ceremony, 2 p.m.
- May 27: Prize Day, 9:30 a.m.
- May 28: Finals begin

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